



## SEEDS

Yilgarn Seeds - Organic Heirloom Open Pollinated Seeds. Vegetables, Herbs and Multi-use Plants. Grown and Harvested exclusively from our Permaculture Gardens.



### ASIAN GREENS - BOK CHOI

Sow Spring to Autumn.

Grown for the broad white leafstalks which are widely used in Chinese stir-fries. Leafstalks should be picked often, like silverbeet.

Small compact plant, very easy and quick to grow. Matures after 60 days and has excellent resistance to bolting.

**SKU:** ASIA-BOK (Seeds/pkt: 50)

### BARLEY - POPPING

Sow Autumn.

A two-row type barley often used as 'mash' for home brew beer. It can also be popped like popcorn and eaten. Grows up to 1m tall producing disease resistant 100mm heads.

**SKU:** BARL-POP (Seeds/pkt: 200)



### BASIL - EAST INDIAN CLOVE

Sow Spring

(In Geraldton, Autumn to Spring).

Drought and wind tolerant, this 1.5m tall perennial plant's leaves are used as a clove substitute. It is particularly good in Indian curries. Extremely useful in gardens, its strong aroma confuses insects and they have trouble finding plants to eat.

**SKU:** BASI-EAS (Seeds/pkt: 20)



## BASIL - SWEET GIANT-LEAVED

Sow Spring.

Always sow after the shortest day to prolong flowering and encourage leafy growth. Never has picking basil leaves to make pesto been quicker. This hardy variety has slightly wavy green leaves several times larger than common sweet basil.

Constant tipping of flowers from plants will promote more leaves. This annual is well-suited for growing in balcony pots.

**SKU:** BASI-SWE (Seeds/pkt: 50)



## BEAN - FRANCO'S GREEN BEAN

Sow Spring

(In Geraldton, sow Autumn).

A white seeded variety of green bean whose pods are best eaten when young.

A vigorous climber with yellow flowers and a good seed set. Pods to 200mm long.

**SKU:** BEAN-FRA (Seeds/pkt: 40)



## BEAN - HAWKESBURY WONDER

Plant Spring

(In Geraldton, plant Autumn)

This is a bush bean which produces screeds of green flat beans up to 18cm in length. Tremendously successful in Geraldton through the winter growing period as it is cold tolerant. This variety has lilac flowers and seeds are red. Known to be resistant to fusarium wilt and bacterial diseases.

**SKU:** BEAN-HAW (Seeds/pkt: 40)



## BEAN - WA RUNNER

Sow Early Spring (In Geraldton - Sow Autumn)

Climbing green bean, also known as 'Westralia' bred in the 1950s in Western Australia for its productivity and rust resistance.

Grow on fence or trellis to 2 metres tall.

**SKU:** BEAN-WAR (Seeds/pkt: 40)





## BEAN - ZEBRA

Sow early Spring (In Geraldton, Autumn or Spring). Also known as 'Scotia' bean, a stringless 'pencil-pod' climbing bean with thin speckled purple pods around 12cm long and 'zebra' stripe patterns on seeds. Pick once pod reaches full size and best eaten as a green bean lightly steamed.

**SKU:** BEAN-ZEB (Seeds/pkt: 40)



## BROAD BEAN - LENS' LONGPOD

Sow mid Winter to Spring.

Large 220mm long, green longpod variety saved since 1993 by Len from Jurien Bay, Western Australia.

Up to seven 30mm flat seeds per pod. Young beans can be steamed and eaten whole.

Pruning plants before they flower promotes a bushy habit reducing their overall height and the need for staking.

**SKU:** BROA-LLP (Seeds/pkt: 18)

## BROAD BEAN - PERUVIAN EMERALD

Sow mid Winter to Spring.

A green seeded broad bean with 3 to 4 seeds per pod. It sets seed even in warmer winter areas. Good disease resistance and prolific bearer. Whole pods can be eaten immature as steamed greens or when more mature, shelled beans (still soft) as steamed beans. Dry beans can be soaked and cooked in bean salads, or substituted for kidney or borlotti beans in Italian and Mexican dishes.

**SKU:** BROA-PEM (Seeds/pkt: 33)



## BROCCOLI - VERDANTE

Sow early Autumn.

The flowering buds and stems of this plant are harvested and eaten fresh or stemmed. In warmer climates this plant lasts for several years. This variety produces one large head then on-goingly produces multiple small flowering heads. Sowing early autumn in the midwest will allow the large heads to mature before the winter cycle of aphids.

**SKU:** BROC-VER (Seeds/pkt: 60)

## CALENDULA - ORANGE FLOWERED

Sow end of Winter - Autumn.

Brilliant orange flowered medicinal plant. Petals harvested, dried can be made into an antiseptic salve.

Petals can be eaten and look stunning when drizzled with olive oil in a salad.

**SKU:** CALE-ORA (Seeds/pkt: 75)



## CAPE GOOSEBERRY - PERUVIAN GROUND CHERRY

Sow Spring (In Geraldton, sow anytime).

Hardy sprawling bush 1.5m wide & 1m tall. Sweet yellow berry fruit can be harvested when jacket wrapping is papery dry. Fruit can be eaten fresh or made into jam. If left to dry on the plant, fruit make delicious sultanas. Living for 3 years, plant can be trained as a vine and responds well to pruning.

**SKU:** CAP-GOOS (Seeds/pkt: 30)



## CAPSICUM - CENTINEL

Sow Spring.

(In Geraldton, Autumn-Spring).

An excellent flavoured sweet capsicum with long tapered chilli shape fruit to 130mm, turning red when ripe.

Prolific variety with records of up to 700 fruit per plant.

**SKU:** CAPS-CEN (Seeds/pkt: 25)



## CAPSICUM - JAPANESE

Plant Spring.

