
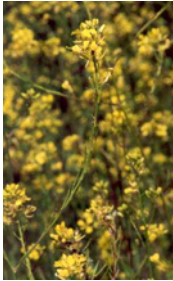




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Catalogue section	Description	
Herbs	Basil (Ocimum basilicum) Annual plant with aromatic leaves for cucumber souring. Dried leaves are good for salads, cottage cheese, fish, roast meat and sauces.	 Seeds per packet (approx.): 325 Optimum Germination Temp: 20°C Sowing Depth: 0.3cm Greenhouse - earliest: January Greenhouse - latest: April Garden - earliest: May Garden - latest: May Field Sowing: May Transplant to Garden: late May Planting Separation: 20 - 30cm Sun / Shade: sun Harvest start: July Harvest end: September Height: 30 - 40cm Web Page http://www.packetseeds.com/acatalog/Basil Ocimum basilicum .html
Herbs	Black Mustard (Brassica higa) An annual weedy plant cultivated for its seeds, which are commonly used as a spice. The plant itself can grow from 2 to 8 feet tall with racemes of small yellow flowers. These flowers are usually up to 1/3" across, with 4 petals each. Its leaves are covered in small hairs. The leaves can wilt on hot days, but recover at night.	 Mustard seeds generally take 3-10 days to germinate if placed under the proper conditions, which include a cold atmosphere and relatively moist soil. Mustard seeds in fact grow into trees, not shrubs. Web Page http://www.packetseeds.com/acatalog/Black Mustard Brassica higa .html
Herbs	Borage (Borago officinalis) Annual ornamental plant also used as seasoning. Leaves can be added to vegetable salads, meat and fish dishes. The plant acts as an anti-inflammatory, diuretic and calming.	 Seeds per packet (approx.): 50 Optimum Germination Temp: 18°C Sowing Depth: 2cm Greenhouse - earliest: n/a Greenhouse - latest: n/a Garden - earliest: April Garden - latest: May Field Sowing: April - May Transplant to Garden: n/a Planting Separation: 30cm Sun / Shade: sun Harvest start: July Harvest end: August Height: 50 - 60cm Web Page http://www.packetseeds.com/acatalog/Borage Borago officinalis .html
Herbs	Camomile (Matricaria chamomilla) Annual plant with medicinal properties.	 Seeds per packet (approx.): 1600 Optimum Germination Temp: 15°C Sowing Depth: 0.2cm Greenhouse - earliest: n/a Greenhouse - latest: n/a Garden - earliest: April Garden - latest: May Field Sowing: April - May Transplant to Garden: n/a Planting Separation: 10 - 25cm Sun / Shade: sun Harvest start: July Harvest end: August Height: 30cm Web Page http://www.packetseeds.com/acatalog/Camomile Matricaria chamomilla .html
Herbs	Caraway (Carum carvi)	Seeds per packet (approx.): 700 Optimum Germination Temp: 20°C

Biennial plant. Fruits, also milled, can be added to meat, cooked vegetables, especially to cabbage. Improves the taste of cheese.



Sowing Depth: 2cm
 Greenhouse - earliest: n/a
 Greenhouse - latest: n/a
 Garden - earliest: April
 Garden - latest: May
 Field Sowing: April - May
 Transplant to Garden: n/a
 Planting Separation: 20 - 40cm
 Sun / Shade: sun
 Harvest start: June
 Harvest end: July
 Height: 10cm

Web Page

Herbs

Chives (Allium schoenoprasum) - Bohemia

Perennial patch plant with pink decorative flowers, aromatic, leaves used as seasoning. This is a high yielding broad leaved variety which is intended for forcing as well as field growing. Leaves are fairly wide in diameter and have a medium green colour. They have a rather sharp taste and have a high content of vitamin C. The growing time until harvest is approximately 100 days. The harvest can be repeated. This variety has good over-wintering abilities. Planting starts in the spring or autumn with a spacing of 10 x 20cm.



