URBAN FARMER
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Cucumber Comparison Chart

Every cucumber we carry, grouped by type and sorted by days to maturity

Days	Variety	Length	Skin	Pollin.	Habit	Disease Resistance
Slicing Cucumbers						
55	**Burpee Hybrid II** F1	6–8"	Smooth, thick	Gyno.	Vining	CMV, DM, PM, S
55	**Burpless Supreme** F1	6–8"	Spined, thin	Gyno.	Vining	Cca, CMV, CVYV, DM, PM, PRSV, ZYMV
55	**Marketer** AAS	6–8"	Smooth, thin	Mono.	Vining	CMV
56	**Burpless Bush Slicer** F1	9–12"	Smooth, thin	Mono.	Bush	CMV, PM, S
60	**Marketmore 80** ORG	6–8"	Spined, thick	Mono.	Vining	—
60	**Spacemaster 80**	6–8"	Smooth, thick	Mono.	Bush	CMV, S
62	**Muncher**	6–8"	Smooth, thin	Mono.	Vining	CMV
62	**Muncher** ORG	6–8"	Smooth, thin	Mono.	Vining	CMV
62	**Poinsett 76** ORG	6–8"	Spined, thick	Mono.	Vining	A, ALS, CMV, DM, PM, S
65	**Straight Eight** AAS	6–8"	Smooth, thick	Mono.	Vining	CMV
70	**Marketmore 76**	6–8"	Spined, thick	Mono.	Vining	A, ALS, CMV, DM, PM, S
70	**Marketmore 76** ORG	6–8"	Spined, thick	Mono.	Vining	A, ALS, CMV, DM, PM, S
71	**Ashley**	6–8"	Smooth, thick	Mono.	Vining	ALS, DM, PM
Beit Alpha, English & Mini						
45	**Manny** F1	6–8"	Smooth, thin	Parth.	Vining	CMV, CVYV, PM, S
45	**Mini Me** F1 ORG	Under 4"	Smooth, thin	Parth.	Compact	CMV, DM, PM
48	**Boomer** F1	4–5"	Smooth, thin	Parth.	Vining	CMV, CVYV, OS, PM, RR, ZYMV
55	**Amiga Beit Alpha** F1	6–8"	Smooth, thin	Parth.	Vining	CMV, DM, PM, PRSV, ZYMV
55	**Bereket** F1	6–8"	Smooth, thin	Parth.	Vining	CMV, CVYV, PM, ZYMV
55	**Quick Snack** F1	Under 4"	Smooth, thin	Parth.	Compact	CMV, CVYV, PM, ZYMV
60	**Green Finger** F1 ORG	6–8"	Smooth, thin	Mono.	Vining	CMV, PM, PRSV, WMV, ZYMV
62	**Carmen (English)** F1	Over 12"	Smooth, thin	Parth.	Vining	Cca, PM, S
Asian & Armenian						
60	**Suyo Long** HEIR	Over 12"	Spined, thin	Parth.	Vining	PM
60	**Suyo Long** ORG HEIR	Over 12"	Spined, thin	Parth.	Vining	PM
63	**Armenian Mix**	Over 12"	Ribbed, thin	Mono.	Vining	—
63	**Dark Armenian**	Over 12"	Ribbed, thin	Mono.	Vining	—
63	**Pale Armenian**	Over 12"	Ribbed, thin	Mono.	Vining	—
68	**Tasty Green** F1	9–12"	Spined, thin	Parth.	Vining	A, ALS, CMV, CVYV, DM, PM, S

Quick picks

Containers & small spaces: Spacemaster 80, Burpless Bush Slicer, Mini Me, Quick Snack, Arkansas Little Leaf

Greenhouse or under row cover (no bees needed): Carmen, Manny, Bereket, Amiga Beit Alpha, Boomer, Tasty Green

Most disease resistance: Marketmore 76, Poinsett 76, Tasty Green, Calypso, Carolina, Pioneer, Burpless Supreme

Disease codes, pollination types and tags are explained on page 2.

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Pickling Cucumbers						
50	**Double Yield** ORG	6–8"	Spined, thick	Mono.	Vining	—
51	**Carolina** F1	4–5"	Spined, thick	Gyno.	Vining	A, ALS, CMV, DM, PM, S, WMV
52	**Boston Pickling** HEIR	4–5"	Spined, thick	Mono.	Vining	ALS, DM, PM, S
52	**Calypso** F1	4–5"	Spined, thick	Gyno.	Vining	A, ALS, CMV, DM, PM, S
52	**Pioneer** F1	6–8"	Spined, thick	Gyno.	Vining	A, AL, ALS, CMV, DM, PM, S
55	**Arkansas Little Leaf**	4–5"	Spined, thick	Parth.	Compact	ALS, CMV, DM, PM, S
55	**Homemade Pickles** HEIR	4–5"	Spined, thick	Mono.	Vining	ALS, CMV, DM, PM
55	**Sumter** ORG	4–5"	Spined, thick	Mono.	Vining	A, AL, ALS, CMV, DM, PM
56	**SMR 58**	4–5"	Spined, thick	Mono.	Vining	Cca, CMV, PM, S
Gherkins & Specialty						
50	**Brown Russian**	6–8"	Russet, thick	Mono.	Vining	—
50	**Parisian Gherkin** F1 AAS	Under 4"	Spined, thick	Mono.	Vining	CMV, PM, S
58	**GherKing** F1	Under 4"	Spined, thick	Parth.	Vining	CMV, DM, PM, S
58	**White Wonder** HEIR	6–8"	Spined, thick	Mono.	Vining	—
65	**Lemon** HEIR	Under 4"	Spined, thick	Mono.	Vining	RR, S
75	**Mexican Sour Gherkin**	Under 4"	Smooth, thin	Mono.	Vining	—

Days are from direct seeding to first harvest. Sow ½" deep once soil reaches 65°F, or start indoors 3–4 weeks before transplanting.
Length is the typical harvest size; pick slicers and picklers young and often to keep vines producing.

Pollination Types

Mono. **Monoecious:** male and female flowers on each plant; needs bees to set fruit.
Gyno. **Gynoecious:** mostly female flowers for early, heavy yields; needs bees and a pollinizer.
Parth. **Parthenocarpic:** sets fruit without bees; ideal for greenhouses and row covers.

Disease Resistance Codes

A	Anthracnose	**AL**	Alternaria leaf spot	**ALS**	Angular leaf spot
Cca	Target spot (Corynespora)	**CMV**	Cucumber mosaic virus	**CVYV**	Cucumber vein yellowing virus
DM	Downy mildew	**OS**	Olive spot	**PM**	Powdery mildew
PRSV	Papaya ringspot virus	**RR**	Root rot	**S**	Scab
WMV	Watermelon mosaic virus	**ZYMV**	Zucchini yellow mosaic virus		

Trellis

A trellis saves space and gives straighter, cleaner fruit. Long Asian and Armenian types need one.

Water & harvest

Keep soil evenly moist to avoid bitter fruit. Pick every 1–2 days to keep vines producing.

Watch for

Cucumber beetles spread bacterial wilt. Use row covers early; uncover at bloom if bees are needed.



Armenian Mix



Mexican Sour Gherkin

Variety Notes

F1 Hybrid seed
AAS All-America Selections winner
ORG Certified organic seed
HEIR Heirloom, open-pollinated

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