Plant: February to July Harvest: May to October





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## Carrots

Carrots are a great favourite, they can be grown in containers if you are short on space in the garden. They taste best freshly picked from the garden .

Top Tip - If your garden is stony, shallow or clay-based, consider planting short-rooted carrots

We chose a to plant 'Flyaway' carrots as this variety has a high resistance to the carrot root fly.

- Sow the seeds at a depth of 1cm in drills that are roughly 30cm apart
- 2. Water well to encourage germination
- Germination will take between 2 to 3 weeks
- 4. After germination, water as needed to keep the soil moist. Do not over-water
- Remember to be careful when weeding or thinning out your crop, as you don't crush the newly sprouted tops
- Your carrots will be ready for harvesting about 12 to 16 weeks after sowing, Lift carrots carefully using a fork.



