

## OUR ORGANIC LIFE

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IN THE 7 X 5 X4 BED PLANT SEED 1 ABOUT 8" APART IN ROWS ABOUT 18" APART. 2 WEEKS AFTER THEY SPROUT PLANT SEED #2 BEHIND EACH PLANT AND AT THE SAME TIME PLANT SEED#3 IN MOUNDS BETWEEN THE ROWS OF THE PLANTS APPROXIMATELY 4' APART. MAXIMUM 5 SEEDS PER MOUND. IN THE 16FT ROW PLANT SEEDS 4, 5, AND 6 IN THAT ORDER. THIN AS NEEDED WHEN THEY COME UP. SEED #7 IS TO BE PLANTED AS NEEDED AROUND YOUR GARDEN TO HELP WITH PROTECTION FROM INSECT DAMAGE. IT IS SUPPOSED TO EMIT AN ODOR THAT REPELS INSECTS. YOU MAY WANT TO TRY SOME FOR AROUND YOUR HOUSE. SEED #8 IS FOR YOU TO PLANT ON THE SITE OF YOUR FUTURE GARDEN SO THAT YOU WILL HAVE THEM FOR YEARS TO COME.

### GROWING INSTRUCTIONS

- SEED # 1 DIRECT SOW INTO THE RICHEST SOIL AVAILABLE 1- 2 WEEKS BEFORE LAST SPRING FROST. SUCCESSION PLANTING PROLONGS HARVEST AND PLANTING IN BLOCKS IMPROVES POLLINATION.
- SEED # 2 DIRECT-SEED AFTER LAST FROST, SOAKING SEEDS OVERNIGHT. PICK FREQUENTLY TO KEEP PLANTS PRODUCTIVE. SUCCESSION PLANT FOR PROLONGED HARVEST.
- SEED # 3 GROW IN VERY RICH SOIL. PLANT IN MOUNDS 5 TO A MOUND. THIN TO 3. FULL SUN AND AMPLE MOISTURE.
- SEED # 4 SOW 3 -4 WEEKS BEFORE LAST FROST. THIN EARLY FOR BEST RESULTS.
- SEED # 5 START SEEDS INDOORS 8 - 10 WEEKS BEFORE LAST FROST DATE OF SPRING. SURFACE SOW OR BARELY COVER THE SEEDS, WHICH BENEFIT FROM LIGHT TO HURRY GERMINATION. KEEP THE SEED TRAY IN WARM CONDITIONS, BUT DO NOT ALLOW TO DRY OUT. WHEN SPROUTS APPEAR, MOVE TO A SUNNY WINDOW OR GROW LIGHT. SET OUT WELL DEVELOPED TRANSPLANTS AFTER LAST FROST DATE WHEN WEATHER IS WARM.
- SEED # 6 USUALLY STARTED 8-12 WEEKS IN ADVANCE OF PLANTING OUT, TYPICALLY 3 -4 WEEKS AHEAD OF LAST SPRING FROST.

**SEED # 7** DO NOT INGEST. NEED 6 - 8 WEEKS OF COLD STRATIFICATION SO THROW THEM IN THE FRIDGE. START AS SEEDLINGS AND POT UP WHEN WHEN THE 2ND SET OF LEAVES DEVELOP. PROTECT FROM COLD IN FIRST WINTER. ZONES 9-11 PREFERS FULL SUN.

**SEED #8**  
**BONUS SEED**