

Vegetable yields

Vegetable variety	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999-2000	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04
	Tonnes per hectare	Tonnes per hectare	Tonnes per hectare	Tonnes per hectare	Tonnes per hectare	Tonnes per hectare	Tonnes per hectare	Tonnes per hectare
Asparagus	3.7	3.8	4.1	5.5	5.2	5.9	5.4	4.6
Beans	4.8	5.4	5.1	5.2	4.9	5.1	5.0	4.4
Beetroot	32.8	37.0	32.7	30.9	33.8	31.8		
Broccoli	5.8	5.4	6.2	6.0	6.5	6.9	7.6	7.4
Cabbages	32.0	32.3	31.8	38.3	40.7	37.8		
Capsicums, chillies and peppers	17.2	17.0	18.1	17.7	16.7	17.8	16.4	19.8
Carrots	36.5	37.3	39.4	40.3	40.2	43.2	41.5	42.1
Cauliflower	16.1	15.9	17.5	18.7	17.8	21.7	18.8	22.3
Celery	47.1	39.3	47.0	44.5	43.3	53.2		
Cucumbers	15.9	15.5	15.7	15.0	8.1	11.7		
Green peas	4.8	5.1	5.4	6.0	4.9	5.1	5.3	5.5
Lettuces	23.4	22.6	21.2	29.4	26.5	22.6	19.8	20.8
Marrow, squash and	6.7	7.0	6.9	5.7	7.1	7.7		
Melons (Rock and cantaloupe)	19.9	20.3	15.9	17.6	23.3	24.3	24.4	20.8
Melons (Water)	22.7	24.3	18.9	21.6	21.4	22.3	25.6	34.0
Mushrooms	244.1	260.0	274.9		390.1	323.2	308.1	302.3
Onions	41.3	38.8	41.9	46.7	44.5	51.2	43.4	42.0
Parsnips	22.1	21.7	22.6	19.0	24.9	28.3		
Potatoes	31.3	32.2	32.1	32.6	32.9	35.1	34.7	36.3
Pumpkins	13.8	14.3	11.6	12.1	13.3	14.9	14.2	16.0
Sweet corn	11.9	13.9	12.7	10.7	13.5	11.6		
Tomatoes	44.5	47.4	46.1	49.7	58.1	50.1	49.9	56.1

**Source: ABS
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