## 2016 PESTICIDE APPLICATION RECORD

Location	Location of Application			Pesticide Product Used			Mixture Recipe per Product Label		Total	Date (M/D/Y) & Time (am/.pm)		
Farm Name & Address; City or Township; and County of Application	Field Name Sitio Aplicado	Acres Treated/ Tratado	Crop Treated Cosech Tratado	Brand Name of Pesticide Nombre del Pesticida	EPA Registration Number  Numero de Registracion EPA	Active Ingredient(s) Ingrediente Acitvo	Amount of Pesticide Concentrate used before mixing*	Total Diluent Candidad Usada	Volume Applied Total Volumen Aplicar	Date/Time Application Completed Fecha y Hora de la Aplicacion	Date/Time of Reentry Fecha y Hora de Reentrada	Applicator Full Name/ Pesticide License or Handler Number

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New Jersey regulations require growers [private applicators] to maintain records of **all applications** of pesticides (both general and restricted use) for 3 years. All records should be recorded in writing as soon as possible, but no later than 24 hours. These records must be made available to the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection and medical personnel (for emergencies) upon request.

Below is an example using a one-page format for keeping your records. The most current version can be found on the Rutgers Pest Management Office website at www.pestmanagement.rutgers.edu/PAT/record\_forms.htm. You can use your own recordkeeping format as long as you include all of the information required by State regulations (NJAC 7:30-8.8 Records). If you don't include it as part of your application record, keep a separate list of handlers working under the private applicator's supervision.

The crop/field designation must be specific. *For example-* assign a number to each field, or the parts of a field planted to different crops, or the parts of a field planted to the same crop in a different growth stage. Then use this number on the application record for each application to that specific location. For all pesticides having a reentry time, enter the date and the hour hat the application was <u>completed</u>.

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XYZ Farm 1234 Farm Road; Agriville; Cumberland County	G-11	8	Tomatoes	Vydate L	352-372	Oxamyl	12 qts.	400 gal	400 gal	6/15/12- 9:30 a.m.	6/17/12- 9:30 a.m.	John Smith C080569

## PESTICIDE REGISTRATION NUMBERS

Use the space below to list the pesticides that you use and their EPA registration numbers. These numbers are printed on the label

the label.	EPA		
Pesticide*	Registration No.*	Active Ingredient <sup>*</sup>	Formulation
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Example: Rally	62719-410	myclobutanil 40%	40 WSP
Kany	02/19-410	myciobutann 4076	40 W SF

In New Jersey, a form listing all pesticides stored on site must be sent each year to your local Fire Department with an explanatory cover letter. It must include a description or diagram of the exact location of the storage area. See <a href="https://www.pestmanagement.rutgers.edu/PAT/record\_forms.htm">www.pestmanagement.rutgers.edu/PAT/record\_forms.htm</a> for template

# **VEGETABLE SEED SIZES**

Table R-1. Vegetable Seed Sizes<sup>1</sup>

Crop	Seeds/Unit Weight	Crop	Seeds/Unit Weight
Asparagus	13,000-20,000/lb	Mustard	15,000-17,000/oz
Beans: baby lima	1,150-1,450/lb	Okra	450-550/oz
fordhook	440-550/lb	Onions: bulb	105,000-144,000/lb
snap	1,600-2,200/lb	bunching	180,000-200,000/lb
Beets	24,000-26,000/lb	Parsnips	7,500-12,000/oz
Broccoli	8,500-9,000/oz	Parsley	240,000-288,000/lb
Brussels sprouts	8,500-9,000/oz	Peas	1,440-2,580/lb
Cabbage	8,500-9,000/oz	Peppers	4,000-4,700/oz
Carrots	300,000-400,000/lb	Pumpkins	1,900-3,200/lb
Cauliflower	8,900-10,000/oz	Radishes	40,000-50,000/lb
Celery	60,000-72,000/oz	Rutabaga	150,000-192,000/lb
Collards	7,500-8,500/oz	Spinach	25,000-50,000/lb
Cucumbers	15,000-16,000/lb	Squash: summer	3,500-4,800/lb
Eggplants	6,000-6,500/oz	winter	1,600-4,000/lb
Endive, escarole	22,000-26,000/oz	Sweet corn: normal, sugary en	lhanced 1,800-2,500/lb
Kale	7,500-8,900/oz	Super sweet (Sh)	3,000-5,000/lb
Leeks	170,000-180,000/lb	Tomatoes: fresh	10,000-11,400/oz
Lettuce: head	20,000-25,000/oz	processing	160,000-190,000/lb
leaf	25,000-31,000/oz	Watermelons: small seed	8,000-10,400/lb
Muskmelons	16,000-19,000/lb	large seed	3,200-4,800/lb

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Use this table to estimate your seed requirements. Varieties and seed lots can differ in seed size. Check with your seed supplier and the label on the container for more precise information.

