BC1611 Broccoli

Brassica oleracea var. italica 'BC1611'



BC1611 Broccoli fruit
Photo courtesy of NetPS Plant Finder

Height: 24 inches

Spread: 12 inches

Spacing: 18 inches

Sunlight:

Hardiness Zone: (annual)

Description:

An early maturing and productive addition to any garden; a mild tasting variety featuring 8" long, bright green stems with compact florets; sweet and tender, great salads, sautéing and roasting; open habit, easy to harvest

Edible Qualities

BC1611 Broccoli is an annual vegetable plant that is commonly grown for its edible qualities. It produces small dark green florets which are harvested from late summer to late fall. The florets have a pleasant taste and a crunchy texture.

The florets are most often used in the following ways:

- Fresh Eating
- Eating When Cooked/Prepared
- Cooking
- Baking
- Freezing

Planting & Growing

BC1611 Broccoli will grow to be about 24 inches tall at maturity, with a spread of 12 inches. When planted in rows, individual plants should be spaced approximately 18 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.

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 may require supplemental watering during periods of drought or extended heat. It is not particular as to soil type or pH. It is somewhat tolerant of urban pollution. This is a selected variety of a species not originally from North America.