

Vegetable Varieties for Central Texas

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◆ Denotes heirloom varieties

ARTICHOKE Days to Harvest

◆Green Globe	>150
Imperial Star	>100

ASPARAGUS

UC 157	3 years
Jersey Giant	3 years
◆Mary Washington	3 years

ASIAN GREENS

Joi Choi	50
Komatsuna	50
Mei Qing Choi	45
Mizuna	40
Tatsoi	45

BEANS, GREEN

Bush

◆Contender	55
Derby	57
◆Dwarf Horticultural (pinto)	68
Maxibel	55
Provider	50
Roma II	53

Pole

◆Garden of Eden	65
◆Kentucky Wonder	65
◆Louisiana Purple Pod	75
◆McCaslan	61

BEANS, FAVA

◆Broad Windsor	85
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BEANS, LIMA

Bush

◆Dixie Butterpea	76
Fordhook 242	72
◆Henderson Bush	65
◆Jackson Wonder	65

Pole

◆Christmas	88
◆Florida Speckled	75-80
◆King of the Garden	85-90

BEETS

◆Bull's Blood	60
◆Chioggia	55
◆Cylindra	56
◆Detroit Dark Red	60
Golden	55
Red Ace	54
Ruby Queen	55

BROCCOLI (transplants)

Arcadia	65
◆Calabrese	85
Green Magic	80-85
Gypsy	58
Packman	55

BRUSSELS SPROUTS (transplants)

Churchill	90
Diablo	110
◆Long Island Improved	90

CABBAGE (transplants)

Bilko (Chinese)	60-65
◆Early Jersey Wakefield	62
Famosa (savoy)	75
Fast Vantage	55
◆Michihili (Chinese)	78
Red Express	63
Tendersweet	71

CANTALOUPE (Muskmelon)

Ambrosia	86
◆Hale's Best	82

CARROTS

◆Chantenay Red Core	65
Danvers 126	75
Mokum	54
Nelson	56
◆Scarlet Nantes	70

CAULIFLOWER (transplants)

Cheddar (orange)	68
Graffiti (purple)	75
Snow Crown	50
Snowball Y	68
Veronica (green)	78

CELERY

Tango	80-85
Utah 52-70	90-100

CHARD, SWISS

Bright Lights	60
◆Fordhook	55
◆Rhubarb Red	55

COLLARDS

Champion	75
◆Georgia Southern	75

CORN

Ambrosia (se)	75
◆Country Gentleman (OP)	90
Kandy Korn (se)	89
Luscious (se)	75
Silver Queen (su)	90

CUCUMBER

Pickling

Calypso	53
Carolina	49
Eureka	56
Homemade Pickles	55-60

Slicing

Diva	58
General Lee	55
Salad Bush	57
Straight Eight	63
◆Suyo Long	61
Sweet Slice	62
Tasty Green	60

EGGPLANT (transplants)

◆Black Beauty	74
Nadia	70
◆Ping Tung Long	65
◆Rosa Bianca	75-80

GARLIC

California Early	8-9 months
Creole Red	8-9 months
Lorz Italian	8-9 months

GREENS, SPECIALTY

Cool Season

Arugula	40
Corn Salad/Mache	50
Radicchio Red Preco	60

Warm Season

Lambsquarter	40
Malabar Spinach	55
Molokhia	60
New Zealand Spinach	70
Vegetable Amaranth	50

KALE

◆Dwarf Blue Curled	55
◆Red Russian	60
◆Scarlet	70
◆Toscano (Dino Kale)	65
Winterbor	60

KOHLRABI

◆Early Purple Vienna	55-60
◆Early White Vienna	55-60
Kolibri	48-50

LEEKS (transplants)

American Flag	130
King Richard	75
Lancelot	100

LETTUCE*Leaf & Bibb*

◆Black Seeded Simpson	40
Buttercrunch	65
Lollo Rossa	53
New Red Fire	55
◆Salad Bowl	48

