

Extension Educators

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Indiana

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Subscribers to the hotline also will receive the *Vegetable Crops Hotline Bulletin*, and faxed or e-mailed updates, at no extra cost. Please indicate e-mail address or fax number. The hotline also is available free at www.entm.purdue.edu/Entomology/ext/ext_newsletters.html.

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