Discover the Joy of Fall Gardening

Look inside for Seed Garlic, Shallots, Flower Bulbs, and Seeds for Fall Planting!
Garlic

Keeps immune systems strong, taste buds happy, and a gardener’s heart hoping for spring. Sow seed garlic in late fall to be ready for harvest in early summer. Our Certified Organic seed garlic is inspected to ensure it is disease-free. Seed garlic begins shipping on September 14th.

Chesnok Red Hardneck Garlic
Chesnok Red (pictured above) is a Purple Stripe variety, and perhaps the most beautiful garlic we offer. It has excellent flavor, especially when baked, imparting garlicky sweetness to cooked dishes without overwhelming heat. This hardy garlic is relatively easy to grow. Stores moderately well, around 4-6 months if handled properly after harvest. Each head has 6-10 cloves. Certified Organic. 1 lb, $23.95. 2 lbs, $42.95. 5 lbs, $94.95.

German Red Hardneck Garlic
German Red is a hardneck variety in the Rocamble group, prized for having the best, spiciest garlic flavor. Well-adapted to the northern climate, heads can reach impressive proportions. White heads reveal 8-12 cloves tightly wrapped in pinkish-tan-colored skins. A moderate keeper, will store for 4-6 months if handled properly after harvest. Certified Organic. 1 lb, $23.95. 2 lbs, $42.95. 5 lbs, $94.95.

German Extra Hardy Hardneck Garlic
Also known as German White, German Extra Hardy is an excellent keeper and will store easily for 6 months or more if handled properly after harvest. Can withstand very cold winters, and will even stand wet, warm winters better than many other varieties. With only 4 to 6 large cloves per bulb, this is one of the easiest varieties to peel. The taste is pungent but not overpowering, and the scapes are generous and flavorful. Certified Organic. 1 lb, $23.95. 2 lbs, $42.95. 5 lbs, $94.95.

Music Hardneck Garlic
Music is prized for its ease of use: huge cloves with incredibly easy-to-peel wrappers. The flavor is great, a medium spiciness perfect for both raw and cooked dishes. Stores well, up to 6 months if handled properly after harvest. Perfect for growing in the Northeast climate. Certified Organic. 1 lb, $23.95. 2 lbs, $42.95. 5 lbs, $94.95.

Hardneck Garlic Variety Pack
Can’t decide which garlic variety you’d like? Try them all! Each pack includes: Music Garlic - Porcelain Group, German Extra Hardy Garlic - Porcelain Group, and Chesnok Red Garlic - Purple Stripe group. Certified Organic. 1 lb, $26.95. 2 lbs, $47.95. 5 lbs, $99.95.

NEW Inchelium Red Softneck Garlic
Grown for the first time at Hudson Valley Seed Co.! Inchelium Red is an artichoke-type, softneck variety with a robust, lingering flavor and medium heat. It produces large, reliable bulbs with 10-16 big cloves in light purple wrappers. This hardy garlic is relatively easy to grow, and stores very well, around 6-9 months if handled properly after harvest. 1 lb, $23.95. 2 lbs, $42.95.

Elephant Garlic
While related to garlic, Elephant Garlic is actually a different species from true garlic; it is more closely related to leeks. It forms a large, garlic-like bulb.
underground, with about 6-9 very large cloves. It is delicious roasted and used as a 'garlic butter' or added to sautéed dishes. The scapes are also amazing - enjoy these highly prized gourmet treats or let them flower and treasure the beautiful, purple flowers. Bulbs can be stored for up to 10 months if well-cured and handled after harvest. Certified Organic. 0.5 lb, $9.95. 1 lb, $19.95.

**Hardneck vs. Softneck**

Softnecks are best for warmer climates. They also store longer than many hardneck varieties. Hardnecks have fewer, larger cloves per bulb, which tend to make them easier to peel. Unlike softnecks, they also develop a long flowering stem (the scape).

