Rabbits, rabbits everywhere!

Plants Rabbits Eat in North America

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Plants Heavily Damaged

Woody Plants
Amelanchier (Serviceberry)
Berberis 'Crimson Pygmy' (Barberry)
Cercis canadensis (Eastern Redbud)
Chaenomeles japonica (Japanese Floweringquince)
Chaenomeles speciosa (Common Floweringquince)
Crataegus species (Hawthorn)
Deutzia species (Deutzia)
Euonymus alata (Winged Euonymus)
Forsythia species (Forsythia)
Fothergilla species (Fothergilla)
Hamamelis virginiana (Witch Hazel)
Hibiscus syriacus (Rose of Sharon)
Hydrangea quercifolia (Oakleaf Hydrangea)
Malus species (Flowering Crabapple)
Prunus bessyi (Sand Cherry)
Prunus x cistena (Purpleleaf Sand Cherry)
Rosa species (Rose)^^
Rosa multiflora species (Multiflora Rose)
Syringa patula 'Miss Kim' (Lilac)
Viburnum carlesii (Koreanspice Viburnum)
Viburnum x juddii (Judd Viburnum)
Viburnum plicatum (Doublefile Viburnum)
Ornamental Vines
Clematis species (Clematis)^^
Ipomoea purpurea (Morning Glory)
Fruits
Actinidea arguta (Kiwi)
Fragaria ananassa (Strawberry)
Malus pumila (Apples)
Grimes Golden
Yellow Delicious
Pyrus species (Pear)
Rubus species (Blackberry & Raspberry)^^
Vaccinium corymbosum (Blueberry)
Perennials
Adiantum pedatum (Northern Maidenhair Fern)
Anemone x hybrida (Japanese Anenome)
Aster novae-angliae 'Alma Potschke' (New England Aster)
Aster novi belgii (Michaelmas Daisy)
Astrantia major (Great Masterwort)
Campanula species (Bellflower)
Centaurea montana (Mountain Bluet)
Coreopsis rosea (Pink Coreopsis)
Coreopsis verticillata (Threadleaf Coreopsis)
Echinacea purpurea (Purple Coneflower)^^
Felicia amelloides (Marguerite Daisy)
Galium odoratum (Sweet Woodruff)
Gypsophila paniculata (Baby's Breath)
Heuchera sanguinea (Coral Bells-flowers only)
Hosta species (Plantain Lily)^^
Liatris spicata (Gayfeather)
Lupinus 'Russell Hybrid' (Lupine)
Lythrum salicaria (Purple Loosestrife)
Paeonia suffruticosa (Tree Peony)
Papaver nudicaule (Iceland Poppy)
Papaver orientale (Oriental Poppy)
Phlox paniculata (Garden Phlox)
Platycodon grandiflorus 'Shell Pink' (Balloon Flower)
Rudbeckia hirta 'Goldsturm' (Black-eyed Susan)
Scabiosa caucasica (Pincushion Flower)
Verbena rigida (Vervain)
Viola cucullata 'Freckles' (Marsh Blue Violet)
Viola tricolor (Johnny-Jump-Up)
Annuals
Antirrhinum majus (Snapdragon)
Celosia argenta cristata (Cockscomb)
Centaurea cyanus (Bachelor's Button)
Cosmos bipinnatus (Cosmos)
Gazania rigens (Gazania)
Helianthus annuus (Sunflower)
Impatiens wallerana (Impatiens)
Lathyrus latifolius (Sweet Pea)
Petunia x hybrida (Petunia) ^^
Portulaca grandiflora (Rose Moss)
Torenia (Wishbone Flower)
Tropaeolum (Nasturtium)
Verbena x hybrida (Garden Verbena)
Viola x wittrockiana (Pansy)
Zinnia elegans (Zinnas)
Bulbs
Crocus hybrids (Crocus)
Iris hybrids (Dutch)
Lilium species (Hardy and Asiatic)
Tulipa hybrids (Tulip)
Vegetables
Beta vulgaris (Beets)
Beta vulgaris cicla (Swiss Chard)
Brassica oleracea italica (Broccoli)
Capsicum frutescens (Peppers)^^
Lactuca sativa (Lettuce)
Phaseolus vulgaris (Beans)
Pisum sativum (Peas)
Spinacia oleracea (Spinach)

Plants Moderately Damaged

Woody Plants
Cotinus coggygria (Smoke Bush)
Rosa species (Rose)**
Fruits
Rubus species (Raspberry & Blackberry)**
Perennials
Dianthus plumarius (Pinks)
Echinacea purpurea (Purple Coneflower)**
Hosta species (Plantain Lily)**
Annuals
Petunia x hybrida (Petunia)**
Tagetes erecta (Marigold)
Tithonia rotundifolia (Mexican Sunflowers)
Bulbs
Gladiolus x hortulanus (Gladiola)
Muscari botryoides (Grape Hyacinths)
Vegetables
Cucumis sativus (Cucumbers)
Capsicum frutescens (Peppers)**