Prolific variety with large sweet fruit. Sow in a rich soil and keep moist. Fruit will be smaller if nutrients are inadequate. Large leaves help protect fruit from sunburn.

May benefit from filtered shade in summer. Pick fruit when full size, either green or later when red.

**SKU:** CAPS-JAP (Seeds/pkt: 25)





## CARROT - ALL SEASONS

Sow Autumn-Spring warm climates. All year cool climates. Summer in cold climates.

Productive carrot suitable for wide range of climates with long 20cm orange coloured root and good flavour. Sow directly in long furrows to 5mm in friable soil. Cover and firmly press soil.

Stagger sowing fortnightly for continual harvest. Keep weed free and soil moist. Matures in 65 to 80 days. Thinned carrots can be eaten as 'baby' carrots.

**SKU:** CARR-ALL (Seeds/pkt: 450)



## CATNIP - WHITE FLOWERING

Plant Spring.

(In Geraldton, Autumn).

Catnip is drought tolerant and often perennial. The mint-like scent of the bruised leaves of this herb is said to attract cats and deter rats. It stands 1/2 m high and its white flowers are a good bee attractant for pollination when grown around in orchards and vegetable gardens. Young shoots can be used in salads.

**SKU:** CATN-WHI (Seeds/pkt: 25)



## CELERY - GOLDEN SELF-BLANCHING

Sow Winter.

This variety has very pale golden-yellow leaves and stems.

It is a compact variety with stringless stems and a delicate flavour.

Best eaten young and when grown in blocks rather than rows natural blanching will improve the flavour.

**SKU:** CELE-GOL (Seeds/pkt: 200)



## CELTUCE - NARROW LEAF

Sow Spring.

(In Geraldton, sow Autumn).

Also called 'asparagus lettuce' this chinese vegetable is left in the ground until it develops a stem length of 30cm.

They are then peeled and thinly sliced before being stir fried. The hearts can also be eaten like small lettuces.

**SKU:** CELT-NAR (Seeds/pkt: 50)



## CHARD - ITALIAN BLEDON SPINACH

Plant early Winter.

This wonderfully sweet lime green leaf vegetable will supersede all other silverbeets once you taste it.

It is so sweet it makes a great lettuce substitute.

A vigorous and fast growing variety, seeding in it's first summer in Geraldton.

**SKU:** CHAR-ITA (Seeds/pkt: 100)



## CHILLI - BANOS RED

Sow Spring.

Extremely attractive colourful upright pointing fruit 30mm long and 15mm wide.

Bush grows to 400mm with deep green foliage and purple flowers. The purple fruit turns orange then red when ripe.

**SKU:** CHIL-BAN (Seeds/pkt: 25)



## CHILLI - INFERNO

Sow Spring (In Geraldton, sow Autumn).

Upright red fruit 40mm long and 10mm wide tapering to a point. A compact bush form with a long heavy fruiting period. Exhibits nematode tolerance.

**SKU:** CHIL-INF (Seeds/pkt: 25)



## CHILLI - RED THAI LONG

Sow Spring.

(In Geraldton, sow Autumn).

Bush grows to 600-700mm with long thin green fruit 80mm long and 5mm wide with a tapering point, that turns red when ripe.

Slight circular ridging around the fruit. Hot, pungent and flavourful fruit that dries well.

**SKU:** CHIL-RTL (Seeds/pkt: 25)





## CHILLI - ST HELENA ORANGE

Sow Spring

(In Geraldton Autumn).

These strong plants produce a tapered 75mm long hot chilli that change colour to a deep orange when ripe.

Plants can also be grown from root suckers.

**SKU:** CHIL-SHO (Seeds/pkt: 25)



## CHILLI - YELLOW PERUVIAN

Sow Spring.

(In Geraldton, Spring to Autumn).

This bush produces attractive, bright yellow, tapered chillies approx. 50mm long.

A rare Peruvian cultivar for the gourmet palate. A prolific bearer over two years in frost free areas.

A very hot, flavoursome chilli suited to many red bean dishes.

**SKU:** CHIL-YEL (Seeds/pkt: 25)



## CORIANDER - CHINESE

Sow Autumn.

This small seeded variety is preferred in Thai cooking. The ground roots are also used.

Coriander powder is made from the dried seeds. Leaves are used extensively in Indian cooking.

**SKU:** CORI-CHI (Seeds/pkt: 60)



## CORIANDER - THAI SERRATED LEAF

Sow Spring.

(In Geraldton, anytime).

Once you have cooked with this herb, you will make the effort to grow it.

A small perennial thistle-like plant whose leaves and root have a strong and agreeable coriander flavour.

It is a main ingredient in 'sofrito', a West Indian seasoning made of Parsley, Chilli and Thai Coriander.

**SKU:** CORI-THA (Seeds/pkt: 50)



## CORN - CHINESE MINI

Sow Spring (In Geraldton produces a late crop if sown early-mid March).

Plants reach 1.5m and tend to be multiple stemmed. Each plant produces approximately 15 cob.

These can be harvested when premature (silks are pink and eaten as chinese mini corn. If let to mature, the small red kernels may be used as popcorn. If saving seed, cull any over sized plants.

**SKU:** CORN-CHI (Seeds/pkt: 100)



## CORN - MEXICAN SWEETCORN

Sow Spring

(In Geraldton - late Winter or late Summer).

A delicious variety not exhibiting the insipid sweetness of many hybrids. 250mm long kernels with 2 to 3 cobs per plant. Seeds are a golden yellow colour. A characteristic of this variety is that the seeds dry flat, this is not an indication of viability. 4 months to maturity.

**SKU:** CORN-MEX (Seeds/pkt: 100)



## CORN - MULTI-COLOURED AZTEC

Sow Spring - Summer.

This plant grows to 2.5m high and produces a beautiful cob speckled with white red, blue and yellow kernels.

This corn can also be eaten if harvested in its immature stage. Cobs make excellent dried ornaments.