Seeds per packet (approx.): 850
 Minimum Germination Temp: 15°C
 Optimum Germination Temp: 18°C
 Maximum Germination Temp: 21°C
 Sowing Depth: 2cm
 Greenhouse - earliest: March
 Greenhouse - latest: April
 Garden - earliest: April
 Garden - latest: April
 Field Sowing: April
 Transplant to Garden: May
 Planting Separation: 20 - 30cm
 Sun / Shade: sun
 Harvest start: June
 Harvest end: September

Web Page [http://www.packetseeds.com/acatalog/copy_of_Chives Allium schoenoprasum - Bohemia.htm](http://www.packetseeds.com/acatalog/copy_of_Chives_Allium_schoenoprasum_-_Bohemia.htm)

Herbs

Coriander (Coriandrum sativum)

Annual plant. Seeds can be used as a seasoning to roast pork, smoked meat, pate, sauces and cakes. Spirit extract and infusion can be used to stimulate the appetite.



Seeds per packet (approx.): 200
 Optimum Germination Temp: 18°C
 Sowing Depth: 2cm
 Greenhouse - earliest: n/a
 Greenhouse - latest: n/a
 Garden - earliest: April
 Garden - latest: April
 Field Sowing: April
 Transplant to Garden: n/a
 Planting Separation: 15 - 30cm
 Sun / Shade: sun
 Harvest start: July
 Harvest end:
 Height: 50cm

Web Page [http://www.packetseeds.com/acatalog/Coriander Coriandrum sativum .html](http://www.packetseeds.com/acatalog/Coriander_Coriandrum_sativum_.html)

Herbs

Fennel (Foeniculum vulgare)

A hardy, perennial herb, with yellow flowers and feathery leaves. It is highly aromatic and flavourful, with culinary and medicinal uses. The bulb, foliage, and seeds of the fennel plant are widely used. Dried fennel seed is an aromatic, anise-flavoured spice. For cooking, green seeds are optimal. The leaves are delicately flavored and similar in shape to those of



dill, used as leafy green vegetables either by themselves or mixed with other vegetables, cooked to be served and consumed as part of a meal.
The bulb is a crisp, hardy root vegetable and may be sauteed, stewed, braised, grilled, or eaten raw.

Web Page http://www.packetseeds.com/acatalog/Fennel_Foeniculum_vulgare_.html

Herbs

Lemon Balm (Melissa officinalis)

Perennial plant. Young shoots and leaves can be harvested during the first year of cultivation and can be used as a seasoning in salads, soups, meat and fish dishes. The lemon balm acts to calm and can help in flatulence.



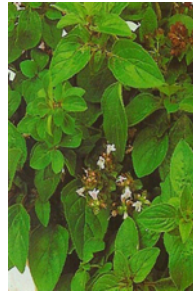
Seeds per packet (approx.): 400
Optimum Germination Temp: 20°C
Sowing Depth: 0.2cm
Greenhouse - earliest: March
Greenhouse - latest: April
Garden - earliest: May
Garden - latest: May
Field Sowing: May
Transplant to Garden: late May
Planting Separation: 40cm
Sun / Shade: sun
Harvest start: June
Harvest end: September
Height: 100cm

Web Page http://www.packetseeds.com/acatalog/Lemon_Balm_Melissa_officinalis_.html

Herbs

Oregano (Origanum vulgare)

Perennial plant with leaf shoots being used as a seasoning to pizza, eggs, meat, fish and vegetable salads. Herb infusion stimulates the appetite and improves digestion.



Seeds per packet (approx.): 375
Optimum Germination Temp: 20°C
Sowing Depth: 0.1cm
Greenhouse - earliest: April
Greenhouse - latest: May
Garden - earliest: April
Garden - latest: May
Field Sowing: April - May
Transplant to Garden: July
Planting Separation: 25cm
Sun / Shade: sun
Harvest start: July
Harvest end: September
Height: 50cm

Web Page http://www.packetseeds.com/acatalog/Oregano_Origanum_vulgare_.html

Herbs

Parsley Fine Leaved (Petroselinum crispum convar.crispum) - Astra

Parsley Astra is intended for all year round harvesting of its aromatic and flavoursome top leaves. The leaves are double curled and are a rich dark green colour. The plants grow continuously and the harvest can be repeated every 8 - 10 weeks. All year round planting is possible but in the summer months watering is advisable. From spring and summer sowing, growing time is usually around 80 - 90 days and from autumn sowing it is 150 - 180 days. The recommended spacing is 20 x 30cm. Generally used immediately to add flavour or decoration to a range of savoury dishes Parsley Astra is also suitable for freezing and drying.



