Selected List
of
Vegetable Varieties for Gardeners
in
New York State
2018

(Revised 12/17)

Vegetable varieties listed in this report should be well adapted for New York State community, school and home gardens. It is recognized that varieties not listed here may be satisfactory or even perform better under certain conditions. We encourage gardens to rate the varieties at:

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Visit our Vegetable Varieties for Gardeners in New York State website for detailed descriptions and some seed sources of more than 7,000 vegetable varieties including those listed in this report. Compare varieties, read ratings and reviews by fellow gardeners, and offer your own observations of which varieties perform best in your garden.

Note: Future reports will be largely based on variety ratings from this site.

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Key to Notation

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ASPARAGUS
Jersey Giant (F, R), Jersey King, Jersey Knight (F, R), Viking KB3

BEANS
**Green Bush** Bronco (BCMV), Charon, Derby, Espada (BCMV), Jade (R, BCMV, CTV) *, Provider *, Roma II (Italian flat pod), Tendersweet Improved
**Wax Bush** Golden Butterwax, Golden Rod, Dragon Tongue *, Roccor
**Green Pole** Fortex *, Kentucky Blue, Northeaster *, Rattlesnake *, Scarlet Runner *
**Lima, Bush** LARGE SEEDED: Burpee Improved Bush, Fordhook 242
SMALL SEEDED: Henderson
**Lima, Pole** King of the Garden
**Soy, Edible** Butterbean, Envy
**Dry Beans** Cabernet, California Red Kidney, Chinook 2000, Etna, Fleetwood, Jacob’s Cattle, Midnight
**Misc.** French Horticultural, Romano

BASIL
Genovese *, Siam Queen, Thai Sweet

BEETS

BROCCOLI
Baccus, Belstar F1, Green Goliath *, Liberty, Packman*, Premium Crop

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BRUSSELS SPROUTS  Long Island Improved, Oliver, Rubine Red

CABBAGE

Early  Farao (Tr), Jersey Wakefield, Heads Up, Pacifica, Tastie
Midseason  Chieftain Savoy, Lennox, Market Prize (YR), Ruby Perfection, Savoy Ace, Savoy King
Late  Huron
Winter  Deadon
Chinese  Blues (heading type), Jade Pagoda, Optiko (YR)

CARROTS  Amarillo Yellow *, Bolero *, Cosmic Purple, Healthmaster, Kinko, Purple Haze *, Royal Chantenay, Rumba, White Satin*, Yaya, Yellowstone

CAULIFLOWER  Alert, Amazing, Candid Charm, Cheddar, Early White, Self Blanche (fall), Snow Crown, Graffiti
Romanesco  Veronica (F)

CELERIAC  Brilliant, Large Smooth Prague aka Giant Prague

CELERY  Tango

CILANTRO  Delfino

COLLARDS  Blue Max, Georgia Green, Georgia Southern *

CORN  
Sweet  
Early  Fleet (BC, SE), Geronimo (BC, SE), Jester II, Seneca Spring (BC, SE), Sundance, Sugar Buns, Temptation (BC, SE), Trinity (BC, SE)
Midseason  Incredible (SE, SW), Jubilee, Precious Gem (BC, SE), Argent (SE, WH, R, SW), Silverado (WH), Silver King (WH, SE, NCLB, R, SW), Tuxedo
Late Season  Bodacious, Delectable (BC, SE), Sensor (BC, SE), Sugar Ace
Super-sweet  Northern Extra Sweet
Popcorn  Mini Bluepopper

CUCUMBER  
Slicing  Burpless Hybrid II (MR), Corninto #, Diva *, Greensleeves, Marketmore 76 (SMR, PM) *, Marketmore 86 (SMR, PM) *, Martini (PM) #, Socrates (PM) #, Spacemaster (SMR), Sweet Slice (SMR) *
Pickling  Alibi (DM, PM) #, Muncher (MR), National, Regal (SMR), Salt and Pepper (PM)

