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This index lists pest management and vegetable production topics that were addressed in the newsletters. Sightings and counts of specific insects or diseases were reported in many issues and are not included in the index. Numbers to the left of the topic indicate the issue publication date.

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