

# North Dakota Home Garden Variety Trials 2026



# Join Us!

North Dakota State University (NDSU) is looking for gardeners to help evaluate vegetable and flower varieties. We'll work together to discover which varieties grow best for us in North Dakota.

## Who Can Participate?

Everyone! This includes all commercial growers and backyard gardeners.

We have formed a team of over 1,000 families during the past few years, making this one of the largest agricultural research networks in America. We focus on working with gardeners in North Dakota but will work with gardeners living near the border in adjacent states/provinces.

## Is It Hard to Participate?

NDSU is not looking for complicated data. For each trial, we simply wish to know which of the two varieties germinated best, was most healthy, matured earlier, produced the highest yield, and produced the finest quality food/flower.

We wish to know which of the two varieties you prefer and which of the two varieties you recommend to other gardeners. See page 12 for an example of a completed evaluation form.

## Selecting Trials

Each trial has two varieties and households must grow and evaluate both varieties.

Households may select up to eight trials. All efforts will be made to give the gardeners their preferred trials, but seed supplies are limited. Gardeners will have the option to select alternate trials in case their first selections are not available.

You may order seeds online at [ndsu.ag/gardentrials/](http://ndsu.ag/gardentrials/). Another option is to fill out the order form on page 14 and

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mail it with your payment.

Shipping costs may be waived if seeds are picked up at the NDSU Extension West District office, 2005 N. Kavaney Drive in Bismarck. You will be contacted when seeds are ready to be picked up.

## Our Agreement

This project is a **research program**, not a seed store. **Gardeners must agree to manage their seeds in a responsible manner and report their results to NDSU.** For our part, we have made the trials simple and fun!

Gardeners will receive seed packets sufficient to plant a 10-foot row of each variety. Row labels and evaluation sheets will also be mailed.

We use 10 feet as our guide to get a fair look at a variety. Persons with small gardens or container gardens may participate but are asked to give a fair look of each variety.

**Let's discover which varieties grow best for us in North Dakota.**

## BUSH BEAN



### 1. Popular Green

#### *Bush Blue Lake 274*

56 days. The standard for quality. Pods are medium green and stringless. Dependable yields.

#### *Provider*

50 days. Easy to grow and early ripening. Plants tolerate cool soils and harsh climate conditions. Purple seeds.

75 seeds each



### 2. Organic Green

#### *Jade*

53 days. Popular for its deep-green, long, flavorful, tender pods. Large, upright plants keep pods clean. Reliable, high yields.

#### *Red Tail*

55 days. Tall, upright plants produce incredible yields. Pods are dark green, shiny and straight.

75 seeds each



### 3. Concentrated-Harvest Green

#### *Affirmed*

56 days. Easy-to-pick plants produce concentrated sets of glossy, dark green pods.

#### *Strike*

55 days. Slender, smooth pods are delicious and easy to harvest. Big yields. Popular with growers.

75 seeds each



### 4. Yellow

#### *Custard*

55 days. Slender, bright yellow pods are produced continuously. Delicious. A proven performer. Also called SV1003GF.

#### *Gold Mine*

53 days. Vigorous, upright plants produce heavy yields of high quality, straight, smooth pods.

75 seeds each

## BROCCOLI



### 6. Head

#### *Green Magic*

58 days. Smooth, well-domed, attractive heads. Compact plants tolerate heat.

#### *Monty*

57 days. Excellent tolerance to heat and tough conditions. Bright green, attractive heads.

50 seeds each



### 7. Sprouting

#### *Happy Rich*

27 days. Vigorous plants rapidly produce lots of delicious florets. Tolerates heat.

#### *Sidekick*

41 days. Large, upright plants produce an abundance of sweet side-shoots for over a month.

60 seeds each

## BEET



### 5. Red

#### *Red Cloud*

55 days. Beets are very sweet, smooth, and rich red with no zoning. Strong tops.

#### *Shrute*

60 days. Attractive, flavorful, globular roots with smooth skin and strong tops. Named for the beet farmer on *The Office* TV show.

