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BASIL FACTS QUESTIONNAIRE

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What is basil often called, and how long has it been used?

When should basil leaves be harvested for the best flavor?

What beneficial properties do the essential oils in basil leaves have?

What unique flavor does Thai basil have?

How many hours of sunlight do tomato plants need each day?

How does basil respond to cold temperatures?

What should you do to basil plants to encourage bushier growth?

What is one way to preserve fresh basil for later use?

What plant does basil help by repelling pests when grown nearby?

How does basil help in the garden besides being edible?

Approximately how many varieties of basil are there?

What are basil seeds called in some cultures, and how are they used?

Which popular Italian sauce uses basil as a key ingredient?

Can basil grow indoors, and if so, what does it need?

What does the name "basil" mean, and where does it come from?

How does basil affect the flavor of tomatoes when planted together?