

ROZA
(Phaseolus vulgaris)

Roza is a pink type bean. The plants have a semi-vine growth habit; very vigorous in the seedling stage and medium green foliage. Flowers are light pink and appear about 47 days from planting. The cultivar is resistant to Curly Top virus (*Ruga verrucosus*) and Bean Common Mosaic virus (BCMV); tolerant to Fusarium root rot (*Fusarium solani* f. *phaseoli*) and Sclerotinia Wilt (*Sclerotinia sclerotiorum*).

The overall appearance and quality of Roza is superior to Sutter Pink, the standard commercial variety grown in most dry bean production areas. The seeds are quite similar in size, shape and color to Sutter Pink but more uniform. Seed size is somewhat smaller than Viva or Gloria.

Roza has exhibited outstanding performance when produced in the arid, irrigated areas of Colorado, Idaho and Washington.

Maturity:	92 days to dry seed
Plant Height:	18 inches (45.7 cm)
Plant width:	14 inches (35.5 cm)
Pod length:	5½ inches (14 cm)
Seeds:	5 per pod
	1,200 per pound

Roza was developed and released cooperatively by the U.S. Department of Agriculture, Idaho Agricultural Experiment Station and Washington State University.