200 seeds each

## CABBAGE



### 8. Small Globe

#### *Katarina*

48 days. Small, light-green heads grow 2.5–3.0 pounds. Very sweet and tender. For spring plantings.

#### *Tiara*

57 days. Small, light-green heads grow 2.5–3.0 pounds and 4.0–6.0 inches wide. Flavorful, crisp leaves and a small core.

50 seeds each



### 9. Small Pointed

#### *Caraflex*

68 days. Two-pound heads with good wrapper leaves and crunchy inner leaves. Sweet, mild flavor. For summer salads and dishes.

#### *Early Jersey Wakefield*

62 days. Light-green, 3-pound heads with few outer leaves. An heirloom famous for its flavor.

50 seeds each

## CARROT



### 12. Early

#### *Caravel*

58 days. Big roots with broad shoulders. Attractive, sweet and smooth carrots. Strong tops. A proven performer.

#### *Shin Kuroda*

58 days. Smooth, 4-inch roots are juicy, sweet and crunchy. Quick to bulk up. Strong, tall tops.

400 seeds each



### 13. Main Crop

#### *Candy*

65 days. Uniform, 7-inch roots are fast to bulk up. Adaptable to heavy, shallow soils. Excellent yield potential. Strong tops.

#### *Romance*

70 days. Dark orange, uniform, 7-inch roots. Flavor is consistently good. Sturdy tops.

400 seeds each



### 14. Bunching

#### *Orange Blaze*

70 days. Easy to grow and easy to harvest. Bright orange, 9-inch roots are very smooth.

#### *Sugarsnax 54*

68 days. Dark orange, slender, tapered roots grow 9–10 inches long. Sweet flavor and strong tops.

400 seeds each

## CORN (SUPER SWEET)



### 15T. Early Bicolor

#### *Awaken* (shA)

67 days. Very early. Seedlings show excellent vigor in cool soils. Large ears with good tip fill.

#### *Bolt* (shA)

67 days. Very delicious and very early. Tender, sweet and flavorful kernels. Good husks and tip fill.  
75 TREATED seeds each



### 16T. Midseason Bicolor

#### *Nirvana* (shA)

75 days. Big yields of high quality ears. Ears are filled to the tip and snap easily from sturdy stalks.

#### *Superb* (shA)

74 days. Improved seed quality for reliable stands and high yields. Thrives under tough conditions.  
75 TREATED seeds each



### 17T. Yellow

#### *Icon XR* (shA)

72 days. Long ears with exceptional eating quality. Tall stalks resist diseases.

#### *XTH11274* (shA)

74 days. Extra large ears with incredible flavor and tenderness. Seedlings grow vigorously.  
75 TREATED seeds each

## CUCUMBER



### 18. Slicing

#### *Bristol*

54 days. Slim, straight, high-quality fruits. Vigorous vines produce early and resist many diseases.

#### *Cobra*

60 days. Productive, disease-resistant vines. Dark green, straight, flavorful fruits.  
20 seeds each



### 19. Asian

#### *Tasty Green*

55 days. Deep-green, slender fruits with shallow ridges and small, white spines. Easy to grow, even under tough conditions.

#### *Tasty Jade*

55 days. Productive vines produce glossy, crisp, thin-skinned fruits with small seed cavities.  
20 seeds each



### 20. Pickling

#### *Homemade Pickles*

55 days. Vigorous, high yielding vines. Solid, crisp, medium-green fruits. Very popular among gardeners and a proven performer.

#### *Super Max*

55 days. Dark green, smooth and blocky fruits. Fruit quality is outstanding all summer.  
25 seeds each

## CANTALOUPE



### 10. Hybrid

#### *Hannah's Choice*

75 days. Very sweet, aromatic flavor. Ribbed, 4-pound fruits. Healthy, productive vines.

#### *Sugar Rush*

74 days. Outstanding flavor and sweetness. Firm, oval, 5-pound melons. Vines resist mildew.

20 seeds each



### 11. Open-Pollinated

#### *Dakota Sisters*

80 days. Deep-orange flesh is sweet, thick and aromatic. Developed in ND. Organic.