Plants Seldom Damaged

Woody Plants
Acer palmatum (Japanese Maple)
Aesculus glabra (Buckeye)
Aesculus hippocastanum (Horsechestnut)
Aesculus parviflora (Bottlebrush Buckeye)
Budddleia davidii (Butterfly-bush)
Buxus species (Boxwood)
Cornus alba (Tatarian Dogwood)
Cotoneaster species (Cotoneaster)
Hydrangea anomala petiolaris (Climbing Hydrangea)
Hydrangea arborescens (Smooth Hydrangea)
Ilex glabra compacta (Dwarf Inkberry)
Juglans cinera (Butternut)
Juglans nigra (Black Walnut)
Kalmia latifolia (Mountain Laurel)
Liquidamber straciflua (Sweet Gum)
Liriodendron tulipifera (Tulip Tree)
Picea pungens 'Fat Albert' (Blue Spruce)
Pinus strobus (White Pine)
Potentilla fruticosa (Bush Cinquefoil)
Rhododendron P.J.M. Hybrids (Rhododendron)
Rhododendron species (Azaleas)
Rhus species (Sumac)
Taxus species (Yew)
Ornamental Vines
Campsis radicans (Trumpet vine)
Clematis species (Clematis)**
Fruits
Ribes species (Currant & Gooseberry)

Vitis species (Grape)

Perennials

Acanthus spinosa latifolius (Spiny Bear's Breeches)
Aconitum napellus (Monkshood)
Adenophora lilifolia (Ladybells)
Ajuga repens (Bugleweed)
Alcea rosea (Hollyhock)
Alchemilla mollis (Lady's Mantle)
Aquilegia hybrida (Columbine)
Artemesia species (Wormwood)
Aruncus dioicus (Goat's Beard)
Asarum europaeum (Wild Ginger)
Astillbe x arendsii (False Spirea)
Baptisia aurestralis (False Indigo)
Bergenia cordifolia (Heartleaf Bergenia)
Brunnera macrophylla (Siberian Bugloss)
Cactus species (Cactus)
Cimicifuga racemosa (Bugbane)
Convallaria majalis (Lily-of-the-Valley)
Coreopsis grandiflora (Tickseed)
Dendranthema x morifolium (Hardy Chrysanthemum)
Dicentra species (Bleeding Heart)
Digitalis purpurea (Foxglove)
Doronicum orientale (Leopardsbane)
Echinops ritro (Small Globe Thistle)
Epimedium x rubrum (Red Barrenwort)
Eupatorium coelestinum (Hardy Ageratum)
Euphorbia species (Euphorbia)
Ferns, except maiden hair
Filipendula ulmaria (Queen of the Meadow)
Gaillardia x grandiflora (Blanket Flower)
Geranium species (Cranesbill)
Hemerocallis species (Daylily)
Iberis semipervirens (Evergreen Candytuft)
Iris siberica (Siberian Iris)
Kniphofia (Red Hot Poker)
Lavandula angustifolia (Lavender)
Leucanthemum x superbum (Shasta Daisy)
Liriope spicata (Creeping Lily-Turf)
Lobelia cardinalis (Cardinal Flower)
Lysimachia clethroides (Gooseneck Loosestrife)
Malva alcea (Hollyhock Mallow)
Mertensia virginica (Virginia Bluebells)
Monarda didyma (Bee Balm)
Myosotis sylvatica (Forget Me Not)
Ornamental grasses
Pachysandra terminalis (Japanese Pachysandra)
Paeonia hybrids (Peony)
Perovskia atriplicifolia (Russian Sage)
Phlox sublata (Creeping Phlox)
Potentilla verna (Spring Cinquefoil)
Primula x polyantha (Primrose)
Pulsatilla vulgaris rubra (Pasque Flower)
Salvia x superba 'East Friesland' (Perennial Salvia)
Sedum 'Autumn Joy' (Sedum)
Stachys byzantina (Lamb's Ear)
Stokesia laevis (Stokes Aster)
Teucrium chamaedrys (Germander)
Thalictrum rochebrunianum (Meadow Rue)
Tiarella cordifolia (Foam Flower)
Veronica species (Speedwell)
Yucca filamentosa (Adam's Needle)

Annuals

Ageratum houstonianum (Mexican Ageratum)
Begonia x semperflorens-cultorum (Wax Begonia)
(Amethyst Flower)
Calendula officinalis (Pot Marigold)
Catharanthus roseus (Vinca)
Cleome hasslerana (Spiderflower)
Mirabilis jalapa (Four O'Clock)
Pelargonium x hortorum (Geranium zonal & bedding)

Bulbs

Allium giganteum (Persian Onion)
Hyacinth orientalis (Hyacinth)
Narcissus species (Daffodils)

Vegetables

Allium cepa (Onions)
Allium porrum (Leeks)
Asparagus officinalis (Asparagus)
Cucurbita pepo melopepo (Summer Squash)
Lycopersicum esculentum (Tomato)
Rheum rhaponticum (Rhubarb)
Solanum tuberosum (Potatoes)

Herbs

Artemisia dracunculus (Tarragon)
Marjorana hortensis (Marjoram)
Mentha species (Mint)
Ocimum basilicum (Basil)
Origanum vulgare (Oregano)
Petroselinum crispum (Parsley)
Satureia hortensis (Savory)

Note: This list was compiled from the Ohio State University Extension Fact Sheet of plants foraged by rabbits in North America.