EGGPLANT  
Early  Calliope, Dusky, Ichiban, Little Fingers, Swallow
Midseason  Black Beauty, Classic, Neon, Pingtung Long

ENDIVE  Florida Deepheart, Full Heart Bavarian, Green Curled, Rhodus

FENNEL  Orion

GARLIC  Music *

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## KALE
- Dwarf Blue Curled *, Dwarf Green Curled, Lacinato, Redbor, Red Russian *, Starbor, Winterbor

## KOHLRABI
- Early Purple Vienna, Early White Vienna, Eder, Grand Duke, Kolibri, Kossak (Kossack)

## LEEK
- American Flag, Blue Solaise *, Broad London, Electra, King Richard, Lancelot *, Pancho, Tadorna

## LETTUCE
### Crisphed (Iceberg)
- Great Lakes (Fall), Ithaca, Summertime, Tom Thumb

### Butterhead (Bibb/Boston types)
- Buttercrunch *, Esmerelda, Four Seasons, Sangria, Winter Density

### Looseleaf

### Cos (Romaine)
- Cosmo Savoy, Green Towers, Little Gem, Parris Island, Valmaine (a.k.a Paris White or Valmaine Savoy) (MR)

## French (Batavia)
- Sierra

## MELON
### Orange flesh
- Ambrosia, Gold Star (F), Athena (F 0, 1, and 2, PM 1&2), Burpee Hybrid, Fastbreak, Halona, Hannah's choice, Harper Hybrid (F), Iroquois (F), Pulsar, Superstar (F)

### Green flesh
- Early Dew, Passport

### Specialty
- Charantais, Edonis, Galia

### Heirloom
- Eel River, Jenny Lind, Rocky Ford, Schoon's Hard shell

## MUSTARD
- Green Wave, Red Giant

## OKRA
- Cajun Delight

## ONIONS
### Transplants (Not for long term storage)
- Ailsa Craig Exhibition *, Bennie’s Red, Candy, Red Sweet Spanish, Walla Walla, White Sweet Spanish

### Seed (Early maturing)
- Arsenal, Early Yellow Globe, Precedent

### Seed or Transplant (Long term storage)
- Cabernet, Copra*, Duration, Fortress, Mars, Redwing

### Sets
- Stuttgarter *

### Green or Bunching
- Evergreen Hardy White, He-Shi-Ko, Long White Bunching, Southport White

## PARSNIPS
- All American, Harris' Model, Hollow Crown

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PEAS
Early  Knight, Little Marvel, Maestro, Novella II, Olympia, Progress No. 9, Sparkle
Late  Bolero, Frosty, Lincoln, Mr. Big, Wando
Snow pea  Little Sweetie, Mammoth Melting Sugar, Oregon Sugar Pod II
Snap pea  Cascadia (PM), Early Snap, Sugar Ann *, Sugar Snap *

PEPPERS
Early  Ace, Apple, Aura*, Carmen *, Cornito Rosso#, Golden Bell, Gypsy, Lipstick, New Ace, Redstart
Main Season  Boynton Bell (BLS 1,2,3), Golden Bell (Yellow), King Arthur (BLS 2), Lady Bell*, Sweet Banana, Sweet Chocolate *, Yellow Belle II
Hot  Biscayne, Cayenne Long, Hungarian Yellow Wax, Mucho Nacho, Numex Joe E Parker *, Serrano, Super Chili
Thin Walled Frying Types  Cubanelle, Italian Sweet, Jimmy Nardello

POTATOES
Early  Superior (SR)
Mid Season  Chieftain, Kennebec, (Reba, Salem (SR), Yukon Gold *
Late Season  Elba, Katahdin
Specialty  All Blue *, All Red *, Adirondack Blue, Adirondack Red, Carola, Dark Red Norland *, French Fingerling, German Butterball