#### *Hales Best Jumbo*

75 days. Reliable heirloom. Oval fruits with thick walls and aromatic, sweet, juicy flesh.

20 seeds each

## EGGPLANT



### 21. Italian

#### *Gaudi*

70 days. Heavy yields of glossy fruits that maintain their color. Sturdy plants. Organic.

#### *Nigral*

70 days. Reliable yields of glossy, dark fruits. Spineless calyx makes it easy to harvest.

20 seeds each

## PEPPER



### 28. Green/Red Sweet

#### *Captain*

73 days. Blocky, dark green fruits reach extra-large and jumbo sizes. Well suited for gardens.

#### *Sailfish*

65 days. High quality, blocky fruits quickly turn to a beautiful, dark red color. Sturdy plants have good foliage cover.

20 seeds each



### 29. Green/Yellow Sweet

#### *Early Sunsation*

70 days. Large, blocky fruits have thick walls and sweet taste. Fruits mature to bright golden-yellow.

#### *SVPB8415*

73 days. Large, slightly elongated fruits turn golden yellow. Good yields on sturdy, vigorous, disease-resistant plants.

20 seeds each



### 30. Jalapeno Hot

#### *Megatron*

65 days. Very early. Extra-large, deep-green fruits have thick walls. Strong, compact plants.

#### *PS11435807*

70 days. Very large, medium-green fruits are produced continuously on disease-resistant plants. Good leaf canopy.

20 seeds each

## LETTUCE



### 22. Green Gem

#### *Gatsby*

52 days. Crinkly green leaves with a large frame and beautiful, blanched hearts. Vigorous growing. Tolerates heat.

#### *Newham*

52 days. Compact heads with an upright, vase-shaped habit. Proven performer. Slow to bolt.

100 pelleted seeds each



### 23. Green Summer Crisp

#### *Gordini*

50 days. New! Heavy heads with compact, upright form and deep green color. Resists tipburn and bolting.

#### *Muir*

50 days. Extremely tolerant to heat. Light-green, wavy, crisp leaves with excellent flavor.

100 pelleted seeds each



### 24. Red Leaf

#### *Ruby Sky*

58 days. Ruffled leaves with red-purple tips and green centers. Dense, uniform heads hold well in the garden. Very productive.

#### *Shirane Sky*

58 days. Dark red leaves. Heads are open yet compact. Slow to bolt and tolerates diseases.

100 pelleted seeds each



### 25. Red Summer Crisp

#### *Lovelock*

48 days. Bright green leaves with red tips. Heads are filled with sweet, juicy leaves. Tolerates heat.

#### *Pablo*

60 days. Loose, large, wavy green leaves with shiny red edges. Mild and sweet. Tolerates heat.

125 seeds each



### 26. Shelling

#### *Lincoln*

65 days. Good for freezing. Pods are filled with tender, flavorful peas. Grows 28 inches.

#### *Maxigolt*

65 days. Delicious and holds its sweetness well in the garden. Productive, 30-inch vines.

160 seeds each



### 27. Snap

#### *Sugar Ann*

58 days. Very early and reliable. The 27-inch vines produce sweet, crisp pods. Popular.

#### *Tendersweet*

65 days. Heavy yields of extra-large, stringless pods. Compact, vigorous vines grow 20 inches.

160 seeds each

## PEA

# PUMPKIN



## 31. Large

### *Kratos*

100 days. Medium-dark orange, 25-pound fruits with flat-round shape and thick handles. Strong vines with semi-bush habit.

### *Spartacus*

100 days. Dark orange, blocky, round, 20-pound fruits with ribs. Productive, semi-bush vines.  
15 seeds each



## 32. Extra-Large

### *Dynasty*

95 days. Dark orange, 40-pound fruits. Semi-bush, productive vines resist powdery mildew.