# PLANT SPACINGS AND POPULATIONS

Table R-2. Population of Plants per Acre at Several Between-Row and In-Row Spacings

Inches								· D					
between Rows Inches Apart in Row													
	2	4	6	8	10	12	14	16	18	24	30	36	48
7	448,046	224,023	149,349	112,011	89,609	74,674	64,006						
12	261,360	130,680	87,120	65,340	52,272	43,560	37,337	32,670	29,040	21,780	17,424	14,520	10,890
18	174,240	87,120	58,080	43,560	34,848	29,040	24,891	21,780	19,360	14,520	11,616	9,680	7,260
21	149,349	74,674	49,783	37,337	29,870	24,891	21,336	18,669	16,594	12,446	9,957	8,297	6,223
24	130,680	65,340	43,560	32,670	26,136	21,780	18,669	16,335	14,520	10,890	8,712	7,260	5,445
30	104,544	52,272	34,848	26,136	20,909	17,424	14,935	13,068	11,616	8,712	6,970	5,808	4,356
36 (3 ft)	87,120	43,560	29,040	21,780	17,424	14,520	12,446	10,890	9,680	7,260	5,808	4,840	3,630
42 (3½ ft)	74,674	37,337	24,891	18,669	14,934	12,446	10,668	9,334	8,297	6,223	4,978	4,149	3,111
48 (4 ft)	65,340	32,670	21,780	16,335	13,068	10,890	9,334	8,167	7,260	5,445	4,356	3,630	2,722
60 (5 ft)			17,424	13,068	10,454	8,712	7,467	6,534	5,808	4,356	3,485	2,904	2,178
72 (6 ft)			14,520	10,890	8,712	7,260	6,223	5,445	4,840	3,630	2,904	2,420	1,815
84 (7 ft)			12,446	9,334	7,467	6,223	5,334	4,667	4,149	3,111	2,489	2,074	1,556
96 (8 ft)			10,890	8,167	6,534	5,445	4,667	4,084	3,630	2,722	2,178	1,815	1,361

### PLANT GROWING MIX

Making a Plant-Growing Mix. Many pre-mixed growing media products suitable for conventional and organic production are available commercially. A good, lightweight, disease-free, plant-growing material can also be made from a mixture of peat and vermiculite. A formula for a very simple mix for conventional production is given in Table R-4, but a preferred formulation is shown in Table R-5. If plants are to be grown in a mix longer than 8 weeks, use the formula in Table R-5. Organic growing media differ from conventional media because all components used must be allowable under organic production standards. When mixing your own formulation it is important to verify with your certifier that the materials you are using will not compromise your certification. For more information on organic growing media including several formulations can be found in:

- Potting Media and Plant Propagation <a href="http://extension.psu.edu/start-farming/vegetables/potting-media-and-plant-propagation">http://extension.psu.edu/start-farming/vegetables/potting-media-and-plant-propagation</a>
- Potting Mixes for Certified Organic Production <a href="https://attra.ncat.org/attra-pub/viewhtml.php?id=47">https://attra.ncat.org/attra-pub/viewhtml.php?id=47</a>
- Organic Potting Mix Basics http://www.extension.org/pages/20982/organic-potting-mix-basics

Table R-4. Simple Plant-Growing Mix

Table R 4. Shilpte I ia						
	Cubic Yard					
Materials	(22 Bushels)	- 2	2 Bushels			
Shredded sphagnum peat moss	11 bu	1 b	u (10	gal)		
No. 2, 3, or 4 domestic or						
African vermiculite <sup>1</sup> or	11 bu	1 b	u (10	gal)		
horticultural grade (dust-screened)						
Pulverized limestone						
use dolomitic lime for mixes						
made with domestic vermiculite	10 lb	1	lb	$(1\frac{1}{4})$		
cups)						
or						
use calcitic lime mixes made						
with African vermiculite	6 lb	9	oz	(3/4		
cup)						
Superphosphate (20% P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub> ) or	2½ lb	4 o	z (½	cup)		
Triple superphosphate (46% P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub> )	11/4 lb	2 oz (1/4 cup)				
Fertilizer (5-10-10)	5 lb 8 oz (1 cup)					

Vermiculite should be pea-sized and relatively free of fines and dust. Final mix should have a pH of 6.0-6.5.

