

## Seed Longevity in years

Crop	Minimum	Average	Maximum
Artichoke	4	4	4
Asparagus	2	3	3
Basil	2	4	6
Bean, Green	2	4	5
Bean, Fava	2	4	6
Bean Runner	3	4	6
Bean, Soy	2	4	6
Beet	3	5	8
Broccoli	3	5	6
Brussels Sprout	2	4	5
Cabbage	3	5	10
Carrot	2	3	5
Cauliflower	3	4	5
Celery Celeriac	2	4	5
Chard	3	4	6
Chicory	4	6	8
Chinese Cabbage	3	5	7
Chives	1	2	
Cilantro	2	4	6
Corn	1	2	
Cornsalad	3	5	7
Cow Pea	2	3	4
Cress Garden	3	5	9
Cucumber	3	5	7
Dandelion	1	2	5
Eggplant	3	4	5
Endive	5	7	10
Fennel	3	4	6
Kale	3	5	7
Kohlrabi	3	5	7
Leek	1	2	4
Lettuce	3	5	6
Melon	1	2	4
Mustard	3	4	6
N Z Spinach	3	5	6

Crop	Minimum	Average	Maximum
Okra	2	3	5
Onion	2	3	5
Pea	3	4	6
Peanut	3	4	5
Parsnip	1	2	3
Parsley, Hamburg	2	3	4
Pepper	2	4	6
Radish	3	4	5
Rhubarb	2	3	4
Rocket	2	4	5
Rutabaga	2	3	4
Sage	3	4	5
Salsify	1	2	3
Seakale	1	2	3
Sorrel	2	4	6
Spinach	2	4	6
Squash	3	6	8
Strawberry	1	2	3
Tomato	3	5	7
Tomatillo	3	5	7
Turnip	2	3	5
Watercress	2	5	9
Watermelon	3	6	8

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