Dried seeds are usually ground to make a cornmeal for breads and corn chips.

**SKU:** CORN-MAZ (Seeds/pkt: 100)



## COWPEA - BENNY'S MOON

Sow Spring (In Geraldton, early Spring).

Heat tolerant, vigorous climber up to 3m along trellis or wire fence .

Highly productive, with up to 16 light browned coloured peas per pod. Short lived Perennial in warmer, frost-free climates.

**SKU:** COWP-MOO (Seeds/pkt: 25)





## CRESS - GARDEN

Sow Spring to Autumn. (In Geraldton, Autumn).  
Young leaves can be regularly picked to provide a tangy, peppery taste as a salad herb or garnish for omelettes, soups and sandwiches.  
Seeds suitable for sprouting. Prefers a shady spot if planted towards the hotter months. Maturity in less than four weeks.

**SKU:** CRES-GAR (Seeds/pkt: 50)



## CUCUMBER - DONGARA LONG WHITE APPLE

Sow Spring.  
Climbing plant, fruit 150 to 200mm long. White coloured flesh with white skin.  
This apple type of cucumber has textured surface. Heirloom variety from Dongara, Western Australia.

**SKU:** CUCU-DON (Seeds/pkt: 30)



## DILL - CULINARY

Sow Autumn.  
Seed commonly used a flavouring for pickles and fish. A good orchard plant it grows to 1.5m, has huge parachute shaped flower which attract many garden pest predators.  
Delightful green soft fern-like foliage often picked, dried and sold as 'Dill Tips'.

**SKU:** DILL-CUL (Seeds/pkt: 50)



## EDIBLE CHRYSANTHEMUM - SERRATED LEAF

Sow Spring.  
(In Geraldton, Autumn).  
Sometimes referred to as 'Chop Suey Greens'. Leaves are eaten in Stir fries in Chinese food.  
This annual plant grow to 1.5m and has masses of 30-40mm yellow chrysanthemum flowers.

**SKU:** EDIB-CHR (Seeds/pkt: 40)



## EGGPLANT - LAOS TIGER GREEN STRIPE

Sow Spring (In Geraldton, sow anytime).

A non-bitter heirloom eggplant with pleasant flavour from Laos. Standing 1.5m tall it has small round attractive fruit 50mm in dia. Cream-coloured fruit with green "tiger stripes" on upper half. When fruit is picked at this stage no pre-processing is needed, cook entire fruit with skin. Bears prolifically over 3-4 yrs. Tolerates a light frost.

**SKU:** EGGP-LAO (Seeds/pkt: 25)



## FENNEL - PERENNIAL

Sow Winter-Spring.

Perennial herb to 2m with soft foliage and sweet anise flavour. Young stems and leaves are used as a garnish and seasoning herb and traditionally for its many medicinal properties including aiding digestion and calming nerves. Plant in well drained soil.

**SKU:** FENN-PER (Seeds/pkt: 50)



## FENUGREEK - MARDIA

Sow direct into the ground after the shortest day.

A legume which grows and looks similar to a bush bean. Dried seeds are used ground in Indian curries or sprouted in salads. Young leafy shoots are also used in curries.

Boiled seed yields a yellow dye.

**SKU:** FENU-MAR (Seeds/pkt: 30)



## FEVERFEW - BACHELOR'S BUTTONS

Sow Autumn or Spring.

A stunning 500mm high daisy-like flowering plant with dainty fern-like leaves. An excellent general companion plant due to its pest predator attracting flowers and strong smelling leaves. Three to five fresh leaves between slices of bread said to reduce migraines.

**SKU:** FEVE-BAC (Seeds/pkt: 75)





## GOURD - PERHENTIAN ISLAND

Plant Spring.

A vigorous running climbing vine similar to a pumpkin. Can be grown up a trellis or along the ground.

Keep well aerated to avoid powdery mildew. This is one of our most mildew tolerant strains.

White flowers produce young fruit which can be eaten curried, grated into fritters, even pickled.

**SKU:** GOUR-PER (Seeds/pkt: 12)



## GOURD - YARD LONG

Plant Spring.

Also known as New Guinea Butterbean, is a pumpkin like climbing vine, fruits are up to 1m long or more. Harvest when 150-200mm long. Eaten like zucchini they have a flavour similar to cooked green beans.

Best grown on a trellis for blemish free fruit. Dried, they make great long musical rattles (maracas').

**SKU:** GOUR-YAL (Seeds/pkt: 12)



## HENNA - GAZA

Sow Spring.

Wind and heat tolerant deciduous bush growing to 2m with a mass of white flower umbels similar to an elderberry.

The leaves can be dried and ground to a powder which is mixed to a muddy paste to dye and condition hair.

A highly prized plant in the middle east.

**SKU:** HENN-GAZ (Seeds/pkt: 30)



## INDIGO - UPRIGHT INDIGO

Sow Spring.

Perennial semi-tropical plant which grows to one metre high and famed for its rich blue dye since ancient times.

Indigo is a legume with small purplish flowers in summer. In cooler climates grow in a warm north facing position.

**SKU:** INDI-UPR (Seeds/pkt: 30)



### LABLAB BEAN - RONGAI

Sow Spring-Summer.

Heat loving and drought tolerant summer growing legume it is used extensively as a green manure cover crop.

The leaves make an excellent fodder. In heavier soils it can be grown without summer rainfall providing there is adequate dew.

