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PLANT TAGS - 3 patterns

Enlarge or reduce pattern as needed.



LABELS FROM LEFTOVERS Prevent seedling mix-ups by marking your sprouts with easy-to-make plant labels, using recycled stuff from around the house. Canning lids and plastic plant pots quickly become clever hanging tags; 9-gauge aluminum wire makes an easy-to-bend stake. Just pound a nail hole in a canning lid and label it with a permanent marker. (To use the tag again next year, spray with polyurethane.) For the plastic tags, cut any shape, such as those at *right*, from last year's plant pots. Punch a hole with a standard hole-punch tool and mark the tag with a silver marker.

