

- Select Choose asparagus stalks with dry, tight tips. Avoid limp or wilted stalks.
- **Store** Wrap the ends of stalks in a wet paper towel and place in a plastic bag. Refrigerate for up to 4 days.
- Prepare Snap off the woody ends, about 1-2 inches. Enjoy raw, steamed, boiled, grilled, or roasted!

Asparagus is the Harvest of the Month!

Add asparagus to your favorite family meals:

- Add bite-size pieces of asparagus to creamy soups.
- Dip asparagus spears in a healthy dip or dressing.
- Use leftover cooked asparagus in your scrambled eggs.
- Add asparagus to roasted potatoes, rice side dishes, or pasta salad.

Make meals and memories together. It's a lesson kids will use for life.

Did you know?

Asparagus can be found in three colors: green, white, and purple. White asparagus is grown under the soil, so it is never exposed to sunlight and never turns green.



Nutritious, Delicious, Wisconsin! #WIHarvestofthemonth



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