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Suggested varieties: *Longor, Red Sun, Vigarmor*

Vegetable

PLANT



Plant sets 15-20cm apart just beneath soil surface. The tip should be showing. Deter birds from pulling up sets with netting or CDs tied to stakes

GROW



Weeds easily damage plants so carefully remove by hand. Water plants in dry weather for steady growth. Break off any flower stems that appear

EAT



Once leaves start to yellow (around July), dig up clusters of bulbs; dry in the sun. Remove dirt when dry and separate individual bulbs ready for storage

Growing guide

Easy!

Average time to harvest

20-24 weeks

Equipment needed

Stakes, CDs, netting

Germination time

Sets sprout in 11-14 days

Average plant size

30cm tall, 20cm wide

Family group to grow with

Alliaceae: garlic, onion

Seed saving group

5 - Specialist or not applicable

Key nutritional content

Vitamin C

Spring Term			Summer Term				Autumn/Winter Term				
J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
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■ Sow indoors

■ Sow outdoors

■ Plant out/transplant

■ Harvest



Use cloche

2.5cm = 1 inch 30 cm = 1 foot