

PEST CONTROL WITH COMPANION PLANTS

Pest	Natural Repellent
Ants	Catnip Mint
Aphids	Catnip Chives keep aphids away from tomatoes and grapes. Dill Garlic keeps aphids off roses. Chervil keeps aphids off lettuce. Coriander Mint Nasturtiums deter wooly aphids. Peppermint Petunia (but not all varieties of aphids) Rue
Asparagus beetle	Petunia
Bean beetle	Rosemary
General beetles	Hemp Sage
Black flies	Rhubarb keeps black flies off beans.
Cabbage moths	Hyssop Mint deters white cabbage moths. Oregano repels cabbage butterflies from broccoli, cabbage, and cauliflower. Peppermint deters white cabbage moths. Rosemary Sage Summer Savory
Cabbage worms	Borage Clover Geranium Thyme
Carrot flies	Garlic Leeks Rosemary
Chinch bugs	Soybean
Cucumber beetles	Nasturtiums Oregano repels cucumber beetles from cucumber, squash, and melons. Radish
Fish moths	Rue
Fleas	Lavender Mint Pennyroyal (note: poisonous to cats)
Flea beetles	Catnip Hyssop Peppermint Mint Rue
Flies	Basil Rue
Gophers	Gopher purge
Hornworms	Borage Opal basil
Japanese beetles	Catnip Chives Garlic Geranium Rue repels Japanese beetles from roses and raspberries. Soybean
Japanese rust flies	Chives

Leafhoppers	Petunias
Mexican beetles	Petunias
Mice	Catnip Mint deters rodents.
Moles	Gopher purge
Mosquitoes	Basil
Moths	Costmary, AKA Bible leaf (also makes neat bookmarks) Lavender
Nematodes	Marigolds Chrysanthemums Dahlias
Onion maggots	Rue
Potato beetles	Coriander Horseradish Lamium (a perennial ground cover)
Roaches	Bay laurel Catnip Lemongrass
Root maggots	Garlic
Rust flies	Radish
Slugs	Chervil Rue
Snails	Garlic Rue
Spider mites	Coriander Dill Rhubarb keeps spider mites away from columbines.
Squash bugs	Nasturtiums Radishes
Termites	Hot chili peppers (soak 2 c peppers in 1 qt water for 24 hrs; strain; add 1 Tbsp dish soap & 1 gal water; spray as needed) Garlic Catnip Marigolds Mint
Thrips	Basil
Tomato worms	Petunias Marigolds
Weevils	Catnip
White flies	Nasturtiums