PUMPKINS
Bigger  Autumn Gold, Gladiator (PM), Gold Rush, Howden, Rocket, Tom Fox
Medium  Howdy Doody, Jackpot, Magic Lantern (PM), Racer, Rouge vif D'Etampes (French heirloom), Spooktacular
Smaller  Baby Bear, Baby Pam, Lil’ Ironsides, Lumina, Small Sugar, Snackjack
Mini  Baby Boo, Jack-be-Little, Munchkin
Giant  Atlantic Giant, Big Max, Prizewinner

RADICCHIO  Chioggia Red Preco No. 1

RADISH  Champion, Cherry Belle, Easter Egg, French Breakfast, Hailstone *, Icicle, Scarlet Knight, Sparkler

RHUBARB  Canada Red, MacDonald, Crimson Red, Victoria

RUTABAGA  American Purple Top, Thomson Laurentian

SPINACH
Spring  America, Bloomsdale Dark Green, Bloomsdale Long-Standing *, Giant Noble *, Indian Summer (MR), Melody, Space, Tyee
Summer  Malabar, New Zealand
Fall  Melody, Tyee, Winter Bloomsdale

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Yellow
- Early Prolific Straightneck, Fortune, Seneca, Sunburst, Sundance, Yellow Crookneck, Zephyr*
Zucchini
- Eight Ball*, Elite F1, Gold Rush, Golden Burpee, Midnight Zucchini, Multipik, Revenue (M)
Bush Scallop
- Butter Scallop, Peter Pan, Sunburst

SQUASH, WINTER
Butternut
- Bugle (PM), Early Butternut, Burpee Butterbush *, Harris Butternut (semi-bush), Metro PMR (PM), Ponca Baby, Waltham Butternut *, Zenith
Acorn
- Autumn Delight (PM), Carnival *, Sweet Dumpling, Table Ace*, Table King Bush, Table Queen (a.k.a Ebony Acorn) *, Tuffy
Buttercup/Kabocha
- Ambercup, Autumn Cup, Burgess Buttercup, Sweet Mama, Sweet Meat
Hubbard
- Blue Ballet, Hubbard, Red Kuri
Misc.
- Carnival*, Cornell Bush Delicata (PM), Gold Nugget, Harlequin, Sweet Dumpling, Tetsukabuto, Vegetable Spaghetti

SWEET POTATO
- Beauregard (F), Georgia Jet

SWISS CHARD
- Bright Lights*, Fordhook Giant *, Large White Ribbed, Lucullus, Orange Fantasia, Rainbow, Rhubarb, Ruby Red

TATSOI
- Tah Tsoi or Tah Tsai *

TOMATO
- * all of these tomato varieties
Cherry
- Black Cherry, Riesentraube, Sungold, Super Sweet 100, SunSugar (F, T), Sweet 100, Sweet Million, Coyote
Currant
- Red Currant
Grape
- Juliet
Early
- Stupice
Main Season
- Aunt Ruby’s German Green, Black Krim, Big Beef (V, N, T), Brandywine, Celebrity (V, F, N), Cherokee Purple, Eva Purple Ball, Jet Star (V, F), Mortgage Lifter, Pineapple, Rose, Supersonic (V, F)
Paste/Plum
- Amish Paste, Roma (V, F), Opalka
Pear
- Yellow Pear
Heirlooms
- Aunt Ruby’s German Green, Black Krim, Brandywine, Cherokee Purple, Opalka, Pineapple, Rose, Stupice

TURNIPS
- Gilfeather, Hakurei, Purple Top White Globe, Tokyo Cross

WATERMELON
- Crimson Sweet, Moon & Stars, Sorbet Swirl, Sunshine, Yellow Baby, Yellow Doll
Seedless*
- Tri-X-Sunrise, Solitaire, Farmers Wonderful
  * Seedless watermelon requires a seeded pollinator so cannot be planted alone.

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