
Plan of My Garden

Show the direction of the rows. Have the top of this page be the north side of your garden. Show row spacings and kind of vegetables planted.

Length of garden _____ feet. Width _____ feet. Area (length x width) _____ square feet.

North



South

4-H Activities

4-H Activities I attended:

Vegetables Exhibited at Fairs

Fair	Vegetables	Awards		
		Excellent	Good	Worthy
Example: Clarke Co.	Tomatoes, Beets, Corn, Pumpkin, Squash	3	1	1

Check below each job you did

- _____ Located my garden away from shade trees but convenient to the house or apartment.
- _____ Made a plan of my garden on paper, using the garden bulletin as a guide.
- _____ Rotated crops in garden to change their locations from last year.
- _____ Selected enough kinds of vegetables to have a long-season garden.
- _____ Used recommended varieties.
- _____ Planted as early as possible. First seed planted was the vegetable crop _____ on the date _____.
- _____ Fertilized garden area according to recommended rates.
- _____ Used recommended spacing of plants in the row and between rows as stated in 4-H Leaflet H-10-4.
- _____ Thinned plants to recommended spacings.
- _____ Planted tall-growing plants on one side of the garden, north side if possible.
- _____ Planted rows across the slop (if the garden was on a hillside)
- _____ Planted corn in blocks at least 3 rows wide or in hills of 3 plants each.
- _____ Controlled weeds at all times by shallow cultivation, or by the use of mulch or black plastic.
- _____ Type of mulch used: _____.
- _____ Controlled insects using most appropriate method. Method used: _____.
- _____ Planted the cover crop (rye, sorghum, clover, etc.) _____.
- _____ Added organic material to garden. Material: _____.
- _____ Used black plastic mulch with the vine crops.
- _____ Sold some vegetables.
- _____ Gave a demonstration related to gardening. Title: _____.
- _____ Cleaned the garden of plant material, plastic mulch, labels, stakes before winter.

Garden insects identified: _____

Vegetable diseases identified: _____

Common weeds identified: _____

Record Summary

Costs

Value of seeds planted _____ \$ _____
Value of plants _____ \$ _____
Fertilizer _____ \$ _____
Pest control measures _____ \$ _____
Tools _____ \$ _____
Other _____ \$ _____
Total _____

This project:

Was very worthwhile _____
Taught me many things _____
Will be continued _____
Value of produce sold \$ _____
Value of those used (estimated) \$ _____
Total _____ \$ _____

Project Record

You should include a short report about this year's garden project. This is always helpful to those reading your record. Include your major problems, successes, whether or not you were satisfied with the results and the varieties you grew, and what plans you have for another year. You can write the report on a separate sheet of paper, if necessary, but attach it to the record sheet. Be sure to put your name on your record sheet.

How did you use all your garden vegetables?

Have you considered marketing your produce?