**SKU:** LABL-RON (Seeds/pkt: 30)

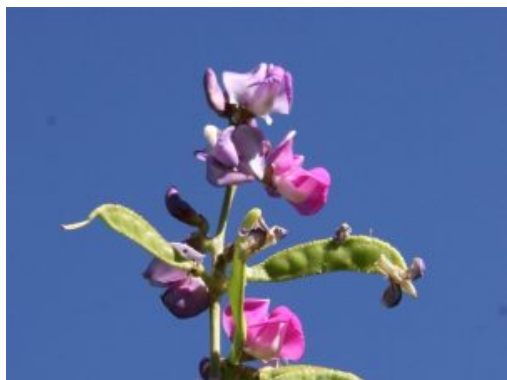


### LABLAB BEAN - SEVEN YEAR - HIGHWORTH

Sow Spring.

Strong summer grower and a wind tolerant climber (when tendrils are wound around a trellis). Tip vines to encourage outward growth. Young tender pods & immature seeds are eaten as a fresh bean. Leaves are eaten fresh or dried, as spinach. Short days trigger flowering. The delicious flowers are best eaten raw in salads. Mature seeds must be boiled before eating to breakdown a toxic cyanogenic glycoside in their coat.

**SKU:** LABL-HIG (Seeds/pkt: 25)



### LEEK - PERENNIAL BUNCHING LEEK

Sow Autumn.

Grow in full sun. Produces a large mother leek that can be harvested leaving the surrounding smaller leeks to mature and harvest as needed. Leeks may be divided and you'll have an on-going leek supply.

This leek is often grown by bulblets, in Geraldton it seeds in March, at other latitudes in may not seed. Store seed in fridge to extend its viability time.

**SKU:** LEEK-PER (Seeds/pkt: 40)



### LEGUME SHRUB - DESMANTHUS

Sow Spring Summer.

Bushy wind hardy heavy nitrogen fixer growing up to 2m. It has small soft leaflets with a 22% protein content. As a browse fodder shrub it is very palatable and recovers after heavy grazing. It self-seeds vigorously and could become troublesome if not managed by grazing. Poultry love eating young self sown seedlings.

**SKU:** LEGU-DES (Seeds/pkt: 30)





## LEGUME SHRUB - LEUCEANA

Sow Spring/Summer.

2m tall legume tree usually grown in the tropics as cattle fodder. Poultry love the seeds. Doesn't like frosts and will survive in rainfall areas down to 450mm but prefers more. This low mimosine strain allows animals to access leaf protein similar in value to lucerne. Good nurse trees in orchards. To germinate, pour boiling water over seed and soak 24 hrs then plant swollen seeds.

**SKU:** LEGU-LEU (Seeds/pkt: 20)



## LEGUME SHRUB - SESBANIA - YELLOW PEA SHRUB

Sow Spring/Summer. (In Geraldton, Anytime).

Grows up to 3m in one year, this short lived legume shrub provides a good short term windbreak/screen if planted as a hedge.

An animal fodder plant chickens feast on the abundant self sown seedlings beneath older trees.

Seeds should be scarified or have boiling water poured over them and left to soak for 24 hours before planting.

**SKU:** LEGU-SES (Seeds/pkt: 30)



## LEGUME TREE - EARPOD TREE

Sow Spring/Summer.

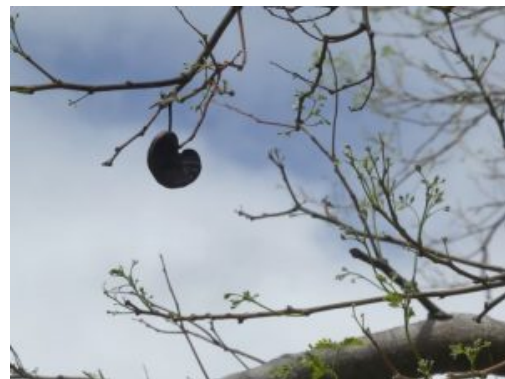
A statuesque semi-deciduous large South American tree with wide spreading limbs. Ideal for summer shade and letting the winter sun into your garden and home.

Suitable for a larger gardens and all soil types. This tree has deep non-invasive roots so is suitable for placement on the south side of garden beds and lawns offering excellent sun protection throughout our hot summers. The Earpod tree is a legume which has a prolific display of white flowers through early summer which bees love.

Traditionally utilised and valued as a plantation shelter tree, cattle forage and timber tree.

Seeds should be scarified or have boiling water poured over them and left to soak for 24 hours before planting.

**SKU:** LEGU-EAR (Seeds/pkt: 10)





### LEMON BALM - IRANIAN

Sow Spring (In Geraldton, Autumn).

An attractive aromatic annual herb for your garden. Hosts beneficial insects and bees forage it's purple flowers. Use leaves either fresh or dried as a herbal tea.

**SKU:** LEMO-IRA (Seeds/pkt: 30)

### LETTUCE - BROWN ROMAINE

Sow Spring.

(In Geraldton, Autumn to Winter).

A frilly open leaved lettuce with glossy brownish-red leaves.

It has a crisp texture and a good flavour with a hint of sweetness.

This is a cos lettuce, the leaves can be picked as needed.

**SKU:** LETT-BRO (Seeds/pkt: 100)



### LETTUCE - GOLDRUSH

Sow Spring

(In Geraldton, Autumn to Winter).

A spectacular golden oak-leaved type lettuce. Often has a diameter of 500mm and dome shaped.

The leaves can be picked as needed. In Geraldton is best grown in part shade for best flavour.

Good companion with onions and beans.

**SKU:** LETT-GOL (Seeds/pkt: 100)



### LETTUCE - LIGHT GREEN WAVY LEAF

Sow Spring

(In Geraldton, Autumn to Winter).

A sweet lettuce with lovely lime green leaves to 400mm in length.

Leaves can be individually harvested from the base of the plant providing an on-going lettuce supply.

Our fastest growing lettuce.

**SKU:** LETT-LGW (Seeds/pkt: 100)







### LETTUCE - PURPLE OAK

Sow Spring.

(In Geraldton, Autumn).

A vigorous late seeding French Red Lettuce with an oak leaf shaped deep purple and green leaves.

