

Products Professional

Sunshine Mix #1 / LC1

Mix #1 is, by far, our most versatile formulation expert growers choose for the production of a wide variety of crops.

Available Sizes

Available in 110 cu ft; loosefill totes; 55 cu ft; 3.8 cu ft; 2.8 cu ft loosefill.

Ingredients

Formulated with Canadian Sphagnum peat moss, coarse perlite, starter nutrient charge (with Gypsum), and dolomitic limestone.

Applications

Highly recommended for cutting propagation, bedding and vegetable plants, hanging baskets, pot crops and seed germination.





- melon- Ananas D' Amerique A Chair Verte (Green Fleshed Pineapple) This historic heirloom was grown by Thomas Jefferson in 1794. It was offered commercially in the USA in 1824, and it was illustrated in color in France in 1854 in the Vilmorin Album. This wonderful variety has become very rare.

The fruit have netted skin and light green flesh that is firm, sweet and highly perfumed. Productive plants can be trained up a trellis



MONTREAL MARKET (1870s)

Montreal Market (1870s) (a.k.a. Montreal Melon, Montreal Nutmeg) Although W. Atlee Burpee discovered this melon in 1880 at the St. Anne's Market in Montreal, the melon had been grown many years prior to this in the Montreal area. The melon's roots can be traced back to the early French settlers. The melons that they brought to Montreal were crossed with many types over the years, including the Cavaillon Melon and the Giant Green Nutmeg and by the 1870's the Montreal Melon had become the large and flavorful variety that made it so famous. The Montreal Melon

was widely grown on the western edge of Montreal, between the St. Lawrence River and Mount Royal. This area was a microclimate that allowed the melons to grow to their full potential. There were many families in this area that grew the Montreal Melon, each family's strain was slightly different. There were two main strains, the Decarie Family Strain and the Gorman Family Strain. The Decarie Strain was large and round; the Gorman strain was more oval. Both had exquisite taste. Montreal Market Melons were shipped as far away as New York and sold for top dollars at fancy restaurants. It became the most popular melon in Canada and New England. It remained popular for decades but after the Second World War it began to disappear. After the 1920's, the melon farms and the rich agricultural land began to be replaced by urban expansion. The Montreal Market Melon almost became extinct. It was thought lost until a few very old seeds were found in a seed bank maintained by the U.S. Department of Agriculture in 1995. From these few seeds the Montreal Market Melon was saved from the brink of extinction. Montreal Market melons can grow up to 10 lbs. under optimum conditions but most of mine were much smaller, averaging about 4-5 lbs. The flesh is green and very delicious if picked at its prime. A very productive strain that matures quite early for a melon of this size. (85 days)

Grow-A-Row Squash Workshop

Seedlings Started 04/04/2011
Sunshine Mix # 1, with dolomite

Common Name: 'Delicata' (Sweet Potato) Squash

Product Code: 5672

Description: Short vines produce fruit about 15-20 cm (6-8") long and 9 cm (3.5") in diameter that are cream coloured with attractive thin green stripes. Delicata has very sweet orange flesh and is excellent for stuffing and baking. A good winter keeper.

Days to Emergence: 7

Light: Full Sun

Growth Habit: Creeping

Height: Medium Tall (30 to 70 cm)

Frost Tolerance: Killed by Frost

Days to Harvest: 100

Degree of Difficulty: Easy

Heritage: Open Pollinated

Category: **Vegetables**

↳ SQUASH

↳ WINTER SQUASH

Family Name: Cucurbitaceae



Waltham Butternut Winter Squash

Thick, straight necks

95 days. Exceptional yields and better flavour than other butternuts. Fruits grow 9-10 in. long, weigh 1.36 to 1.8 kg and bake up great. Dry, solid orange flesh. Approx. 25 seeds per packet.



Table Queen Acorn Winter Squash

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Description

Table Queen Acorn (*Cucurbita pepo*)

80 days — Table Queen is a green-shelled variety that resembles an acorn in shape. They are about six inches in diameter at maturity. Very prolific, a good keeper, and great for cutting in half and baking. Introduced by the Iowa Seed Company in 1913. Vining. Each packet contains three grams, which is approximately 30 seeds.



Small Sugar

C. pepo

Small sugar pumpkins are round and slightly ribbed, 18cm (7") diameter, bright-orange pumpkins have the finest sweet flavour and texture for pies and casseroles.

Matures in 110 days. (*open pollinated seeds*)



Squash, Summer, Early Golden Crookneck

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Meaty fruits with small crookneck have bright yellow, bumpy skin. Delicious flavor and fine texture. Ready to harvest about 53 days after seed is planted. GARDEN HINTS: Use when fruits are young and tender. Fertilize when fruits form to increase yield. Cultivate or mulch to control weeds.

Product Details

Sun: Full Sun

Sowing Method: Direct Sow

Days to Maturity: 53 days

Height: 24-30 inches

Spread: 18 inches

Thinning: 18 inches



Ronde de Nice

A round **FRENCH HEIRLOOM** zucchini, grown for generations. The succulent, tender flesh is at its peak while the fruits are still less than 7.5cm (3") in diameter, or grow the fruits on to be hollowed out and stuffed for an interesting summer side dish. The flesh of this zucchini is so tender that the fruits are prone to bruising, which is why it doesn't turn up in grocery stores. It is however, perfect for the home vegetable garden.

Matures in 60 days. (*open pollinated seeds*)

Orangeglo Watermelons pk/20



90 days. *Citrullus lanatus*. Plant produces good yields of large 30 lb watermelons. This is one of the best orange flesh watermelons on the market. It has solid deep orange flesh that is very crisp, very sweet, and very flavorful. Vines are vigorous and produce heavy yields of watermelons that have light green and dark green stripes. Excellent choice for home gardeners and market growers. Try growing pink, red, white, and yellow watermelons to make a great tasting watermelon salad. pk/20

Dark Green Zucchini 20 seeds

472.2-Dark Green Zucchini. *Cucurbita pepo*. Excels in producing good quantities of straight, marketable fruits. A reliable, open pollinated variety that, under favorable conditions, high yields. Days to maturity:50 days 20 seeds.



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