

How To Collect And Save Beet Seeds

Seed management

Because beet plants grow well in rich loamy, slightly acidic well drained soils with no impediments, incorporate trace minerals for fertilizing and directly plant seeds in soil at 3 inches deep, water and mulch for the plants to germinate in a week and grow. Similarly, as beet root seeds are clusters of several seeds known as multigerm, pollination is done by wind and after they grow and dry out.

Dry seeds thoroughly and don't thresh them before rains start and after collecting seeds, keep them indoors for more 2 weeks and once dry, pulp off individual seeds from seed stalks and finally place the dry seeds in the glass jar and keep them in cool dark dry location for storage.