The outer leaves can be regularly picked and eaten after 6 weeks from sowing.

**SKU:** LETT-POA (Seeds/pkt: 100)

### LETTUCE - RABBITS EAR

Sow Spring.

(In Geraldton, Autumn to Winter).

Upright growing, ear-shaped, open hearted leaved plant. This is a cos lettuce that can have it's leaves picked as needed.

Delicious sweet variety that produces over the Winter and spring months.

Good companion with onions and beans.

**SKU:** LETT-RAB (Seeds/pkt: 100)



### LETTUCE - SPECKLED

Sow Spring. (In Geraldton, Autumn to Winter).

Loose leaved lettuce with attractive lime green leaves with light wine-red coloured 'speckles'.

Harvest leaves for salad mixes and sandwiches.

**SKU:** LETT-SPK (Seeds/pkt:100)

### LUFFA - ANGLED LUFFA

Sow Spring.

Also known as Chinese Okra, a vine with prized and distinctive fluted fruit for Asian cooking and when dried as a body scrub. Flowers, small immature fruit and young leaves can be steamed and stir fried.

As fruit matures it becomes bitter. Vine needs well fertilised moist soils, suitable climbing structure and shade during hot summers.

**SKU:** LUFF-ANG (Seeds/pkt: 12)





### LUFFA - PALESTINIAN SMOOTH

Sow Spring.

A vigorous vine producing large oblong fruit.

These can be eaten young when 100 mm in length or left to dry on the vine.

The skeleton of the fruit looks like a sea sponge, is used as a body scrub.

**SKU:** LUFF-PAL (Seeds/pkt: 12)

### MALLOW - EGYPTIAN SPINACH

Sow Spring.

A high protein, annual summer spinach substitute growing to 1.5m tall requiring good soil moisture to perform well in hot weather.

Also known as Jew's Mallow, the older bitter tasting leaves are mucilaginous and are an essential authentic ingredient, in the nutritious Middle Eastern and Northern African soup - Molokhiya.

Young leaves and young seed pods are milder in taste and can be eaten raw or lightly cooked, and combined with garlic and coriander.

**SKU:** MALL-EGY (Seeds/pkt: 50)



### MARIGOLD - AFRICAN - CRACKER JACK

Sow Autumn. Brighten up your vege garden with these brilliant orange / yellow flowering annuals. Planted with tomatoes, eggplants and other root knot nematode susceptible vegetable crops in sandy soils. They help reduce nematode pests by fumigating the soil with their root exudates allowing your veges to grow healthier and produce for their full fruiting time.

**SKU:** MARI-CRA (Seeds/pkt: 100)

### MARIGOLD - MEXICAN

Sow end of Winter - Autumn.

Tall growing marigold used to fumigate soil to reduce nematodes. If grown for a full season, it can be effective for up to 3 years. The mulched leaves are a useful pest deterrent. An essential companion to tomatoes and capsicums. The foliage can cause skin irritations.

**SKU:** MARI-MEX (Seeds/pkt: 200)







## MARULA - AFRICAN MARULA TREE

Sow Summer. Germinates in 2 weeks in 30°+ C.

Drought-tolerant deciduous shade tree from South Africa can grow over 9 metres tall. Edible yellow round fruit used to produce 'Amarula' liqueur.

Fruit contains large hard seed covered by jelly-like flesh. Seed holds 1-3 embryos which yield high protein oil.

Seeds can be difficult to germinate and best for experienced growers. Essentially the seeds corks need to be removed or punctured to allow water to imbibe into seed to trigger germination.

[Click this www.dalrrd.gov.za Link](http://www.dalrrd.gov.za) for detailed propagation techniques.

**SKU:** MARU-AFR (Seeds/pkt: 3)

## MELON - MINNESOTA MIDGET ROCKMELON

Plant Spring.

Vigorous bushy plant rather than a running vine. Fruit have a delicious balanced flavour.

Fruit are 100-125mm round with deep orange flesh. They are suitable for one person, one meal.

**SKU:** MELO-MIN (Seeds/pkt: 25)



## MINT - KOREAN

Sow all year.

Traditionally used in Eastern Asia as dried or fresh leaves for seasoning in meats, salad dressings and as medicinal tea.

Growing to 1metre tall this perennial herb has a distinctive anise flavour. The young leaves and shoots may be boiled and eaten as greens.

**SKU:** MINT-KOR (Seeds/pkt: 40)

## MINT - PALESTINIAN ZARTMANII

Sow all year.

A ground covering perennial herb it has a strong sweet pungent smell and self seeds readily.

This extremely hardy plant is native to the limestone hills in the West Bank in the occupied Territories of Palestine but grows well in most soils.

Sprigs are often put into black tea as a flavouring. It has a pretty pink mauve flower.



**SKU:** MINT-PZA (Seeds/pkt: 30)



### MOTHERWORT - COMMON

Sow Spring (In Geraldton, Autumn).  
Hardy perennial to 1.5m in cooler climates. Grows as an annual in Geraldton where it self-seeds with strong seedlings during winter. Green fingered leaves and whorls of pink flowers in early summer. Likes well-drained soil and limestone. Yields a dark green wool dye. A tea from the plant is a relaxing tonic for menopausal changes.

**SKU:** MOTH-COM (Seeds/pkt: 60)

### MUSTARD LETTUCE - MIZUNA

Sow early Autumn.

Sow in punnets and transplant as seedlings at 3-4 weeks. Highly productive and hardy open-leaved frilled green that looks like decorative seaweed. This delicious Japanese bred green can be eaten raw, tossed in salads or lightly steamed like spinach. Pick leaves as needed.

**SKU:** MUST-MIT (Seeds/pkt: 50)



### MUSTARD LETTUCE - THAI OYSTER

Sow Spring  
(In Geraldton - sow Autumn).  
Grown for its tender, crisp, oyster shaped heart and leaves which are best cooked in stir fries. Cool night temperatures are best for heading. Full sun during winter is best as the high light intensity encourages tight heading.

