

**Selected List
of
Vegetable Varieties for Gardeners
in
New York State
2021**

(Revised 11/20)

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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Key to Notation

*	At least 4 NY gardeners' ratings averaging >3.5 stars at: vegvariety.cce.cornell.edu	#	New varieties to this year's list
A	Alternaria stem resistant	DM	Downy mildew resistant or tolerant
BCMV	Tolerance to Bean Common Mosaic Virus BV1 & NY15	PM	Powdery mildew resistant or tolerant
BLS	Bacterial leaf spot resistant strains 1, 2, and 3 are noted	R	Rust resistant
CTV	Tolerance to citrus tristeza virus	SE	Sugar enhanced
F	Fusarium resistant	SH2	Supersweet
LBR	Late Blight Resistant	SMR	Scab, mosaic resistant
M	Zucchini yellows mosaic and watermelon virus resistant	SR	Scab resistant, potatoes
MR	Mosaic virus resistant	SW	Stewart's wilt
N	Root knot nematode resistant or tolerant	T	Tolerance to tobacco mosaic virus
NCLB	Northern Corn Leaf Blight	Th	Thrips resistant
P	Phytophthora resistant or tolerant	V	Verticillium resistant or tolerant
		YR	Yellows resistant

ASPARAGUS

Jersey Giant (F, R), Jersey King, Jersey Knight (F, R), Viking KB3, Purple Passion *

BASIL

Everleaf (DM, F) , Genovese*, Siam Queen, Thai Sweet, Lettuce Leaf*, Italian Large Leaf*, Everleaf *, Sweet Basil *, Cinnamon Basil*, Purple Ruffles *, Prospera Premium F1 Basil* #, Purple Ruffles Basil *#

BEANS

Green, Bush Bronco (BCMV), Charon, Derby, Espada (BCMV), Jade (R, BCMV, CTV) *, Provider *, Roma II (Italian flat pod), Tendergreen Improved, Masai *, Jumbo *, Burpee's Stringless Green Pod *, Bush Blue Lake 274 * (BCMV), Contender *(BCMV)

Wax, Bush Golden Butterwax, Golden Rod, Dragon Tongue *, Rocdor , Lewis Bush Bean*#
Green, Pole Fortex *, Kentucky Blue, Northeaster *, Rattlesnake *, Scarlet Runner *, Emerite *, Asparagus Yardlong*, Kwintus *, Pole Romano *, Rattlesnake*, Garden of Eden *, Nickel *, Purple Podded Pole *, Seychelles Green Pole Bean *#

Lima, Bush LARGE SEEDED: Burpee Improved Bush, Fordhook 242
 SMALL SEEDED: Henderson

Lima, Pole King of the Garden, Trionfo Violetto*, King of the Garden *

Soy, Edible Butterbean, Envy

Dry Beans Cabernet, California Red Kidney, Chinook 2000, Etna, Fleetwood, Jacob's Cattle, Midnight, Black Valentine *, White Half Runner *, True Red Cranberry *

Misc. French Horticultural, Romano, Royal Burgundy Bean *#, Dragon Tongue Bean *#

BEETS Bull's Blood *, Chioggia *, Crosby Green Top, Detroit Dark Red *, Early Wonder *, Formanova, Golden *, Long Season*, Lutz Green, Merlin (DM) *, Red Ace*, Red Cloud, Ruby Queen, Touchstone Gold*, Warrior, Cylindra *, Touchstone Gold Beet *#, Kestrel F1 Beet *#

BROCCOLI Baccus, Belstar F1, Green Goliath *, Liberty, Packman*, Premium Crop * (DM), Arcadia * (DM), Small Miracle *, Piracicaba *, Early Dividend *, Castle Dome , Lietenant , BC1764, Green Magic, Gypsy, Diplomat, Bay Meadows #, Ironman #, Burney , Emerald Pride, BC1691, Imperial, Tradition, Emerald Crown, Fiesta

BRUSSELS SPROUTS Long Island Improved, Oliver, Rubine Red, Jade Crossed *, Diablo *

CABBAGE

Early Farao (Tr), Jersey Wakefield, Heads Up, Pacifica, Tastie, Gonzales *

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, Red Cored Chantenay *, Royal Chantenay *, Napoli *, Nelson *, Nantes Half Long *, Dragon *, Danvers 126 *

CAULIFLOWER

Alert, Amazing, Candid Charm, Cheddar, Early White, Self Blanche (fall), Snow Crown*, Graffiti *

CELERIAC Brilliant, Large Smooth Prague aka Giant Prague

CELERY Tango

CILANTRO Cruisier *, Calypso *, Delfino *, Cilantro Santo *#

COLLARDS Blue Max, Champion *, Georgia Green *,, Georgia Southern *, Green Glaze *, Champion, Georgia Collard, Tiger F1, Flash F1 Collard*#