Romaine

Jericho	57
◆Parris Island Cos	70
◆Rouge d'Hiver	60
Winter Density	54

MUSTARD

◆Osaka Purple	40
◆Red Giant	45
◆Southern Giant	60

OKRA

Burgundy	60
◆Clemson Spineless	56
Emerald	58
◆Hill Country Red	65
Stewart's Zeebest	55-60

ONION*Bulbing (transplants)*

1015Y TX Supersweet	110
Candy	125
Southern Belle (Red)	110
White Bermuda	95
Yellow Granex	100

Green/bunching

Evergreen White	65
◆Multiplier	Perennial

PEAS, GARDEN*English*

◆Little Marvel	62
Wando	68-70

Snap

Cascadia	58
Sugar Ann	55
Super Sugar Snap	60

Snow

◆Dwarf Grey Sugar	60
Oregon Sugar Pod	65

PEAS, SOUTHERN

California Blackeye #5	60
Mississippi Silver	65
Pinkeye Purple Hull	65
Zipper Cream	65-70

Yard Long/Asparagus Bean

Liana	72
◆Red Noodle	85

PEPPER (transplants)*Hot*

Anaheim	75-80
◆Cayenne, Long Red	75-80
Habanero	75-90
Hungarian Wax	70
Poblano	75-80
Serrano	70
◆Tabasco	80

Jalapeño

Garden Salsa	73
Mucho Nacho	68
TAM Mild	65-70

Sweet

Big Bertha	70
Blushing Beauty	70
California Wonder	75
Carmen	75
Cubanelle	68
Gypsy	65
◆Marconi	80
Pimento L	78
◆Sweet Banana	65

POTATOES

Kennebec (white)	75-100
Red La Soda	75-100
Red Pontiac	70-100
Yukon Gold	65-75

Fingerling

◆Austrian Crescent	65-75
◆Russian Banana	65-75

POTATOES, SWEET

Beauregard	120-140
Centennial	120-140
Georgia Jet	120-140

PUMPKIN

◆Connecticut Field	105
Jack-B-Little	90
Orange Smoothie	90
◆Small Sugar	110

RADISH

Champion	28
Easter Egg	30
◆French Breakfast	25
◆Chinese Red Meat	60
◆White Icicle	30
<i>Daikon</i>	
◆Miyashige	50
Summer Cross	60

SPINACH

◆Bloomsdale (savoy)	45
Space (smooth)	40
Tyee (semi-savoy)	45

SQUASH, SUMMER*Patty Pan*

◆Benning's Green Tint	55
Sunburst	52
◆White Bush Scallop	47

Yellow

Butterstick	50
◆Dixie Crookneck	45-50
Multipik	50
Zephyr	54

Zucchini

◆Black Beauty	45
◆Costata Romanesco	52
Eight Ball	40
Raven	48-50
◆Tatume	55-60

SQUASH, WINTER

Bon Bon Buttercup	95
Small Wonder Spaghetti	80
Sunshine Kabocha	95
◆Table Queen Acorn	80
Waltham Butternut	95-100

Specialty

Carnival	95
◆Delicata	98
Sweet Dumpling	100

TOMATOES (transplants)

D=Determinate, I=Indeterminate

Standard

Big Beef (I)	73
◆Black Krim (I)	75
Celebrity (Semi-det)	70
◆Cherokee Purple (I)	72
Early Girl (I)	57
◆Jaune Flammé (I)	70-85
Tycoon (D)	65-70
◆Stupice (I)	60-65

Cherry

Black Cherry (I)	75
Juliet (I)	62
Sun Gold (I)	65
Sweet Baby Girl (I)	65
Sweet 100 (I)	60
◆Yellow Pear (I)	78

Paste

Roma (D)	78
Viva Italia (D)	72

TURNIPS

Hakurei	38
◆Purple Top White Globe	55
◆Seven Top (greens only)	45
Tokyo Cross	35

WATERMELON

Black Diamond	90
Crimson Sweet	85
Jubilee	95
Mickylee	78
◆Moon and Stars	105
◆Sugar Baby	77