



## **Sweet Success Cucumber** *Cucumis sativus 'Sweet Success'*

Height: 8 inches

Spread: 6 feet

Spacing: 12 inches

Sunlight:

Hardiness Zone: (annual)

### **Description:**

A disease resistant, high yielding and vigorous vining variety; long, burpless green cucumbers; sweet and crunchy, perfect for slicing, snacking and salads; thin, smooth skin requires no peeling; trellis or staking is recommended

### **Edible Qualities**

Sweet Success Cucumber is an annual vegetable plant that is commonly grown for its edible qualities. It produces green long cucumbers (which are technically 'berries') with light green flesh which can be harvested at any point. The cucumbers have a sweet taste and a crunchy texture.

The cucumbers are most often used in the following ways:

- Fresh Eating
- Eating When Cooked/Prepared
- Pickling

### **Planting & Growing**

Sweet Success Cucumber will grow to be about 8 inches tall at maturity, with a spread of 6 feet. When planted in rows, individual plants should be spaced approximately 12 inches apart. This vegetable plant is an annual, which means that it will grow for one season in your garden and then die after producing a crop.



*Sweet Success Cucumber fruit and  
flesh*  
Photo courtesy of NetPS Plant Finder

This plant is typically grown in a designated vegetable garden. It should only be grown in full sunlight. It does best in average to evenly moist conditions, but will not tolerate standing water. It is not particular as to soil pH, but grows best in rich soils. It is quite intolerant of urban pollution, therefore inner city or urban streetside plantings are best avoided. This is a selected variety of a species not originally from North America.; however, as a cultivated variety, be aware that it may be subject to certain restrictions or prohibitions on propagation.

Sweet Success Cucumber is a good choice for the vegetable garden, but it is also well-suited for use in outdoor pots and containers. It is often used as a 'filler' in the 'spiller-thriller-filler' container combination, providing the canvas against which the larger thriller plants stand out. Note that when growing plants in outdoor containers and baskets, they may require more frequent waterings than they would in the yard or garden.