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Scorzonera

Black Duplex – This plant has brown – black roots with white flesh. In the second year it will have yellow flowers. The leaves are spiny. The roots have a fine texture. The roots grow between 21 – 26cm long. This variety is more vigorous. Plant in rich, deep, well drained soil. Plant in rows of 26 – 36cm apart. Roots, young leaves, flower buds and flower petals are all edible.

Aprox. 65 seeds per gram

Mammoth Sandwich – This plant has roots that are white with an oyster like flavour. In the first year this variety will have purple flowers. Sow in late spring. Since this is a root crop it prefers a deep, well drained and stone free soil. Germination may take up to 21 days. Plant in rows of 26 – 36cm apart. Harvest between 16 – 25 weeks.

Aprox. 80 seeds per gram

