

CAN YOU HELP?

How much food do Canberra gardeners produce? ...and how early and well do we grow tomatoes?

We want to find out how much food Canberrans produce – and where and what and by whom – to understand the bounty and the challenges, now and in the future.

Whether you are growing fruit, vegetables, herbs, eggs, honey, meat or whatever in the backyard, on the patio, the roof, the nature strip or the community garden, we would love to hear from you and get a snapshot of what is being harvested in Canberra now (this summer-autumn). We would also like to know who harvests the first and most tomatoes! In fact we are interested to gather best information on our urban crop yield across the city.

To contribute, you need to scan the QR code to open the:

1. REGISTRATION SURVEY

This way you can create a username and register – and tell us about what you do, where and what you garden here. We are interested in the challenges you face.



Your username links your information to the production survey. Use your email address as your username – that way we can send reminders, tell you about our findings and we can contact you if you win one of our \$50 CBRLocal Food vouchers for most production entries (10 to be won).

When you are ready , open the:

2. PRODUCTION SURVEY

Record how much plant or animal food you produced or harvested in a week. You can choose to weigh, photograph or estimate the percentage of a standard reusable shopping bag to allow us to estimate volume.

You can save this link on your phone (by 'sharing website to home screen') or rescan each time. Your information goes anonymously to an analysis by suburb and we will summarise and share the data on the University of Canberra Future of Food website:

canberra.edu.au/about-uc/faculties/health/future-of-food where you can also find more information.



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Prefer a paper survey? Other questions?
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