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Vegetable Growing A Money-saving Guide

Jonathan Stevens

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Description

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An additional handy section offers advice on which fruit and veg will save you the most money, as well as a season-by-season guide and ideas for boosting your savings with foraged and wild food.

Written by Jonathan Stevens of the Real Men Sow blog, who recently embarked on a mission to find out how much he could save by growing his own fruit and vegetables on a half-sized allotment plot.

Sales Points

- Vegetable growing is one of the most popular forms of gardening
- With a money-saving focus, this book concentrates on those vegetables that are most sustainable, practical and economical to grow
- Since taking on a redundant allotment plot in 2007, Jonathan has been writing about his experience on his Real Men Sow blog.
- From the publishers of *Outwitting Squirrels* and *The Deckchair Gardener*
- **Comparative titles:**
Vegetable Growing Month By Month by John Harrison, Robinson (2009), over 80k sold

Author Biography

In 2007, Jonathan took on a redundant allotment plot in Burnham-on-Crouch with his gardening-mad mum. Jonathan has been blogging about the process as he learns the hard way what works and what doesn't. A steady stream of incredibly tasty fruit and veg has been winging its way to their kitchens ever since.