



MILLER GREENHOUSES INC

SPRING PLANT GUIDE

PLANT: **VEG: GREEN SQUASH**

WIDTH **2-3 FT**

HEIGHT **10-12 INCHES**

TYPE **VEGETABLE**

COLORS AVAILABLE: **NA**

General Growing Requirements

When planted in the ground **FULL SUN**

Soil Moisture **average**

Type of Soil **loomy**

Plant Food **Very little feed**

Growing Habit **trailing**

SPACING: **36 INCHES**

COMMON PESTS OR PROBLEMS **CUCUMBER BEETLES, SQUASH BUG, SQUASH VINE BORER, BLOSSOM END ROT**

SPECIAL CONSIDERATIONS

- Deer resistance Attracts Butterflies + Hummingbirds
 Drought tolerant

We grow this plant in

- market pack
 3.5 inch Pots
 4 inch pots
 6-8 inch pot
 10-12" Hanging Baskets
 Combination Containers

Recommended uses for this Plant

- Plant in ground Plant in window box
 plant in large container
 Plant in Hanging Baskets

GROWER'S COMMENTS AND GENERAL INFORMATION

Squash is a seasonal vegetable. It is very susceptible to frost and heat damage, but with proper care it will produce a bumper crop with very few plants.

There are many varieties of summer squash to choose from, including zucchini. The main difference between winter and summer varieties is their harvest time; the longer growing period gives winter squash a tougher, inedible skin.

If your zucchini blooms flowers but never bears actual zucchini, or it bears fruit that stops growing when it's very small, then it's a pollination issue. Most squashes have separate male and female flowers on the same plant. To produce fruit, pollen from male flowers must be physically transferred to the female flowers by bees. If you do not have enough bees, you can manually pollinate with a Q-tip—or, add nearby plants that attract bees!