

## Sample Horticulture Produce Reasons – Green Beans

Sir, Ma'am, Madam,

I placed this class of green beans 1-2-3-4. In analyzing this class I found it to be a definite two pair class with plate 1 and plate 2 being more attractive products that the consumer would prefer, while 3 and 4 were much less desirable for consumption.

In placing 1 over 2 I found plate 1 to be more desirable with all beans having a fresher color, all pods were fleshy from end to end with no prominent beans evident. The beans in plate one were also free from defects and discoloration. I will grant that the beans in plate 2 were more uniform in length than the beans in plate 1.

In placing plate 2 over plate 3 I found the beans in plate 2 were the most consistent in length in the class. The beans in plate 2 were straighter than those of plate 3 possessing a better and more uniform color than the beans in plate 3, the beans in plate 2 appeared to be fresher as they were filled with pulp and plumper than the beans in plate 3. I will grant that the green beans in plate 3 were more mature throughout.

In the bottom pair plate 3 easily placed over plate 4 with an overall better appearance of all beans on display. Plate 3 was more uniform in size and length than was plate number 4. Plate 3 also exhibited more product than did plate 4. I criticize plate 4 and placed it at the bottom of the class. As observed today the beans appeared to be old and wilted, were not uniform in size or shape and would yield the least product for the consumer.

These are my reasons for placing this class of green beans 1-2-3-4