

GROWER'S FACTS

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HOT PEPPER



CULTURAL PRACTICES: make seedlings indoors in March in light potting soil. Transplant into a pot when the seedlings have two pairs of true leaves.

SOIL: light, humus-like and fresh.

SPACING: transplant to the garden, in full sun, as soon as the risk of ground frost has passed. Space the plants 30 cm apart in rows 60 cm apart.

GROWING TIPS: water regularly during the flowering period. Fertilize once (1) per month with a fertilizer rich in potassium.

HARVEST: the pepper is harvested about 5 to 6 months after sowing, that is to say in August for sowing in March. The peppers continue to ripen after harvest and their color changes for a few days. To keep peppers for a long time, they must be dried in the sun by hanging them by their peduncle. They can also be dried in the oven at low temperature, at 50 ° C.