Seeds per packet (approx.): 630
Minimum Germination Temp: 5°C
Optimum Germination Temp: 24°C
Maximum Germination Temp: 32°C
Sowing Depth: 2cm
Greenhouse - earliest: n/a
Greenhouse - latest: n/a
Garden - earliest: March
Garden - latest: May
Field Sowing: March - May
Transplant to Garden: n/a
Planting Separation: 5 - 30cm
Sun / Shade: sun
Harvest start: August
Harvest end: spring

Web Page http://www.packetseeds.com/acatalog/Parsley_Fine_Leaved_Petroselinum_crispum_convar.crisp

Herbs

Parsley Large Leaved

Seeds per packet (approx.): 630

(Petroselinum crispum convar.crispum) - Fest

Variety with aromatic smooth leaves rich in vitamins, used as seasoning and for dish decoration. Plants over-winter without protection. This is a variety intended for all year round harvesting of quickly growing tops. Plants are of medium height, wide, with thick leaves. The leaves are smooth, medium green and uniform.



Minimum Germination Temp: 5°C
 Optimum Germination Temp: 24°C
 Maximum Germination Temp: 32°C
 Sowing Depth: 2cm
 Greenhouse - earliest: n/a
 Greenhouse - latest: n/a
 Garden - earliest: March
 Garden - latest: May
 Field Sowing: March - May
 Transplant to Garden: n/a
 Planting Separation: 5 - 30cm
 Sun / Shade: sun
 Harvest start: August
 Harvest end: spring

Sowing can be carried out any time during the year. In summer months irrigation may be needed. The growing time from spring and summer planting is 75 - 90 days; from autumn planting 140 - 180 days. The recommended plant spacing is 20 x 3cm.

Web Page http://www.packetseeds.com/acatalog/Parsley_Large_Leaved_Petroselinum_crispum_convar.crispum.html

Herbs

Peppermint (Mentha piperita)

Perennial plant used as fresh and dried leaves picked before blooming. Stimulates digestions and improves the appetite, leaf infusion acts to refresh during hot weather. Can be used as a seasoning to fish, meat and potato.



Seeds per packet (approx.): 900
 Optimum Germination Temp: 18°C
 Sowing Depth: 0.1cm
 Greenhouse - earliest: March
 Greenhouse - latest: April
 Garden - earliest: May
 Garden - latest: May
 Field Sowing: May
 Transplant to Garden: July
 Planting Separation: 30cm
 Sun / Shade: sun
 Harvest start: May
 Harvest end: August
 Height: 70cm

Web Page http://www.packetseeds.com/acatalog/Peppermint_Mentha_piperita.html

Herbs

Red Basil (Ocimum basilicum)

Very showy annual plant with aromatic dark-purple leaves and pink flowers. Fresh leaves can be used as a seasoning to cucumber souring, and dried leaves in salads, sauces, casseroles, roast meat and fish.



Seeds per packet (approx.): 195
 Optimum Germination Temp: 20°C
 Sowing Depth: 0.3cm
 Greenhouse - earliest: January
 Greenhouse - latest: April
 Garden - earliest: May
 Garden - latest: May
 Field Sowing: May
 Transplant to Garden: late May
 Planting Separation: 20 - 30cm
 Sun / Shade: sun
 Harvest start: July
 Harvest end: September
 Height: 30 - 40cm

Web Page http://www.packetseeds.com/acatalog/Red_Basil_Ocimum_basilicum.html

Herbs





Rosemary (Rosmarinus officinalis)

Perennial, evergreen shrub with aromatic leaves for culinary use. Height to 120cm. Plants should live for several years if trimmed to keep their shape.



