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Why is it important to transition towards veganic agriculture?

- Many omnivores don't go vegan, because they believe that animals still suffer from the production of vegan foods. They're right. So if we transition to veganic agriculture, then that issue goes away.
- Veganic agriculture leads to even less animal suffering than eating crops without minding how it's grown.
- It's the direction to head in with animal ethics
- it's the future (or at least one we should create)

Definition:

"Veganic farmers do not use any manures or slaughterhouse byproducts and are prohibited from using even organically approved broad-spectrum pesticides. Instead of the purchased manures and manure-based composts used on organic farms, Veganic farmers must rely on careful crop rotations and green manuring to provide long-term fertility for food crop production."

Labels to look for (but are no guarantee):

- [Organic](#)
- [Vegan.org Certification](#)
- [Tracking](#): knowing the source
- Indoor/vertical farming: tends to [isolate food away from animals](#) (such as to [prevent needs for pesticides](#))
 - cultured (or lab-grown) vegan products: outside of animals (lab-grown meat isn't really vegan), it avoid
- Hydro- and aeroponics: many animals/microbes live in soil and [food production disrupts their ecosystem and them](#)

Examples (? means unsure):

- Veganic
 - [veganic farms](#)
 - ? [Veganic Products](#)
 - [Veganic](#) supermarket
 - [One Degree Organics](#) (not quite vegan)
- Vertical farming
 - [Aerofarms](#)
- Lab grown food
 - [Solar Foods](#)
 - cultured plants don't exist yet

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Thank you so much for this valuable information. Does anyone know where one can get seeds in the US (that is or can ship to NY) for our veganic farm. We can't seem to find eggplant and brussell sprouts. Thanks in advance!

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I found a vegan (it looks vegan - and I looked at a lot!) that's in NY: <https://hudsonvalleyseed.com/>