CORN

(all yellow kernels except when indicated white [WH] or bicolor [BC]):

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, Bodacious *(SW), Incredible * (SW, R), Ambrosia *

Late Season Bodacious, Delectable (BC, SE), Sensor (BC, SE), Sugar Ace, Sugar Dots * (SE),
Silver Queen * (SW, NCLB)
Super-sweet Northern Extra Sweet
Popcorn Mini Bluepopper

CUCUMBER

Slicing Burpless Hybrid II (MR), Corinto (MR, PM) *, Diva *, Greensleeves,
Marketmore 76 (SMR, PM) *, Marketmore 86 (SMR, PM) *, Martini (PM),
Socrates (PM), Spacemaster (SMR), Sweet Slice (SMR)), Silver Slicer*#, Green
Finger*, Sweet Success * (SR, MR), Poona Kheera *, Armenian *, Lemon *,
Suyo Long *, Little Leaf * (DM, SR, MR), Straight Eight * (MR)
Pickling Alibi (DM, PM), Muncher (MR), National, Regal (SMR), Salt and Pepper (PM),
Orient Express * (PM, DM, MR, SR), Sumpter * (MR, SR), Cool Breeze * (MR,
SR, PM), Homemade Pickles *

DILL Dill Fernleaf*#

EDIBLE HERBS/FLOWERS

Remembrance Calendula*
Garlic Chives *

EGGPLANT

Early Calliope, Dusky, Ichiban, Little Fingers, Swallow, Daimond *, Kamo *, Casper *,
Millionaire *, Swallow *, Neon *, Nadia *, Patio Baby F1 Eggplant *#
Midseason Black Beauty, Classic, Neon, Pingtung Long, Listada de Gandia *

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

FENNEL Grosfruchtiger *, Orion

GARLIC Music *, Bogatyr*#

KALE Dwarf Blue Curled *, Dwarf Green Curled, Lacinato *, Redbor, Vates*
Red Russian *, Starbor, Winterbor, Rainbow Lacinato*, Dwarf Siberian ,
Siberian Frill , Gulag Stars , White Russian , Redbor F1 , Scarlet , Baltic Red ,
Roulette , Black Magic , Nero Di Toscano , Dinoasaur , Cavolo Lacinato ,
Darkibor F1 , Winterbor F1 , Vaes Kale , Pentland Brig #, Meadowlark , Blue
Dwarf Curl , Beira F1 , Portuguese Tron , Sukuma Wiki

KOHLRABI Early Purple Vienna*, Early White Vienna*, Eder, Grand Duke, Kolibri,
Kossak (Kossack) Lanro*, Kolibri F1 Kohlrabi *#

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

LETTUCE

Crisphead (Iceberg)

Great Lakes (Fall), Ithaca, Summertime, Tom Thumb

Butterhead (Bibb/Boston types)

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Looseleaf Andriana (MV, DM)*, Buttercrunch *, Esmerelda, Four Seasons, Sangria
Black Seeded Simpson *, Blade (DM) *, Green Ice, Ibis, Lollo Rossa, New Red
Fire, Oak Leaf*, Prizehead, Red Sails *, Ruby, Salad Bowl, Slobolt, Flashy
Troutback*, Jara Lettuce *#

Cos (Romaine)

Cosmo Savoy, Green Towers, Little Gem*, Parris Island,
Valmaine (a.k.a Paris White or Valmaine Savoy) (MR)

French (Batavia)

Sierra, Magenta *, Cherokee (DM)*

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), Sugar Queen *#

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, Southern Giant Curled *, Red Giant *

OKRA Cajun Delight, Cow Horn *, Clemson Spineless *

ONIONS

Transplants (Not for long term storage)

Alisa Craig Exhibition*, Bennie's Red, Candy, Red Sweet Spanish, Scout *,
Walla Walla, White Sweet Spanish, Yellow Sweet Spanish *, Texas Supersweet
1015Y *

Seed (Early maturing)

Arsenal, Early Yellow Globe, NY Early *, Precedent

Seed or Transplant (Long term storage)

Cabernet, Copra (F) *, Duration, Fortress, Mars, Redwing

Sets Stuttgarter *, Egyptian Walking*

Green or Bunching

Evergreen Hardy White, He-Shi-Ko, Long White Bunching, Southport White

PARSNIPS All American, Harris' Model, Hollow Crown

PEAS

Early Knight, Little Marvel *, Maestro, Novella II, Olympia, Progress No. 9, Sparkle

Late Bolero, Green Arrow (DM, F) *, Frosty, Lincoln, Mr. Big, Wando

Snow pea Dwarf Grey Sugar *, Little Sweetie, Mammoth Melting Sugar, Oregon Sugar,
Oregon Giant*

Snap pea Cascadia (PM), Early Snap, Sugar Ann *, Sugar Snap *, Sugar Sprint *, Amish
Snap *