**SKU:** MUST-THA (Seeds/pkt: 50)

### NASTURTIUM - INDIAN CRESS

Sow Autumn or Spring. These hardy colourful flowers are annual sprawling plants. The poorer the soils they grow in, the more prolific the flowers. The orange flowers have a peppery flavour and are often used in salads. The scent from the orange flowers repel aphids. The green seeds are often harvested and pickled then used as a caper substitute. These plants self sow every year.

**SKU:** NAST-IND (Seeds/pkt: 25)







### NASTURTIIUM - WATER CRESS

Sow Autumn. This plant will grow in shallow still water or boggy soil but prefers growing on the bank edge of running water. In Geraldton this plant is a self-seeding annual. Mustard flavoured leaves are used in salads. Seeds can also be used to make sprouts.

**SKU:** NAST-OFF (Seeds/pkt: 40)

### ONION - HEBREW BROWN

Plant Autumn. Harvest Oct-Dec.

Brown skinned onion with good keeping qualities. Best sown in a tray covered with ~5mm soil. Transplant seedlings when stems 3-6mm thick and only cover up to the small white part of the stem with soil. If seed saving, you need several plants to get good seed. Onion varieties grown at the same time will cross. Will not cross with leeks, chives or garlic chives.

**SKU:** ONIO-HEB (Seeds/pkt: 200)



### OREGANO - GREEK

Sow Autumn-Spring (In Geraldton all year)

Prostrate hardy, perennial culinary herb that prefers a warm position with free draining soil. Pick a few leaves for your tomato based pasta sauces and casseroles. Suitable in a pot but avoid over-watering. Provide part shade and additional summer watering in hot, dry climates.

**SKU:** OREG-GRK (Seeds/Pkt:50)

### OREGANO - PALESTINIAN ZA'ATAR

Plant Spring.

The leaves and flowering tops of this one metre tall perennial herb are used as a seasoning.

In the Middle East, Za'atar is made from the dried herb which is mixed with sumac and sesame; this is eaten with flat bread and olive oil.

This variety has a zingy savoury flavour reminiscent of a blend of thyme, oregano and marjorum.

**SKU:** ORIG-SYR (Seeds/pkt: 50)





### PARSLEY - EGYPTIAN

Plant anytime

(In Geraldton - early Winter to Spring).

One of the sweetest large leaved varieties of parsley. Used extensively in the mediterranean salad tabouleh.

It is extremely heat and quite drought tolerant.

**SKU:** PARS-EGY (Seeds/pkt: 100)

### PARSLEY - ITALIAN

Plant early Winter.

Flat, glossy deeply cut leaves. Excellent strong aromatic taste. A vigorous erect plant, many people prefer this variety's flavour over the triple-curved.

It tends to be a more heat tolerant than triple-curved.

This variety grows for two years and is drought tolerant. 78 days to maturity.

**SKU:** PARS-ITA (Seeds/pkt: 100)



### PASSIONFRUIT - HAWAIIAN YELLOW

Sow Spring or Autumn.

Seeds germinates quickly within 2 weeks when soil is warm. Fast growing climber nematode tolerant with bright yellow oval fruits that drop off the plant when ripe.

The fruits ~60mm in diameter are sweet with a nice acid balance. Keep soil moist and fertilised. Makes a great fruit leather or a superb passionfruit-pumpkin chutney.

**SKU:** PASS- HAW (Seeds/pkt: 15)

### PASSIONFRUIT - LOVE-IN-A-MIST

Plant Spring.

A vigorous, fast growing climber during the warmer months. Where cold winters prevail, grow this plant as an annual.

It produces a small yellow, soft-skinned fruit (15-20mm) with a pleasant flavour.

Both the unripe green fruit and leaves contain hydrocyanic acid which shouldn't be eaten. Extremely wind-tolerant climber and poultry love the ripe fruit.

**SKU:** PASS-FOE (Seeds/pkt: 20)







### PASSIONFRUIT - PAWPAWADILLA

Plant Spring.

A perennial climbing variety of green passionfruit from Zimbabwe. It has a delicate three fingered leaf, hardy to wind and extreme heat. The fruit are sweet and non-acidic with a soft skin that peels off the fruit easily. Fruit ~50mm in diameter. A good nematode rootstock for *Passiflora edulis*.

**SKU:** PASS-PAW (Seeds/pkt: 20)

### PASSIONFRUIT - TENNIS BALL PINK

Sow Spring/Summer.

Subtropical variety that prefers a warm north-facing location in winter.

Seed will take 2-4 weeks to germinate @ 25 degrees. Large round pink/purple skinned fruit on a vigorous productive vine producing through winter in Geraldton.

Excellent flavoured pulp. Allow skin to wrinkle slightly to attain full sweetness.

Will grow better if protected from strong winds. In hot, dry summer regions it grows better along fences rather than overhead trellis.

**SKU:** PASS-TEN (Seeds/pkt: 15)



### PEA - JAPANESE AND OREGAMI

Sow Spring (Geraldton - Autumn).

These two semi-dwarf climbing pea varieties require a 1m trellis. They are both heavy bearers and have a sweet flavour. Oregami is a snow pea which exhibits mildew tolerance and when grown with Japanese peas gives them a degree of protection.

If picked young, the Japanese pea pods can also be eaten. Both varieties have white flowers and light green seeds. Oregami has the wider flat pod.

**SKU:** PEA-JAO (Seeds/pkt: 50)

### POPPY - FLANDERS

Sow Autumn.

A brilliant red flowering poppy. The centre of each petal has an exquisite black pattern reminiscent of a Japanese painting.

These beautiful winter/spring flowers self-seed every year, they glorify everywhere they grow.

