

Mini Market Report



APRIL

English asparagus now widely available, although the recent cold weather will have slowed harvests right down.

Rhubarb has shifted from the indoor to outdoor crop.

Wild garlic is now in season across the country.

Jersey Royals starting their outdoor season.

Brassicas such as purple sprouting on form, but these are cold weather crops and won't last well into hot weather.

For citrus, this is coming to the end of the European season although there is remains plenty of choice including blood oranges, leafy oranges and lemons.

Morel mushrooms now in season.

From the Continent, it's an excellent time for peas, broad beans and artichokes.

From France we have some lovely courgettes and heritage tomatoes - an early taste of summer.

Agretti is also in season.

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