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Chapter 16: Versatile Vegetables—Glossary

aromatic seeds. Seeds that are tasty or scented.

biotechnology. Using biological processes to create plants and animals with new traits.

bulb. A short, rounded bud that has a very short stem covered with overlapping leaves.

herbs. Leaves from certain shrubs used to add flavor to foods.

seasoners. Substances that add fragrance and flavor to foods.

seasoning. A blend of two or more spices, herbs, or seeds.

spices. Bits of bark, fruits, flowers, and roots used to add flavor to foods.

tuber. The swollen portion of a plant's underground stem.

vegetable spices. Strongly flavored vegetables.