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Rain Barrel FAQs - Resource List

Where can I get a rain barrel?

- RCE Fact Sheet "Rain Barrels Part I: How to Build a Rain Barrel" https://njaes.rutgers.edu/E329/
- RCE Fact Sheet "Rain Barrels Part III: Building a Rain Barrel from a Plastic Trash Can" https://njaes.rutgers.edu/pubs/publication.php?pid=FS1127
- RCE Video "Rutgers NJAES Cooperative Extension: Building a Rain Barrel" https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=geSuRr3Xbaw

How do I install a rain barrel?

- RCE Fact Sheet "Rain Barrels Part II: Installation and Use" https://njaes.rutgers.edu/pubs/publication.php?pid=FS1118
- RCE Video "Rutgers NJAES Cooperative Extension: How to Install Your Rain Barrel" https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=t5EnKSdWHeE

What can I do with the water?

- RCE Fact Sheet "Rooftop Rainwater Harvesting for Plant Irrigation I: Design Concepts and Water Quantity"
 - https://njaes.rutgers.edu/pubs/publication.php?pid=FS1162
- RCE Fact Sheet "Rooftop Rainwater Harvesting for Plant Irrigation II: Water Quality and Horticultural Considerations"
 - https://njaes.rutgers.edu/pubs/publication.php?pid=FS1165
- RCE Fact Sheet "Rain Barrels Part IV: Testing and Applying Harvested Water to Irrigate a Vegetable Garden"
 - https://njaes.rutgers.edu/fs1218/

What about mosquitoes?

 RCE Fact Sheet – "Rain Barrels and Mosquitoes" https://njaes.rutgers.edu/fs1240/

How do I winterize a rain barrel?

 RCE Fact Sheet – "Rain Barrels Part II: Installation and Use" https://njaes.rutgers.edu/pubs/publication.php?pid=FS1118