**SKU:** POPP-FLA (Seeds/pkt: 350)



### **RADISH - RAT TAIL**

Sow Autumn.

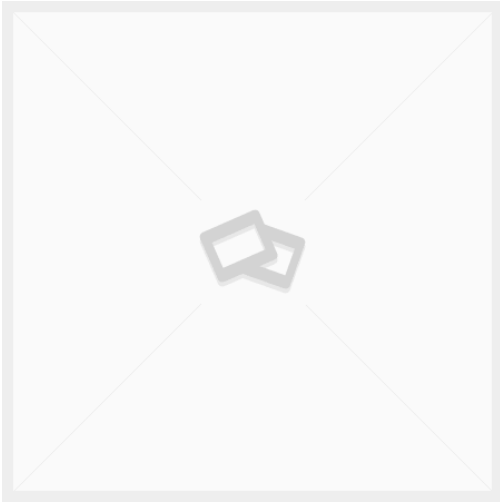
A rarely seen variety of radish, grown for it's quick growing and large edible pods up to 60mm long.

The pods have an attractive purplish tint and are best harvested when still tender and free of fibres.

Younger pods can be eaten raw, though here on our farm we enjoy them roasted.

Care must be taken if grown for seed as these will cross with the common 'weed' wild radish. The roots are not harvested.

**SKU:** RADI-RAT (Seeds/pkt: 40 )



### **ROCKET - ARUGULA**

Sow Spring (In Geraldton, Autumn to Winter).

Young leaves have a distinct, spicy-oak flavour and are eaten raw in salads or sauted in garlic and olive oil.

Popular ingredient of mescaline. Flowers make a good garnish & the seeds contain a mustard oil substitute.

**SKU:** ROCK-ARA (Seeds/pkt: 50)



### **RUE - JACKMAN'S BLUE**

Sow Spring.

Strong smelling perennial plant used to ward off negative energies. A beautiful blue foliage contrast plant.

Grow in vegetable gardens to confuse insects. Small amounts are crushed and used in vinegars, pickles etc.

**SKU:** RUE-JAC (Seeds/pkt: 30)





## SNAKE BEAN - RED SEEDED

Sow Spring - Summer.

Also known as the Yard Long Bean. This vigorous red seeded variety is shade and heat tolerant providing it is kept moist. Bean pods up to 400mm should be regularly harvested when young and tender.

It can be eaten fresh in its pod or harvested after drying on the vine as a dried bean.

**SKU:** SNAK-RED (Seeds/pkt: 25)



## SNOWPEA - CHINESE PINK & SUPER NOVA

Sow Spring (In Geraldton, early Winter).

Two great climbing varieties in one packet. Super Nova has white flowers and larger edible pods with a vigorous character and mildew resistance.

Chinese Pink is a heavy bearing variety with delicate pink flowers producing sweet pods when young, or shelled peas later in the season. Sprouted dried peas make excellent salad sprouts.

**SKU:** SNOW-CPS (Seeds/pkt: 50)



## SNOWPEA - GIANT AND DELTA MATILDA

Sow Spring - Summer

(In Geraldton, Autumn).

Mix of two varieties to reduce powdery mildew spread. The Giant variety is a traditional tall climbing snowpea with sweet pods that can be eaten whole or shelled and enjoyed raw. Plant mildew resistant Delta Matilda is a vigorous stable cross with red/pink flower, green-brown seeds. Plant a either side of Giant variety.

**SKU:** SNOW-GDM (Seeds/pkt: 50)



## SPINACH - JAPANESE

Sow Autumn.

This is a sweet variety of English spinach. It is an annual prickly seeded variety with lobed leaves and more cold and heat tolerant than traditional smooth seeded varieties.

This delicious fast growing spinach doesn't leave the unpleasant after effects on teeth like Silverbeet and is hard to walk past in our garden without nibbling!

You can use a rolling pin to crack seed coat before sowing to hasten germination (be careful not to squash the embryos).

**SKU:** SPIN-JAP (Seeds/pkt: 70)



## SPINACH - RED MALABAR

Plant Spring

Fast growing Asian vine with spinach tasting leaves and young stems which can be eaten as a salad or added to stir fry dishes.

Like lots of moisture, heat and enriched soil. Provide trellis or climbing framework to keep leaves from covering garden bed.

Perennial in tropical climates and warmer humid climates. Otherwise will grow as an annual.

**SKU:** SPIN-RMA (Seeds/pkt: 30)



## SUNFLOWER - GERALDTON GIANT



Sow Spring (In Geraldton, anytime). Large plant over two and half metres tall with masses of small headed flowers. Drought tolerant oil variety, best on poor soils. During hot summers they cast a wonderful shade in vegetable gardens and serve as good decoys for pink and grey galahs. Chickens love eating the oily seeds. Sunflowers cross between varieties.

**SKU:** SUNF-GER (Seeds/pkt: 35)

## TOMATILLO - GRANDE VERDE

Sow Spring.

An annual plant growing to 0.5m with lobed fruit encased in jackets similar to Cape Gooseberries.

The 30mm fruit berry is harvested when soft. Eaten cooked with tomatoes and is the original 'taco' flavour.

**SKU:** TOMT-GRA (Seeds/pkt: 30)



## TOMATO - BLACK KRIM



Sow Autumn-Spring.

This large tomato is one of the beefhearts. These unusual shaped tomatoes are called the 'crinklelies'.

Their flesh is a maroon-purple colour and meaty texture with a tasty flavour. The vine is vigorous and needs staking.

**SKU:** TOMA-KRI (Seeds/pkt: 40)



### TOMATO - BROAD RIPPLE YELLOW CURRANT

Sow Spring (In Geraldton, Autumn). A vigorous 3m tall vine that requires staking and produces a mass of 10mm round sweet yellow fruit in grape like bunches. Unlike other tomatoes they won't split if left to dry on the vines and hence do not attract fruit fly. Prolific self-seeder and our most drought tolerant tomato variety.

