

GROW YOUR OWN SWISS CHARD

General Information

- Swiss Chard: *Beta vulgaris* var. *cicla* (Chenopodiaceae)
- Sunlight: full Sun to part shade.
- Soil conditions: requires well-drained soil. Prefers deep, loose, fertile soil, high in organic matter.
- Harvest outer leaves, avoiding center crown, for continued production.



Successful Cultivars

- Bright Lights Baby (28 days) Bunching (60 days)
 - Peppermint Baby (33 days) Bunching (63 days)
 - Ruby Red* Baby (32 days) Bunching (59 days)
 - Oriole Orange Baby (30 days) Bunching (60 days)
- *Pictured here.



Common Pests & Diseases

- Aphids
 - Leaf miners*
 - Leaf spot
 - Downy mildew
- *Pictured here.

