



# MILLER GREENHOUSES INC

## SPRING PLANT GUIDE

PLANT:

**VEG: CANTALOUPE**

WIDTH 24-36 INCHES

HEIGHT 12 INCHES

TYPE VEGETABLE

COLORS AVAILABLE: NA

### General Growing Requirments

When planted in the ground FULL SUN"

Soil Moisture average

Type of Soil loomy

Plant Food Moderate feed good quality plant food on regular basis

Growing Habit spreading

SPACING: 2-3 FEET

COMMON PESTS OR PROBLEMS APHIDS, CUCUMBER BEETLES

### SPECIAL CONSIDERATIONS

- Deer resistance     Attracts Butterflies + Hummingbirds  
 Drought tolorant

#### 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

What we commonly refer to as 'cantaloupe' is actually not true cantaloupe, rather, a type of muskmelon. (True cantaloupe has a rough, warty rind and is not widely grown or commercially available in the US.) Muskmelons are a heat-loving fruit with a long growing season. Their cultural and growing requirements are very similar to other melons. They have a net-like, tan rind, and sweet orange flesh. The names muskmelon and cantaloupe are used interchangeably. We will use the name cantaloupe for this page to avoid confusion.