### *Summit*

95 days. Deep-orange, 35-pound fruits with bold ribs and dark handles. Semi-bush, productive vines resist powdery mildew.  
15 seeds each



## 33. Pie

### *New England Pie*

105 days. Classic. Dark orange, 5-pound fruits. Flesh is creamy with high dry matter. Long vines.

### *Winter Luxury*

105 days. Heirloom prized for its outstanding flavor and silky texture. Orange rind with unique, white netting. Long vines.  
15 seeds each

# SPINACH



## 34. Savoyed-Leaf

### *Sunangel*

40 days. Fast-growing with dark green, crinkly leaves. Plants are upright and tolerate heat well.

### *Tarsier*

43 days. Round, dark leaves. Upright, productive plants resist diseases and bolting.  
200 seeds each



## 35. Smooth-Leaf

### *Seaside*

46 days. Uniform, slow growth is ideal for baby leaves. Dark green, spade-shaped leaves.

### *Space*

43 days. Dependable variety for spring. Dark green, juicy leaves. Upright, strong growth.  
200 seeds each

# WATERMELON



## 46T. Red-Flesh

### *Sweetie Pie*

75 days. Round, 13-pound fruits have dark, shiny rinds. Flesh is sweet, juicy and slightly crunchy.

### *Top Gun*

80 days. Early ripening, slightly oblong, striped, 20-pound melons. Flesh is crisp and juicy.  
20 seeds each. Top Gun seeds may be treated.

## SUMMER SQUASH



### 36. Green Zucchini

#### *Renegade*

44 days. Early male flowers support early yields. Quality fruits. Open, productive vines.

#### *Salute*

40 days. New! Sturdy, open plants produce heavy yields of dark green fruits. Very early.  
20 seeds each



### 37. Yellow Straightneck

#### *Grandprize*

42 days. Glossy, deep yellow fruits. Upright, semi-open plants are nearly spineless and resist diseases. Heavy yields.

#### *Superpik*

50 days. Long, bright yellow fruits. The precocious yellow gene will mask green streaks caused by viruses. Vigorous, open plants.  
20 seeds each

## WINTER SQUASH



### 38. Acorn

#### *Autumn Delight*

80 days. High yields of uniform fruits with dark-green skin. Semi-bush vines tolerate mildew.

#### *Tiptop PMR*

92 days. Large fruits with good flavor. Vigorous, larger semi-bush vines resist powdery mildew.  
15 seeds each



### 39. Buttercup

#### *Autumn Cup*

95 days. Three-pound fruits with very sweet, deep-orange flesh. Semi-bush vines. Stores well.

#### *Bonbon*

95 days. Superior flavor, uniformity and yields on semi-bush vines. Five-pound fruits.  
15 seeds each



### 40. Butternut

#### *Block Party*

100 days. Disease-resistant vines produce abundant yields of blocky, flavorful, 4-pound fruits.

#### *Early Nutter*

85 days. Thick-necked fruits with beautiful beige skin and rich orange flesh. Vigorous vines.  
15 seeds each

# TOMATO



## 41. Red Slicing

### *Celebrity Plus*

78 days. An improved version of Celebrity with improved resistance to diseases and cracking. High-quality fruits. Determinate vines.

### *Rambler*

72 days. A high yielding, large-fruited, early slicer. Vines produce heavy sets of blemish-free, firm fruits. Determinate.

20 seeds each



## 42. Mountain Slicing

### *Mountain Man*

73 days. Determinate vines produce high yields of large, delicious fruits with a good balance of sweetness and acidity.

### *Mountain Merit*

75 days. Award winner with outstanding disease resistance, good flavor and high yields. Firm, deep-red fruits. Determinate.

20 seeds each



## 43. Purple Beefsteak

### *Cherokee Carbon*

75 days. New! A cross between Cherokee Purple and Carbon has led to ribbed, flavorful fruits, earlier maturity and higher yields.

### *Darkstar*

75 days. Fruits have a stunning purple color with brown hues and incredible flavor. Indeterminate, productive, disease-resistant vines.

20 seeds each



## 44. Gold Cherry

### *Sungold*

60 days. Tangerine-orange fruits with very sweet, fruity flavor. Vigorous, indeterminate vines produce all summer.

