

Sowing instructions French Beans

Indoor sowing: April

Outdoor sowing: middle of May

Germination: 7 - 14 days

Germination temp. .: 18 - 22 °C

Sowing depth: 3 - 4 cm

Plant distance: 20 - 30 cm

Plant distance in between rows: 40 cm

Plant position: sunny

Days till harvest: 55 - 65

Sow indoors for an early harvest from April on. Sow in individual pots about 3-4 cm deep and cover the seeds with a thick layer of soil . This variety is a dark germinator. Keep the seeds warm and moist. Don't let the temperature drop during the night. Transplant the seedlings on a sunny sheltered plot with free draining soil, in May when there's no longer any danger of night frosts. Keep approx. 20 - 30 cm apart. Protect the seedlings against snails, slugs and other pests.

Sow outdoors in May. when there's no longer any danger of nights frosts. Sow on a sunny plot with some shelter and free draining soil. Cover the seeds with a thick layer of soil. Beans hate cold soil and you need to ensure that the soil is warmed before planting or sowing. Support the plants with sturdy supports. Give the plants a good feed when they're flowering.