Table R-5. Preferred Plant-Growing Mix

	Cubic Yard	[
Materials	(22 Bushels)	2 Bushels
Shredded sphagnum peat moss	11 bu	1 bu (10 gal)
No. 2, 3, or 4 domestic vermiculite <sup>1</sup>	11 bu	1 bu (10 gal)
or horticultural grade		
(dust-screened)		
or		
African vermiculite <sup>1</sup>	11 bu	1 bu (10 gal)
Pulverized limestone		
use dolomitic lime for mixes		
made with domestic vermiculite	10 lb	1 lb (1½ cups)
or		
use calcitic lime mixes made		
with African vermiculite	6 lb	9 oz (3/4 cup)
Superphosphate (20% P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub> ) or	2½ lb	4 oz (½ cup)
Triple superphosphate (46% P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub> )	11/4 lb	2 oz (1/4 cup)
Sulfate or muriate of potash	½ lb	1 oz (2 tbs)
(50%-60% K <sub>2</sub> O)		
Osmocote <sup>2</sup> (18-6-12)		
Tomatoes	4 lb	6 oz (3/4 cup)
Eggplants	8 lb	12 oz (1½ cups)
Peppers	8 lb	12 oz (1½ cups)
Micronutrient mix Use accordi	ng to mfgr.'s re	commendations
Wetting agent (such as	1½ pt	1 oz (4 tbs)
Aqua-Gro granular)		

Vermiculite should be approximately pea-sized and relatively free of fines and dust. Final mix should have a pH of 6.0-6.5.

Regardless of which formula is chosen, unless good mixing procedures are used, the results will be less than optimal. For best mixing, use a horizontal-type paddle mixer that folds or blends the components, such as lime and fertilizer, evenly throughout the mix. With tilted or other types of mixers, the components tend to segregate or separate out, resulting in erratic performance of the mix.

Good procedures to follow when preparing a mix are:

- 1. Use a respirator to prevent inhalation of dust when mixing peat, vermiculite and additives.
- 2. For small quantities of mix preparation--1 cubic yard or less--place 4 to 5 inches of vermiculite in the bottom of a 5-gallon pail. Add all the additives (lime, fertilizer, micronutrient, etc.) to the vermiculite in the pail and mix thoroughly.
- 3. Fluff the recommended amount of peat. Start mixer and begin blending the peat.
- 4. While blending, add water according to the dampness of the peat. You will need approximately 1 gallon of water per bushel of peat in the mix.
- 5. While blending, slowly pour the additives, which you have already mixed thoroughly with a small amount of vermiculite, into the mixer and blend for 3 to 5 minutes.

**Notes.** Good results for growing lettuce and cabbage transplants have been obtained by diluting this mix with an equal part of sand.

This mix will only get the seedlings up. Supplemental fertilizing will be needed to grow plants to transplant size. About 3 weeks after seeding, begin liquid fertilizing the plants with a soluble fertilizer, such as a 20-20-20, at the rate of 2-3 teaspoons per gallon of water. This rate should be applied at least weekly. More frequent applications may be desirable.

Osmocote is a slow-release fertilizer. Use a formula that will release nutrients over a period of 8 to 9 months. Therefore, mixes should be made just prior to seeding. Plants grown in mixes containing Osmocote must be carefully watered and the temperature carefully controlled prior to field planting. Reduced rates are suggested to control plant height when using small cells.

## PLANT GROWING MIX (CONTINUED)

6. Add the recommended amount of vermiculite after the other ingredients and blend for 1 minute or less, depending on the consistency of the vermiculite. It should be mixed thoroughly without breaking down. Soon after mixing, use the mix for growing your plants. It is not a good practice to stockpile the mix in large piles for long periods of time.

7. Read all labels of the ingredients used, and heed all warnings that may be marked on the labels or bags.

### **PUBLICATION RESOURCES**

The following publications are suggested for agents, growers, agriculture-industry representatives, and others who desire more detailed information on specific crops or production practices.

#### **General Texts and Handbooks**

Holcomb, E.J., editor. 1994. *Bedding Plants IV*. 516 pages. Fourth edition. Pennsylvania Flower Growers, Ball Publishing Co., P.O. Box 9, Batavia, IL 60510-0009. A manual on the culture of bedding plants as a greenhouse crop.

