

Seed Viability

Seed Storage Tips

Dark - Keep seeds in a dark room or box

Dry - Naturally lower in humidity, the North is ideal for drying and storing seeds. Aim for relative humidity less than 40%. Store seeds in airtight containers or jars

Cool - Store seeds in the temperature range of 1°C - 7°C if possible. In a cold room or in the back of a refrigerator works great. Be sure seeds are airtight before storing in the fridge and allow to come to room temperature before opening the container or jar

Flowers

Alyssum	5 years
Amaranth	3 years
Aster	2 years
Borage	4 years
Calendula	6 years
Chamomile	4 years
Cosmos	5 years
Daisy	3 years
Delphinium	3 years
Echinacea	4 years
Hyssop	4 years
Larkspur	3 years
Lavender	4 years
Lupine	5 years
Marigold	4 years
Monarda	4 years
Nasturtium	7 years
Nigella	5 years
Pansy	2 years
Poppy	4 years
Salvia	3 years
Strawflowers	2 years
Sunflowers	5 years
Sweet Peas	4 years
Verbena	5 years
Viola	2 years
Yarrow	5 years
Zinnia	6 years

Vegetables

Beans	4 years
Beets	4 years
Broccoli	3 years
Cabbage	4 years
Carrots	3 years
Cauliflower	4 years
Corn	2 years
Cucumbers	5 years
Kale	4 years
Leeks	1 year
Lettuce	5 years
Onions	2 years
Peas	3 years
Peppers	4 years
Pumpkins	6 years
Radish	5 years
Tomatoes	7 years
Winter Squash	5 years
Zucchini	5 years

Herbs

Basil	5 years
Catnip	4 years
Cilantro	4 years
Dill	4 years
Lemon Balm	4 years
Lovage	3 years
Mountain Mint	4 years
Oregano	4 years
Parsley	4 years
Rosemary	4 years
Sage	3 years
Thyme	4 years
Valerian	3 years