### *Sunorange*

65 days. A version of Sungold with larger fruits and greater resistance to cracking. Heavy yields. Indeterminate vines.

20 seeds each



## 45. Purple Cherry

### *Black Cherry*

75 days. Dusky, purple-brown fruits have sweet, rich flavor. Vigorous, indeterminate vines produce high yields.

### *Chocolate Sprinkles*

60 days. Teardrop-shaped, dark purple fruits with green flecks. Sweet flavor and meaty texture. Resists cracking. Indeterminate.

20 seeds each

# SUNFLOWER



## 47. Semidouble

### *Astra Gold*

65 days. Feathery flowers with ruffled golden petals provide a stunning, wild look. Branching plants reach 5 feet. Pollenless.

### *Greenburst DMR*

62 days. Semidouble flowers with golden petals and green disks. Branching, mildew-resistant stalks. Pollenless. Grows 66 inches.  
25 seeds each



## 48. Mix

### *Monet's Palette*

80 days. Beautiful blooms in pastel shades of red and yellow. Long branches and pollenless for cutting. Grows 72 inches.

### *Summer Breeze*

60–75 days. A popular mix of the favorite branching sunflowers of Johnny's Selected Seeds. Pollenless. Grows 48–72 inches.  
25 seeds each

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# ZINNIA



## 49. Flaming Mix

### *Lava Lamp*

80 days. Fiery mix of yellow, orange and red varieties. Large, bright blooms. Grows 36–48 in.

### *South of the Border*

80 days. A bold blend of red, orange and yellow varieties. Includes bicolor blooms. Height is 36–48 inches.

50 seeds each



## 50. Fruit Mix

### *Fruity Beauty*

80 days. Vibrant blend of Canary Bird, Coral Beauty and Orange King zinnias. Grows 42 inches.

### *Peach Cobbler*

80 days. A refreshing mix of Canary Bird, Pink Luminosa, Coral Beauty and Orange King. Height is 36–48 inches.

50 seeds each



## 51. Pink Mix

### *Isn't It Romantic?*

75 days. A blend of white, cream and pink flowers provide a soft, pleasing effect. Grows 42 inches.

### *Show Stopper*

75 days. A dazzling combination of pinks, purples, reds and whites for gardens and bouquets. Grows 42 inches.

50 seeds each



## 52. Red Mix

### *Berry Tart*

75 days. A blend of Cherry Queen, Coral Beauty, Meteor and Scarlet Flame. Height 36 inches.

### *Stop Sign*

75 days. A vibrant mix of Cherry Queen and Polar Bear zinnia varieties. Great for bouquets and flower beds. Grows 36 inches.

50 seeds each



## 53. Vintage Orange

### *Aurora*

80 days. Two-tone flowers with contrasting centers. Hues of apricot, yellow, coral, gold, orange and pink. Ht: 36 inches.

### *Queeny Lime Orange*

80 days. Glowing apricot blooms have a blush of lime and bright rose centers. Grows 36 inches.

30 seeds each



## 54. Cactus Mix

### *Burpeeanna Giants*

80 days. Big, 5-inch-wide flowers with pointed petals. A vivid mix of bold colors. Grows 30 inches.

### *Super Cactus Mix*

80 days. Huge, colorful blooms with pointed, cactus-type petals. Blooms develop texture as they mature. Grows 30 inches.

50 seeds each

# Example of Completed Evaluation Form

**2026 Trial**  
**Cantaloupe**

Name: Jenny Gardener

County: Ward Date sown: May 30

Did you use a chemical fertilizer (for example, 10–10–10, Miracle-Gro)?  Yes No

Did you use a pesticide for insects or diseases? Yes  No  
If yes, was it organic? Yes No

Which variety:	Apollo	Zeus	Same	Comments
Germinated best?			X	Both had near 100% germination.
Had healthier plants?		X		Apollo vines turned gray in fall.
Produced the first ripe melons?	X			Three days earlier than Zeus.
Produced higher yields?		X		Zeus produced 10 good melons; Apollo produced only 6.
Had more attractive melons?		X		Zeus had larger fruits and brighter orange flesh.
Tasted better?		X		Zeus was heavenly; Apollo was not as sweet.