Sow March to May under cover ideally in a propagator, using sowing compost. Germination can be slow and erratic and take several weeks. Prick out and grow on before planting out.

Web Page http://www.packetseeds.com/acatalog/Rosemary_Rosmarinus_officialis.html

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Herbs	<p>Sage (<i>Salvia officinalis</i>)</p> <p>Perennial plant with medicinal properties. Can be used as a seasoning in soups, sauces and meat dishes.</p>	 <p>Seeds per packet (approx.): 65 Optimum Germination Temp: 18°C Sowing Depth: 0.5cm Greenhouse - earliest: mid March Greenhouse - latest: April Garden - earliest: May Garden - latest: May Field Sowing: May Transplant to Garden: May Planting Separation: 30 - 40cm Sun / Shade: sun Harvest start: May Harvest end: August Height: 60 - 70cm</p> <p>Web Page http://www.packetseeds.com/acatalog/Sage_Salvia_officialis_.html</p>
Herbs	<p>Summer Savory (<i>Satureja hortensis</i>)</p> <p>Annual plant excellent as a seasoning to cucumbers and cabbage souring. Fresh or dried above-ground part of plant can be used as an additive to meat, fish, beans, soups and sauces.</p>	 <p>Seeds per packet (approx.): 650 Optimum Germination Temp: 18°C Sowing Depth: 1cm Greenhouse - earliest: March Greenhouse - latest: April Garden - earliest: April Garden - latest: April Field Sowing: April Transplant to Garden: late May Planting Separation: 20 -30cm Sun / Shade: sun Harvest start: July Harvest end: October Height: 50cm</p> <p>Web Page http://www.packetseeds.com/acatalog/Summer_Savory_Satureja_hortensis_.html</p>
Herbs	<p>Tarragon (<i>Artemisia dracunculus</i>)</p> <p>Perennial plant. Fresh or dried leaves can be added to lamb, poultry, sauces and eggs.</p>	 <p>Seeds per packet (approx.): 50 Optimum Germination Temp: 18°C Sowing Depth: 0.2cm Greenhouse - earliest: April Greenhouse - latest: May Garden - earliest: n/a Garden - latest: n/a Transplant to Garden: July - August Planting Separation: 40cm Sun / Shade: sun Harvest start: May Harvest end: August Height: 120cm</p> <p>Web Page http://www.packetseeds.com/acatalog/Tarragon_Artemisia_dracunculus_.html</p>
Herbs	<p>Thyme (<i>Thymus vulgaris</i>)</p> <p>Perennial plant. Above-ground part of the plant cut off at the start of flowering and then dried. Can be used as a seasoning to venison, cheese, soups, meat and smoked meat.</p>	 <p>Seeds per packet (approx.): 1000 Optimum Germination Temp: 15°C Sowing Depth: 0.5cm Greenhouse - earliest: May Greenhouse - latest: June Garden - earliest: April Garden - latest: May Field Sowing: April - May Transplant to Garden: July - August Planting Separation: 15 - 25cm Sun / Shade: sun Harvest start: May Harvest end: July Height: 40cm</p> <p>Web Page http://www.packetseeds.com/acatalog/Thyme_Thymus_vulgaris_.html</p>
Herbs	<p>True Lavender (<i>Lavandula officinalis</i>)</p> <p>Perennial medicinal, seasoning, aromatic and ornamental plant. As a seasoning can be added with</p>	<p>Seeds per packet (approx.): 90 Optimum Germination Temp: 18°C Special Germination Conditions: Stratify Sowing Depth: 0.5cm Greenhouse - earliest: April Greenhouse - latest: June Garden - earliest: April</p>



savory, dill and sage to meat and fish dishes.

Garden - latest: June
Field Sowing: April - June
Transplant to Garden: July - August
Planting Separation: 30 - 35cm
Sun / Shade: sun
Harvest start: August
Harvest end: September
Height: 50cm

Web Page http://www.packetseeds.com/acatalog/True_Lavender_Lavandula_officinalis_.html