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RHUBARB

Rheum Undulatum

Rhubarb is an easy to grow perennial that can live for 10-15 years or longer.

The succulent stems are used in sauces and pies, and can be eaten raw or stewed in desserts. The leaves contain oxalic acid and should not be eaten.

Plant crowns or seeds in the early spring in well-drained, fertile soil. Rhubarb is a heavy feeder and will yield better when given annual spring applications of compost.

HARVEST: Do not harvest the first year. Harvest lightly, a few stalks (botanically actually petioles) per plant, the second year. Leave smaller stalks to make food for the crown and next year's production. Harvest by snapping or cutting the stalks at the base. Remove seed stalks. Crowns may be divided after 3-5 years.

Approx. 60 seeds per gram