**SKU:** TOMA-BRY (Seeds/pkt: 40)



### TOMATO - GOLDEN SUNRISE

Sow Spring  
(In Geraldton, early Autumn to Spring).  
Prolific indeterminate staking variety with excellent low-acid sweet flavour.

Gold yellow round fruit, 50mm diameter. 80 days to maturity.

**SKU:** TOMA-GSU (Seeds/pkt: 40)



### TOMATO - GREEN ZEBRA

Sow Spring  
(In Geraldton, early Autumn to Spring).  
Bears after 80 days from transplanting. Apricot-sized fruit with a greenish lime colour and deep green stripes.  
The green flesh has a mild pleasing flavour. Indeterminate vine. Good for processing, as well as eating out of hand or in salads.

**SKU:** TOMA-GZE (Seeds/pkt: 40)



### TOMATO - LEMON BOY

Sow Spring  
(In Geraldton, early Autumn to Spring).  
Well flavoured medium-sized, deep globe shaped, lemon-yellow fruit.  
Vigorous indeterminate vine that needs staking.  
Resistant to fusarium and verticillium wilts, and nematodes. Originally a hybrid now is a stabilised open-pollinated variety. Maturity from 75 days.

**SKU:** TOMA-LBO (Seeds/pkt: 40)



## TOMATO - MAMA LUCIE

Sow Spring

(In Geraldton, early Autumn to Spring).

Prolific indeterminate vine with good quality yellow fruit to 40mm size. Good foliage cover and multiple disease resistance. This a good salad tomato. Maturity from 85 days.

**SKU:** TOMA-MAM (Seeds/pkt: 40)



## TOMATO - PERSIMMON

Sow Spring

(In Geraldton, early Autumn to Spring).

Large, deep, globe-shaped fruit 100mm diameter. Bright orange skin and flesh with solid, meaty flesh and a few seeds. Strong distinctive flavour.

Keeping calcium levels up to this variety will reduce blossom end rot. Large indeterminate vine that matures from 80 days. Excellent for slicing.

**SKU:** TOMA-PER (Seeds/pkt: 40)



## TOMATO - PERUVIAN RED CHERRY

Sow Spring

(In Geraldton, early Autumn to Spring).

Heavy bearing variety with delicious small round cherry red fruits. Excellent for eating out of hand. Needs staking.

**SKU:** TOMA-PRC (Seeds/pkt: 40)



## TOMATO - PINK PONDEROSA

Sow Spring

(In Geraldton, early Autumn to Spring).

A large, flattened globe-shaped tomato. The deep pink fruit of excellent flavour is fleshy with few seeds.

Very good for drying, slicing, canning or stewing. Needs staking. Bears continuously over a long period.

**SKU:** TOMA-PPO (Seeds/pkt: 40)





## TOMATO - RED CHICK

Sow Spring

(In Geraldton, early Autumn to Spring).

Medium-sized, red slicing tomato that bears heavily over 18 months in frost-free areas.

Drought tolerant it produces flavour filled tomato even under water stress. Indeterminate vines show multiple disease resistance.

**SKU:** TOMA-RCH (Seeds/pkt: 40)



## TOMATO - SAINT PIERRE

Sow Spring

(In Geraldton, Autumn).

A tasty, medium sized slicing tomato for your plate or sandwich. Cold hardy, indeterminate heirloom variety having origins from St Pierre Island, Newfoundland.

Requires staking or a fence line to support it's productive vigour.

**SKU:** TOMA-SAI (Seeds/pkt: 40)



## TOMATO - SWEETIE

Sow Spring

(In Geraldton, Autumn).

Vigorous staking vine producing large long bunches of grape like bright red cherry fruit, 12 to 20 fruit per cluster.

Maturess in 63 days. Fruit is unusually sweet and flavourful, to 30mm in diameter.

**SKU:** TOMA-SWE (Seeds/pkt: 40)



## TOMATO - THOMPSON GREEN GRAPE

Sow Spring

(In Geraldton, early Autumn to Spring).

80 days to maturity. Distinctive yellow-green round fruit similar to a large green grape, 25mm in diameter.

Sweet and juicy. Strong compact staking vine. Fruit borne in clusters like grapes.

**SKU:** TOMA-THO (Seeds/pkt: 40)



## TOMATO - TIGERELLA

Sow Spring

(In Geraldton, early Autumn to Spring).

A striking orange-striped staking highly productive tomato.

This indeterminate tomato is fleshy with a lovely taste, and is suitable for drying or eaten fresh.

**SKU:** TOMA-TIG (Seeds/pkt: 40)



## TOMATO - VERNA ORANGE

Sow Spring (In Geraldton, Autumn).

Heart shaped large fruit 120mm in diameter of superb flavour.

Bright orange skin, a meaty flesh with only 15% jelly and almost seedless.

Being orange they contain the highest Betacaradine content of all coloured tomatoes. Maturity in 84 days.

**SKU:** TOMA-VER (Seeds/pkt: 40)



## TOMATO - YELLOW PLUM

Sow Spring

(In Geraldton, early Autumn to Spring).

Small 30mm long 'sunflower yellow' teardrop-shaped fruit borne in clusters.

Pleasant mild sweet flavour. Prolific vine. 78 days to maturity.

**SKU:** TOMA-YPL (Seeds/pkt: 40)



## WORMWOOD - SILVER LEAVED

Sow Summer (In Geraldton, Autumn or early Spring).

Also known as Tree Wormwood. A dense highly ornamental 2m drought shrub with silver to white leaves.

This plant is a very bitter herb indigenous to the Middle East used in mint tea.

In small quantities (in tea) it is believed to have medicinal properties pacifying various kinds of digestion turmoils.

**SKU:** WORM-SIL (Seeds/pkt: 500)





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