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Yam Seed Information

Red Yam



Planting Recommendations

- Plant:** Approx late July to mid October.
- Spacing:** Plant 30-35cm apart to allow tops to grow.
- Depth:** Plant approx 3-5cm deep.
- Fertiliser:** Sulphate of potash, apply 30-60g per square Metre of soil. No lime when planting.
- Watering:** Regular watering to maintain soil moisture is essential.
- Harvesting:** Approx May/ June/ July, when tops of yam plant have totally died off or after first frost.

It is recommended that if you are in regions that have frost's, leave your yams in the ground to get frosted a few times. This then enhances the flavour. If your garden doesn't become water logged over winter, you can leave your crop in the garden for a few months.

Storage: Keep in a dry dark place till required for eating.

Available in pack size: 200g and 500g.

Inca Gold Yam

Inca Gold is a new variety breed for New Zealand conditions by Crop & Food Research at Lincoln. Morton Smith-Dawe has been granted marketing rights to this new variety. It has a yellow flesh and grows up to 10cm long and 3cm thick. It has a lovely flavour and is a high yielder.



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Conditions of Sale:

Inca Gold yam seed is a protected seed variety.

Morton Smith-Dawe Ltd has been granted permission to market this seed on condition that it is not multiplied further for seed production, re-sold or traded in any way, without written authority from Crop and Food Research or by Morton Smith-Dawe Ltd. Contravention of these conditions will render the home gardener or grower liable under the "Plant Varieties Act", 1987, where a prosecution will apply.