Uva, Richard H., Joseph C. Neal and Joseph M. DiTomaso, 1997; *Weeds of the Northeast;* 416 pages, Cornell University Press, 750 Cascadilla St., Ithaca, NY 14851. Comprehensive handbook for identifying 299 common and economically important weeds. 46 color photos and 118 drawings.

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Decoteau, D. R. 2000. *Vegetable Crops*, Prentice-Hall, Upper Saddle River, NJ, 464 pp.

Jones, J. Benton Jr. 2005. *Hydroponics: A Practical Guide for the Soilless Grower*, CRC Press, Boca Raton, FL, 423 pp.

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Monaco, T. J., Weller, S. C., and Ashton, F. M. 2002. *Weed Science: Principles and Practices, 4<sup>th</sup> Edition*, John Wiley & Sons, New York, NY, 669 pp.

Naylor, R. E. 2002. Weed Management Handbook, 9<sup>th</sup> Edition, Blackwell Publishers, Oxford, UK, 423 pp.

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Rubatzky, V. E. and Yamaguchi, M. 1997. *World Vegetables: Principles, Production, and Nutritive Values*, Chapman and Hall, New York, NY, 843 pp.

Singh, H. P., Batish, D. R., and Kohli, R. K. 2005. *Handbook of Sustainable Weed Management*, Food Prod. Press, New York, NY, 892 pp.

Snowdon, A. L. 1990. *Color Atlas of Post-Harvest Diseases and Disorders Vol. 2: Vegetables*, CRC Press, Inc., Boca Raton, FL, 416 pp.

Van Emden, H. F. and Service, M. W. 2004. *Pest and Vector Control*, Cambridge University Press, Cambridge, UK, 349 pp.

#### Publications from Universities, USDA, Societies, and Commercial Companies

Compendium of Bean Diseases, Compendium of Beet Diseases and Insects, Compendium of Brassica Diseases, Compendium of Corn Diseases, Compendium of Cucurbit Diseases, Compendium of Lettuce Diseases, Compendium of Pea Diseases, Compendium of Pepper Diseases, Compendium of Potato Diseases, Compendium of Sweet Potato Diseases, of Tomato Diseases, Compendium Compendium Umbelliferous Crop Diseases Compendium of Onion and Garlic Diseases and Pests. Compendium of Strawberry Diseases, Second Edition, Diseases, Pests, and Beneficial Organisms of Strawberry, Raspberry, and Blueberry, Tomato Diseases: A Color Handbook, Second Edition, Postharvest Biology and Technology of Fruits, Vegetables, and Flowers, Color Atlas of Postharvest Quality of Fruits and Vegetables, A Colour Atlas of Diseases of Lettuce and Related Salad Crops, Vegetable Diseases: A Colour Handbook, Available from APS Press, The American Phytopathological Society, 3340 Pilot Knob Road, St. Paul, MN 55121.

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## FREQUENTLY USED WEIGHTS & MEASURES

Table R-3. Frequently Used Weights and Measures and Approximate Metric Equivalents

	L	iquid		Dry						
Pint	Liters	Gallons	Liters	Ounces	Grams	Pounds	Kilograms			
0.5	0.24	1	3.8	0.25	7.1	1	0.5			
1.0	0.47	2	7.6	0.50	14.2	2	0.9			
1.5	0.71	3	11.4	0.75	21.3	3	1.4			
2.0	0.95	4	15.1	1.0	28.4	4	1.8			
2.5	1.18	5	18.9	2.0	56.7	5	2.3			
3.0	1.42	6	22.7	3.0	85.0	6	2.7			
3.5	1.65	7	26.5	4.0	113.4	7	3.2			
4.0	1.90	8	30.3	5.0	141.7	8	3.6			
4.5	2.13	9	34.1	10.0	283.5	9	4.1			
5.0	2.37	10	37.9	16.0	453.6	10	4.5			

### Length and Area

1 square mile = 1 square yard = 1 square foot =	<ul> <li>0.405 hectares</li> <li>2.39 square kilometers</li> <li>0.836 square meters</li> <li>0.0929 square meters</li> <li>6.45 square centimeters</li> </ul>	1 inch = 2.54 centimeters 1 foot = 30.3 centimeters 1 yard = 0.914 meters 1 mile = 1.61 kilometers
I square inch =	6.45 square centimeters	