Overall Performance Rating	Apollo	Zeus
Rate each variety on a scale of 1 to 10, with 1 = poor and 5 = good and 10 = excellent. <i>Don't give both a "10". Be very critical!</i>	5	9

**Preference**

Circle the variety you prefer. *Don't circle both—make a choice!* Apollo  Zeus

Please state the reason(s) for your preference:  
*Zeus was outstanding. Good yields of large, sweet fruits. The vines looked healthy all summer. Apollo ripened early, but the vines were weak and the melons tasted bland.*

**Recommendation**

Circle the varieties you recommend for North Dakota gardeners:

Apollo  Zeus  Both  Neither

**Please write any additional comments on back. They are very helpful!**

Send to Tom Kalb, NDSU-Extension, 2005 N. Kavaney Dr., Suite A, Bismarck, ND 58501.  
 E-mail: tom.kalb@ndsu.edu. Thanks for your participation!

# Order Form

Households may participate in up to 8 trials.  
Place an "X" next to the trials you want. Place a "Sub" next to a few trials you would grow as

substitutes in case your "X" choices are not available.  
Online ordering is available at [ndsu.ag/homegardentrials/](http://ndsu.ag/homegardentrials/). T = Treated seeds.

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|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1. Bean, Popular Green (B.B.L. 274, Provider)                 | <input type="checkbox"/> 28. Pepper, Green/Red (Captain, Sailfish)                      |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 2. Bean, Organic Green (Jade, Red Tail)            | <input type="checkbox"/> 29. Pepper, Green/Yellow (E. Sunsation, SVPB8415)              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sub 3. Bean, Conc.-Harvest Green (Affirmed, Strike)           | <input type="checkbox"/> 30. Pepper, Jalapeno Hot (Megatron, PS11435807)                |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> 15T. Corn, Early Bicolor Super Swt (Awaken, Bolt)             | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 42. Tomato, Mountain Slicing (Mtn Man, Mtn Merit)   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 16T. Corn, Mid. Super Sweet (Nirvana, Superb)                 | <input type="checkbox"/> 43. Tomato, Purp. Beefsteak (Cher. Carbon, Darkstar)           |
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Shipping	<u>7.00</u>
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# Order Form

Households may participate in up to 8 trials.  
Place an "X" next to the trials you want. Place a "Sub" next to a few trials you would grow as

substitutes in case your "X" choices are not available.  
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| <input type="checkbox"/> 1. Bean, Popular Green (B.B.L. 274, Provider)      | <input type="checkbox"/> 28. Pepper, Green/Red (Captain, Sailfish)               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 2. Bean, Organic Green (Jade, Red Tail)            | <input type="checkbox"/> 29. Pepper, Green/Yellow (E. Sunsation, SVPB8415)       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 3. Bean, Conc.-Harvest Green (Affirmed, Strike)    | <input type="checkbox"/> 30. Pepper, Jalapeno Hot (Megatron, PS11435807)         |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> 5. Beet, Red (Red Cloud, Shrute)                   | <input type="checkbox"/> 32. Pumpkin, Extra-Large (Dynasty, Summit)              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 6. Broccoli, Head (Green Magic, Monty)             | <input type="checkbox"/> 33. Pumpkin, Pie (New England Pie, Winter Luxury)       |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> 8. Cabbage, Small Globe (Katarina, Tiara)          | <input type="checkbox"/> 35. Spinach, Smooth Leaf (Seaside, Space)               |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> 10. Cantaloupe, Hyb. (Hannah's Ch., Sugar Rush)    | <input type="checkbox"/> 37. Squash, Yellow (Grandprize, Superpik)               |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> 13. Carrot, Main Crop (Candy, Romance)             | <input type="checkbox"/> 40. Squash, Butternut (Block Party, Early Nutter)       |
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