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Periodicals

An article that gives instructions for performing the glowing pickle experiment with sodium chloride providing an alternate construction of the vegetable stand and electrodes. It also describes the use of potatoes and onions:

Weimer, Peter and Rubin Battino. "The Incredible Glowing Pickle and Onion and Potato." *Journal of Chemical Education* 73, no. 5 (1996): 456.

An article that provides an alternate construction of the vegetable stand and electrodes, as well as instructions for preparing brine solutions with many different salts and vegetables:

Scharlin, Pirketta, Audrey Cleveland, Rubin Battino and Monica E. Thomas. "Glowing Veggies". *Journal of Chemical Education* 73, no. 5 (1996): 457.

Websites

A website which describes the glowing pickle experiment, some of the science behind it and lists different salts which can be used to produce different colours and explains how fireworks use the same concepts:

"Complete with the Glowing Pickle." *Lori's Chemistry Page*. 2009. Accessed 14 July 2011.
<http://www.myglowingpickle.com>