

Did someone say it's PSL season?

Did you know pumpkins have been on earth for 5,000 years? Well, buckle up, because there's a lot to learn about this fruit!

Pumpkins take between 90 - 120 days to grow.

Every single part of a pumpkin is edible.



Each pumpkin has about 500 seeds.

Eighty percent of the country's pumpkin crop is available in October.

Pumpkins are 90 percent water.

All states produce pumpkins.

Diseases caused by **fungi** are the **most damaging** to most crops, including pumpkins. **Powdery mildew** is one of the simplest diseases to diagnose in pumpkins but can result in serious losses. To effectively manage powdery mildew, **fungicides are needed** on the lower surface of leaves where the plant is most susceptible.



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