

# Vegetable Varieties for the Home Garden in Tulare and Kings Counties - 2007



## **Asparagus**

Mary & Martha Washington  
Jersey Giant  
Brock Imperial  
Purple Passion  
UC 72 and UC 157

## **Snap Beans**

Bush Green: Tendercrop  
Bush Yellow: Goldencrop Wax  
Pole Green: Kentucky Wonder

## **Cucumbers**

### Pickling Varieties:

Liberty Hybrid  
Saladin  
County Fair 83

### Suitable for Containers:

Pickle Bush  
Pot Luck

### Slicing (Salad) Variety

Dasher 11  
Sweet Success  
Sweet Slice (burpless)

### Suitable for Containers

Bush Champion  
Parks Bush Whopper  
Pot Luck

## **Eggplant**

### Standard Type

Black Beauty  
Dusky  
Early Bird

### Oriental Type

Ichaban  
Tycoon

### White Type

Easter Egg

## **Lettuce**

### Romaine

Parris Island

### Loose Leaf

Salad Bowl  
Oak Leaf  
Red Sails  
Royal Green

### Butterhead

Boston

## **Okra**

Anne Oakley II  
Lee  
Emerald  
Clemson Spineless  
Dwarf Green Longpod (dwarf plant)

## **Peppers**

### Bell Type (sweet)

Sweet Bell  
California Wonder  
Yolo Wonder  
Early Pimento

### Sweet Yellow or Cubanelle

Sweet Banana  
Gypsy  
Hy-Fry  
Cubanene

### Hot Peppers

Cayenne Pepper Group  
Cayenne Long Red Slim  
Anaheim  
Serrano Chili Pepper  
Jalapeno

## **Spinach**

Ferry Morse' Teton Hybrid

## **Sweet Corn**

Types:

### (SU) Standard Sweet Corn

Traditional Variety – will tolerate low temperatures at planting.

### (SE) Sugary Enhanced

Sweeter than SU Standard, retains its sweetness longer, tolerates lower temperatures at planting

### (Sh2) Super Sweet

Sweeter than all the other types. At planting time it needs soil temperatures of 65°. Texture is drier and sugar converts to starch rapidly.

Colors:

Yellow (y)  
White (w)  
Bicolor (bi)

Recommended Varieties

### Standard Sugary:

Butter and Sugar (bi)  
Golden Cross Bantam (y)  
Jubilee(y)  
Silver Queen (w)

### Sugary-enhanced

How sweet it is (w)  
Breeder's Choice (Light yellow)  
Kandy Corn (y)  
Concord (bi)

### Super Sweet

Maxim (y)  
Early Xtra Sweet (y)  
Butterfruit (y)

## Summer Squash

### Scallop Type

Scallop (Patty Pan)  
Peter Pan hybrid (bush)  
Sunburst (bright yellow)  
Scallopini (bush)  
Early White Bush (white)

### Yellow Summer Squash

Early Prolific Straightneck  
Sundance (crookneck compact)  
Early Golden Summer  
Crookneck  
Dixie (crookneck compact)

### Zucchini

Aristocrat  
Greyzini (compact)  
Ambassador (compact)  
Gold Rush (golden fruit)  
Burpee Fordhook

## Winter Squash

Acorn  
Butternut  
Spaghetti  
Table King  
Jersey Golden  
Sweet Mama  
Waltham  
Burpee Butterbush

## Tomatoes

### Ace

Medium determinate plants with medium to large fruit.

### Big Beef (Beefsteak)

Large, indeterminate plants, large beefsteak type fruit

### Celebrity

Medium semi determinate plants, large firm fruit

### Champion

Large indeterminate plants, large fruit

### Early Girl

Produces fruit early in the season, large indeterminate plants, and continuous crop of small to medium size fruit.

### Mini (cherry) Tomatoes

Sweet 100  
Sweet Baby  
Sweet Cherry

### Patio Type Mini Tomatoes

Patio  
Toy Bush  
Better Bush

### Other Recommended Varieties

Big Pick  
Jack Pot  
Early Bush

### Yellow Fruited

Lemon Boy  
Yellow Pear

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