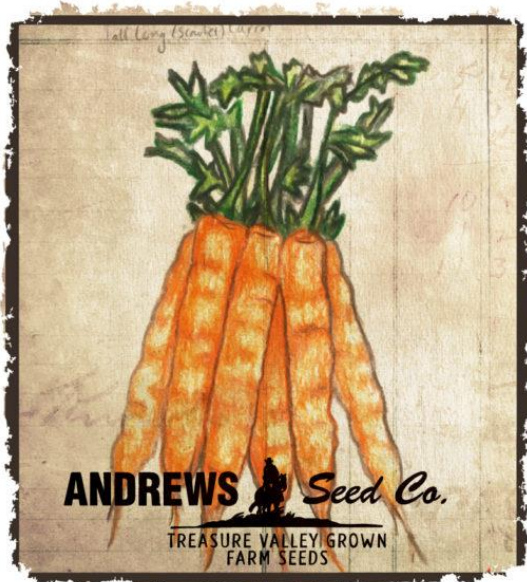


NANTES HALF LONG

Carrots

HEIRLOOM. Slim, cylindrical, orange roots. Mid-19th century variety is easy to grow, slim, cylindrical, orange roots are 7" long, 1½" thick, require no peeling, and are packed with vitamins.



NOTES

VARIETY INFO

Botanical Name: *Daucus carota sativa*

Plant Dimensions: 7" long, 1.5" thick

Days to Maturity: 70

Zone: 1-11

SOWING INFO

Sow Outside: Sow seeds for carrots with other frost tolerant crops as soon as the soil has warmed in the spring and all danger of frost has passed. Prepare a bed that has been plowed down to a depth of 8-9 inches. Break up clumps and rake out large rocks and debris. If you have a very clay laden soil, consider growing the carrots in a raised bed.

Start Inside: Not recommended.

Days to Emerge: 14-21 days

Seed Depth: ¼ to ½

Seed Spacing: 3"

Row Spacing: 12-18"

Thinning: Not necessary

GROWING INFO

Harvesting: Harvest of Nantes carrots will be about 62 days from direct sowing when they are around 2 inches across, although the smaller the sweeter. Your family will love these sweet carrots, packed even higher than store bought carrots with vitamins A and B and rich in calcium and phosphorus.

Fruit: Slim, cylindrical, orange roots. Mid-19th century variety is easy to grow, slim, cylindrical, orange roots are 7" long, 1½" thick, require no peeling, and are packed with vitamins.