Cowpea Red Ripper *, Phenomenal Cow Pea*#

Shelling Little Marvel*, Green Arrow* (DM)

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, Habanada Sweet Pepper*, Melrose *, Marconi Red *, Aconcagua *, Giant Marconi *
- Hot** Biscayne, Cayenne Long, Hungarian Yellow Wax, Mucho Nacho, Numex Joe E Parker *, Serrano, Super Chili, Thai Dragon *, Biker Billy *, Kung Pao *, Jalapeno M *, Fish *, Ixtapa *, Numex Joe E Parker *, Cubanelle *, Ancho *, Takara F1 Pepper (Shishito)*#
- Thin Walled Frying Types**
Cubanelle, Italian Sweet, Jimmy Nardello *

POTATOES

- Early** Superior (SR), Red Pontiac *(SR), Irish Cobbler *
- Mid Season** Chieftain, Kennebec, (Reba, Salem (SR), Yukon Gold *, All Red * (SR)
- Late Season** Elba, Katahdin, Russian Banana *, German Butterball *
- Specialty** All Blue *, All Red *, Adirondack Blue, Adirondack Red*, Carola, Dark Red Norland *, French Fingerling, German Butterball, Purple Viking *, Caribe *, Purple Peruvian * (SR)

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, Pink Beauty *, French Breakfast *, Early Scarlet Globe *, Red Satin F1 Radish*#, Blue Moon F1 Radish*#

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

SQUASH, SUMMER

- Yellow** Early Prolific Straightneck, Fortune, Seneca, Sunburst, Sundance, Yellow Crookneck, Zephyr*, Rampicante-Tromboncino *, Early Crookneck *

Zucchini Dunja (PM, M) * , Eight Ball*, Elite F1, Gold Rush, Golden Burpee, Midnight Zucchini, Multipik, Revenue (M), Raven * , Ronde de Nice * , Black Beauty * . Elite * , Partenon * , Cocozelle * , Costata Romanesco * , Magda * , Spineless Perfection F1 Zucchini *#

Bush Scallop Butter Scallop, Peter Pan, Sunburst*, White Patty Pan *

SQUASH, WINTER

Butternut Bugle (PM), Early Butternut, Burpee Butterbush * , Harris Betternut (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, Gold Nugget *#

Hubbard Blue Ballet, Hubbard, Red Kuri*

Misc. Carnival*, Cornell Bush Delicata (PM), Gold Nugget, Harlequin, Sweet Dumpling, Tetsukabuto, Vegetable Spaghetti, Tetsukabuto *#, Marina Di Chioggia *#, Thelma Sanders *#, Pink Banana *#, Table Ace *#, Mashed Potatoes F1 Squash *#

SUNFLOWER Evening colors*

SWEET POTATO Beauregard (F), Georgia Jet

SWISS CHARD Bright Lights*, Fordhook Giant * , Large White Ribbed, Lucullus, Orange Fantasia, Peppermint * , Rainbow, Rhubarb, Ruby Red, Rainbow Swiss Chard*, Five Color Silverbeet * , Lucullus * , Perpetual Spinach *

TATSOI Tah Tsoi or Tah Tsai *

TOMATO * all of these tomato varieties

Cherry Black Cherry, Jasper (LBR, EBR, F), Riesentraube, Sungold, Super Sweet 100, SunSugar (F, T), Sweet 100, Coyote, Summer Sweetheart*, Sweet Baby Girl * , Chocolate Cherry * , Lemon Drop (LBR), Matt's Wild Cherry (LBR), Chocolate Sprinkles F1 Tomato *#

Currant Red Currant

Grape Juliet

Early Stupice, Enchantment *

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), Thessaloniki * , German Queen * , Carmello *(F, V, T) , Goliath * , Striped Roman * , Park's Whopper * , Opalka * , Defiant (LBR), Iron Lady (LBR), Mountain Magic (LBR), Mountain Merit (LBR), Mr. Stripey (LBR), Brandywine, Galahad F1 Tomato * #

Paste/Plum Amish Paste, Roma (V, F), Opalka, Federle * , Viva Italia * , Plum Perfect

Pear Yellow Pear

Heirlooms Aunt Ruby's German Green, Black Krim, Brandywine, Cherokee Purple, Kellogg's Breakfast, Opalka, Pineapple, Rose, Stupice, Caspian Pink * , Striped

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German *, Big Rainbow *, Rose *, Arkansas Traveler *, Delicious *, Amana Orange *, Jaune Flamme *, Italian Heirloom *

TOMATILLO Tamayo F1 Tomatillo*#

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

WATERMELON

Crimson Sweet, Moon & Stars, Sorbet Swirl, Sunshine, Yellow Baby, Yellow Doll, Charleston Gray *, Dixie Queen *

Seedless[×] Tri-X-Sunrise, Solitaire, Farmers Wonderful

[×] Seedless watermelon requires a seeded pollinator so cannot be planted alone.