

UK CROPS GROWN, PROTOCOLS AND CATEGORIES

The table below lists fresh produce crops which are grown in the UK and are assured under the Red Tractor Fresh Produce Version 4 standards. It lists the crops, the associated crop protocol which you are required to comply with (if applicable) and the category the crop falls under. Currently, some crops do not have an additional crop protocol and are only assessed against the main Fresh Produce standards, these crops are listed in the table.

Crops assured under Red Tractor	RT Protocol	Category
Apples	Fruit, top	2
Apricots	Fruit, stone	2
Aronia berries (chokeberries)	Fruit, bush	2
Asparagus	Asparagus	2
Aubergines	Aubergine	3
Baby leaf – crops defined as 'young leaves and petioles of any crops grown for harvest beyond seedling stage but before true leaf has formed'	Main fresh produce standards	1
Basil (herb)	Herbs, culinary	1
Batavia Lettuce	Lettuce – field Lettuce – protected	1
Bay (herb)	Herbs, culinary	1
Beetroot	Beetroot	2
Blackberries	Fruit, cane	2
Blackcurrants	Fruit, bush	2
Blueberries	Blueberries	2
Bok choy	Chinese Cabbage, Pak Choi, Choi Sum – outdoor Chinese Cabbage, Pak Choi, Choi Sum – protected	2
Borage (herb)	Herbs, culinary	1
Brassica spp	Broccoli	2
Broad beans/ Fava beans	Beans, broad – fresh Beans, broad – processed	2
Broccoli	Broccoli	2
Broccoli Romanesco	Broccoli	2
Broccolini	Broccoli	2
Brussel sprouts	Brussels Sprouts	3
Butterhead Lettuce	Lettuce – field Lettuce – protected	1
Cabbage	Cabbage	2
Capsicums (Peppers/ Chillies)	Peppers, chilli Peppers, sweet – protected	2
Carrots	Carrots	2
Cauliflower	Cauliflower	2
Celeriac	Celariac	2
Celery	Celery	1
Chard	Chard	2
Cherries	Fruit, Stone	2
Chervil (herb)	Herbs, culinary	1
Chicory	Chicory	1
Chinese Cabbage	Chinese Cabbage, Pak Choi, Choi Sum – outdoor Chinese Cabbage, Pak Choi, Choi Sum – protected	2
Chives (Herb)	Herbs, culinary	1
Choi Sum	Chinese Cabbage, Pak Choi, Choi Sum – outdoor Chinese Cabbage, Pak Choi, Choi Sum – protected	2
Coriander (Herb)	Herbs, culinary	1
Cos Lettuce	Lettuce – field Lettuce – protected	1
Courgettes	Courgettes, Marrows, Squash and Pumpkins	2
Cucumber	Cucumber	2

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Curly parsley (herb)	Herbs, culinary	1
Damsons	Fruit, stone	2
Dill (Herb)	Herbs, culinary	1
Elderflower	Main fresh produce standards	3
Endive	Chicory	1
Escarole Lettuce	Lettuce – field Lettuce –protected	1
Fennel	Fennel	2
Fennel (herb)	Herbs, culinary	1
Fenugreek (herb)	Herbs, culinary	1
Flat parsley (herb)	Herbs, culinary	1
French Beans	Green beans – fresh Green beans – processed	2
Frisse Lettuce	Lettuce – field Lettuce – protected	1
Garlic	Garlic	2
Garlic chives (herb)	Herbs, culinary	1
Globe Artichoke	Main fresh produce standards	3
Gooseberries	Fruit, bush	2
Green beans	Green beans – fresh Green beans – processed	2
Green cabbage	Cabbage	2
Hops	Hops	3
Horseradish	Main Fresh Produce standards	3
Iceburg lettuce	Lettuce – field Lettuce – protected	1
Jerusalem artichoke	Parsley Root	3
Kale	Kale	2
Kalettes	Kale	2
Kiwiberries	Main fresh produce standards	2
Kohl-rabi	Swede, Turnip, Kohl Rabi	3
Leeks	Leeks	3
Lemon Balm (herb)	Herbs, culinary	1
Lemon thyme (herb)	Herbs, culinary	1
Lime Leaves (herb)	Herbs, – culinary	1
Little Gem lettuce	Lettuce – field Lettuce – protected	1
Loganberries	Fruit, cane	2
Lollo Rosso Lettuce	Lettuce – field Lettuce – protected	1
Majoram (herb)	Herbs, culinary	1
Mange tout (inc. sugar snap peas)	Peas, picking – fresh Peas vining – processed	2
Marrow	Courgette, Marrow, Pumpkin, Squash	2
Melons	Melons	2
Mint (herb)	Herbs, culinary	1
Mushrooms	Mushrooms	2
Nectarines	Fruit, stone	2
Onions	Onions, bulb Onions, salad	Bulb (2) Salad (1)
Oregano (Herb)	Herbs, culinary	1
Pak Choi	Chinese Cabbage, Pak Choi, Choi Sum – outdoor Chinese Cabbage, Pak Choi, Choi Sum – protected	2
Parsley root	Parsley Root	3



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Parsnips	Parsnips	2
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Peaches	Fruit, stone	2
Pears	Fruit, top	2
Peas	Peas, picking – fresh Peas vining – processed	2
Plums	Fruit, stone	2
Potatoes	Potatoes	3
Pumpkins	Courgette, Marrow, Pumpkin, Squash	2
Purple Sprouting Broccoli	Broccoli	2
Quince	Fruit, top	2
Radicchio	Chicory	1
Radish	Radish	1
Rainbow Chard	Chard	1
Raspberries	Fruit, cane	2
Red cabbage	Cabbage	2
Red Currants	Fruit, bush	2
Rhubarb	Rhubarb	2
Rocket (arugula)	Herbs, culinary	1
Romaine Lettuce	Lettuce, field Lettuce, protected	1
Romenesco cauliflower	Cauliflower	2
Rosemary (Herb)	Herbs, culinary	1
Runner beans	Beans, runner	2
Sage (Herb)	Herbs, culinary	1
Salad cress and micro leaves – <i>defined as ‘crops which are harvested at seedling stage’</i>	Main fresh produce standards	0
Salsify	Main fresh produce standards	3
Samphire (herb)	Herbs, culinary	1
Savoury (herb)	Herbs, culinary	1
Shallots	Onions, bulb	2
Sorrel (herb)	Herbs, culinary	1
Spinach	Spinach	1
Spring Onions	Onions, salad	1
Squashes; butternut	Courgette, Marrow, Pumpkin, Squash	2
Strawberries	Strawberry	1
Swede (Rutabagas)	Swede, Turnip, Kohl Rabi	3
Sweet Potatoes	Potatoes	3
Sweetcorn	Sweetcorn	2
Sweetheart cabbage	Cabbage	2
Swiss Chard	Chard	1
Tarragon (herb)	Herbs, culinary	1
Tayberry	Fruit (Cane)	2
Tender Stem Broccoli	Broccoli	2
Thyme (Herb)	Herbs, Culinary	1
Tomatoes	Tomatoes – outdoor Tomatoes – protected	2
Turnips	Swede, Turnip, Kohl Rabi	3
Vine grapes	Main fresh produce standards	3
Watercress	Watercress	1
Watermelon	Melon	2
White currants	Fruit, bush	2
Winter white cabbage	Cabbage	2