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<b>Description</b>	<p>A fast growing, medium sized deciduous tree growing 3-5 metres tall. During summer, this variety produces masses of excellent quality, delicious dark red fleshed fruit with purple-green coloured skin. Usually producing two crops per year, it is a reliable and heavy cropper with a vigorous spreading habit. This is a self-pollinating variety. 'Black Genoa' works well in both cold-temperate and sub-tropic areas, as it requires low chill hours.</p>
<b>Foliage</b>	<p> Deciduous</p>
<b>Form</b>	<p> Round</p>
<b>Mature Size</b>	<p>3-5 x 3m</p>
<b>Uses</b>	<p>Plant as a specimen tree in the landscape or as a group for an orchard affect. A fantastic fig variety best eaten fresh off the tree or made into jam. This is a great variety for making jams, drying or eating fresh.</p>
<b>Position &amp; Soil</b>	<p>Hardy and frost tolerant, figs grow best in a warm dry climate. Prefers light free-draining, neutral soil in a warm and sunny position. Enrich soil with well decomposed manure or compost and mulch well. Water well while it is fruiting.</p>
<b>Features</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Small</li> <li> Deciduous</li> <li> Round</li> <li> Bird Attracting</li> <li> Feature Foliage</li> <li> Fruiting &amp; Edible</li> <li> Group Planting</li> <li> Informal Screening</li> </ul>

<b>Pot sizes in production</b>	
<b>Substitutes</b>	

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