

BEETS



Suggested Varieties: Detroit Red, Cylindra

Perennial: Grows for at least two seasons

Planting & Growing

Recommend starting from:



Seed



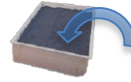
Seedling



Full sun or partial shade



Regular
18 gal./week per box



Plant inside garden box



Plant 4 inches apart

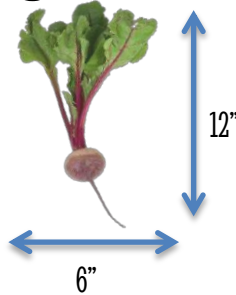
Harvesting

Average time in ground:

10 weeks

Germination time:

5-10 days



Average plant size

Ready to harvest when:

2-3" diameter visible above soil

Average time to first harvest:
8-12 weeks from seed



How to harvest:

Loosen soil with trowel and pull out

Common pests and diseases:



Leaf Miner

Eating & Storing



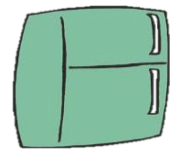
Boil



Shred



Roast



Refrigerate

Planting & Harvesting Schedule

J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D



Sow seeds



Plant seedlings in ground



Harvest months



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