

126197. No. 3830. Fruit globose, 10 inches long, green, dotted with darker green and clouded with orange, smooth, indented ribs of pale green; flesh 2 inches thick, creamy white, sweet.
126198. No. 3831. Fruit globose, 5 inches long, coarsely netted, dark green and orange with spotted blotches of white, ribs green white, dotted with darker green; flesh 1½ inches thick, creamy white, fine.
126199. No. 3833. Fruit ovoid, 6 inches long, nearly smooth, bright yellow with faintly indented ribs of yellow, edged broadly with orange; flesh 1½ inches thick, creamy white, fine.
126200. No. 3836. Fruit globose, 8 inches long, yellow, vermiculated darker, smooth; flesh 2 inches thick, creamy white, good.
126201. No. 3841. Fruit 12 by 6 inches, tapered, yellow, nearly obscured by dots of dark green, heavily netted; flesh 1¾ inches thick, green, crisp, sweet.
126202. No. 3854. Fruit globose, 10 inches long, greenish white, faintly indented ribs; flesh 2 inches thick, pale greenish, sweet with strong cucumber odor, possibly unripe.

126203-126233.

From Afghanistan and India. Seeds collected by Walter Koelz, Bureau of Plant Industry, United States Department of Agriculture. Received December 8, 1937.

Unless otherwise noted, material is from Afghanistan.

126203-126212. *CUCUMIS* spp. Cucurbitaceae.126203-126209. *CUCUMIS SATIVUS* L.

Cucumber.

126203. No. 3331. *Tara*. From Takia, August 14, at 4,500 feet altitude. Fruits crook-necked, strongly ridged, 4 feet long. Excellent for salads and pickles when small.

126204. No. 2910. *Badrang*. From Jalalabad, May 24. Fruit about 5 by 8 inches, very tender.

126205. No. 2918. *Badrang*. From Laghman, May 25, at 3,000 feet altitude.

126206. No. 3131. *Badrang*. From Faizabad, July 11, at 4,000 feet altitude. Fruit 8 by 4 inches, locally grown, good quality.

126207. No. 3171. *Taran*. From Faizabad, July 13. A crook-necked much-ridged cucumber, common in India; grows here to 3 feet.

126208. No. 3444. *Badrang*. From Takia, August 30. Fruit 8 by 3½ inches, russet gold, tender for a long period.

126209. No. 3445. *Badrang*. From Takia, August 30. Fruit 14 by 3 inches, russet brown, very good.

126210 and 126211. *CUCUMIS MELO* L.

Muskmelon.

126210. No. 3318. From Takia, August 12, at 4,500 feet altitude. Fruit oval, 1½ inches long, blotched, striped dark green; found as a weed in fields.

126211. No. 3564. From Balkh, September 5, at 1,200 feet altitude. Fruit oval, 1¾ inches long, lime-yellow with irregular ribs of orange; growing as a weed.

126212. *CUCUMIS* sp.

No. 3779. *Istanbul*. From Saripul, September 13, at 1,500 feet altitude. Fruit pear-shaped, 2 inches long, yellow, fragrant; grown only for the fragrance.

126213-126224. *CUCURBITA MOSCHATA* Duchesne.

Cushaw.

126213. No. 2904. From Peshawar, North West Frontier Province, India, May 8. Fruit 14 by 8 inches, orange red, strongly ribbed; flesh 1½ inches thick, yellow.

Nos. 126214 and 126215. From Laghman, May 27, at 3,000 feet altitude.