

VEGETABLE REFERENCES

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What becomes immediately apparent is there are very few good and up-to-date texts on commercial vegetable production. The most information for your money will be Knott's Handbook (see below). The Specialty and Minor Crops Handbook (see below) from California is also highly recommended. Much more up-to-date information is now found on the web and the reference pages from the "Vegetable Production and Marketing Information Online: Selected Links for Commercial Growers" should be your guide <http://www.uky.edu/Agriculture/Horticulture/veglinks.htm>

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Starting and Strengthening Farmers' Markets in Pennsylvania, 2nd edition. 2002. Center for Rural Pennsylvania. 200 North Third St., Suite 600, Harrisburg, PA 17101 phone (717) 787-9555
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***Disease Compendia** - available from the [American Phytopathological Society Press](http://www.americanphytopathologicalsociety.org), 3340 Pilot Knob Road, St. Paul MN 55121 1-800-328-7560 \$49.00 to \$55.00 each.

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***Beet Diseases and Insects**, 1986

***Brassica Diseases**, 2007

***Corn Diseases**, 3rd edition, 1999

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***Onion and Garlic Diseases**, 1994

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***Pepper Diseases**, 2003

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***Sweet Potato Diseases**, 1988

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***Umbelliferous Crop Diseases**, 2002

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