Vegetable Storage



	Common Name	Refrigeration	Optimal Storage Temp (*F)	Spray Misting	Display on Ice	Ethylene Production	Ethylene Sensitivity
	Asparagus	Yes	36	Yes	Yes	Very Low	Medium
T	Green Beans	Yes	40-45	No	No	Low	Medium
	Beets	Yes	32	Yes	Yes	Very	Low
	Bok Choy	Yes	32	Yes	No	Very Low	High
	Broccoli	Yes	32	Yes	Yes	Very Low	High
	Cabbage	Yes	32	Yes	No	Very Low	High
	Carrots	Yes	32	Yes	Yes	Very Low	High
	Cauliflower	Yes	32	Yes	Yes	Low	High
	Celery	Yes	32	Yes	No	Very Low	Medium
	Swiss Chard	Yes	32	Yes	Yes	Very Low	High
	Collards	Yes	32	Yes	Yes	Very Low	High
	Corn	Yes	32	Yes	Yes	Very Low	Low
	Cucumbers	No	34-41	No	No	Low	High
	Daikon Radish	Yes	32-34	No	No	Very Low	Low
	Eggplant	No	48-50	No	No	Low	Medium
	Ginger	No	55	No	No	Very Low	Low
**	Herbs	Yes	40-50	Yes	No	Very Low	Medium
	Kale	Yes	32	Yes	Yes	Very	High
	Leeks	Yes	32	Yes	No	Very	Medium
	Lettuce	Yes	32	Yes	No	Very Low	High
	Mushrooms	Yes	32	No	No	Very Low	Medium



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**	Okra	No	45-49	No	No	Low	Medium
6	Onions	No	55-59	No	No	Very Low	High
	Green Onions	Yes	32	Yes	No	Low	High
	Bell Peppers	Yes	39-45	No	No	Low	Low
	Hot Peppers (Chiles)	No	48-50	No	No	Low	Medium
	Potatoes	No	55-59	No	No	Very Low	Medium
	Spinach	Yes	32	Yes	Yes	Very Low	High
A second	Zucchini Squash (soft rind)	Yes	38	Yes	No	Low	Medium
	Winter Squash (hard)	No	50-55	No	No	Low	Medium
	Sweet Potatoes and Yams	No	55-59	No	No	Very Low	Low
	Tomatoes	No	55-59	No	No	High	Low

Fruit Storage



	Common Name	Refrigeration	Optimal Storage Temp (*F)	Spray Misting	Display on Ice	Ethylene Production	Ethylene Sensitivity
Ó	Apple	Yes	30-32	No	No	Very High	High
	Avocado	No	45-50	No	No	High	High
	Banana	No	55-59	No	No	Medium	High
	Berries	Yes	31-32	No	No	Low	Low
	Cantaloupe	Yes	36-41	No	Yes	High	Medium
	Cherries	Yes	32	No	No	Very Low	Low
	Grapes	Yes	31-32	No	No	Very Low	Low
	Grapefruit	No	48-50	No	No	Very Low	Medium
	Lemon	No	40-48	No	No	Very Low	Medium
	Lime	No	40-48	No	No	Very Low	Medium
	Mango	No	40-48	No	No	Medium	High
	Nectarine	Yes	31-32	No	No	High	Medium
	Orange	No	48-50	No	No	Very Low	Medium
	Peach	Yes	32	No	No	Medium	Medium
	Pear	Yes	32	No	No	High	High
	Pineapple	No	48-50	No	No	Low	Low
	Watermelon	No	55-59	No	Yes	Very Low	High