**Shallots**

*Shallots are planted in the fall for early summer harvest. Shallots grow in clusters that can be gently broken apart like garlic cloves and planted in the ground about 1-inch deep. In the spring, the shallot bulbs will multiply and sprout several green stalks per planted bulb, producing 6-12 bulbs per plant. Shallots begin shipping on September 14th.*

**Dutch Red Shallot**

Dutch Red Shallots lie somewhere in between onions and garlic, and add a special, concentrated flavor you didn’t know you were missing. They store exceptionally well - up to a year! Certified Organic. 0.5 lb, $7.95. 1 lb, $14.95. 3 lbs, $42.95.

**French Grey Shallot**

French Grey Shallots, aka Griselle, are highly prized by chefs, foodies, and home cooks alike - they have a delicious, more refined, umami flavor and delicate pink-purple flesh. Note: Grey shallots do not store as well as Dutch Red Shallots (only about 3-4 months), but they make up for it with their exquisite flavor. Certified Organic. 0.5 lb, $10.95. 1 lb, $20.95. 3 lbs, $60.95.
Flower Bulbs

Plant these beauties this fall for rainbows of color next spring! Most of our tulips are U.S.-grown; all other bulbs are grown in Holland. All bulbs are neonicotinoid-free, as well as systemic fungicide- and systemic pesticide-free. Prices and more varieties online at hudsonvalleyseed.com. Flower bulbs begin shipping on Oct. 12th.

Ipheion Alberto Castillo
Dutch Iris Silvery Beauty
Tulip Green Wave
Hyacinthoides excelsior

Allium atropurpureum
Crocus roseus
Winter Aconite
Fritillaria meleagris

Tulip Blue Parrot
Allium azureum
Dutch Iris Red Ember
Allium karataviense

Narcissus Pink Wonder
Wood Sorrel
Allium Sicilian Honey Lily
Allium Purple Sensation

Gladiolus byzantine
Tulip Kolpakowsiana
Lily Patricia’s Pride
Crocus Orange Monarch

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Narcissus Bridal Crown - the most fragrant daffodil we've grown!

Asiatic Lily Tiger Babies
Tulip Persian Pearl
Crocus Cream Beauty
Dutch Iris Mystic Beauty

Narcissus Julia Jane
Muscari Baby’s Breath
Tulip Peppermint Stick
Summer Snowflake

Corydalis Beth Evans
Snowdrops Flore Pleno
Narcissus Kedron
Camassia quamash

Muscari Ocean Magic
Narcissus Baby Moon
Narcissus Pink Charm
Tulip Amazing Parrot

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Fall Cover Crops

Cover crops are powerhouses for the garden, providing nitrogen and/or organic matter to the soil. Even small raised-bed gardens benefit from the weed suppression and mulching effect of a cover crop. More varieties online at hudsonvalleyseed.com

Crimson Clover
Sow in late summer. Crimson clover is a beauty, its showy heads as ornamental as any cut flower. It’s also a nutritional powerhouse for the soil, fixing loads of nitrogen. Perennial. 1 oz, $4.95. 4 oz, $5.95. 1 lb, $10.95.

Hairy Vetch
Sow in late summer. Said to be one of the best nitrogen fixers, reportedly more efficient than peas. Excellent at suppressing weeds and will add plenty of organic matter too. Perennial. Certified Organic. 2 oz, $4.95. 4 oz, $5.95. 1 lb, $10.95.

Medium Red Clover
Sow in fall. Roots keep soil in place over winter. Also fixes loads of nitrogen and will choke out spring weeds. Perennial. Certified Organic. 2 oz, $4.95. 4 oz, $5.95. 1 lb, $10.95.

Oats and Field Peas
Sow in late summer to choke out weeds, cover the soil in winter and fix nitrogen. This combo makes a thicker stand than the components alone (which are also available online). Winter kills. Certified Organic. 0.5 lb, $4.95. 1 lb, $7.95. 5 lbs, $12.95.

Tillage Radish
Sow in late summer. The perfect crop for breaking up hardpan soils. Winter kills. Certified Organic. 1 oz, $3.95. 4 oz, $5.95. 8 oz, $10.95.

Winter Rye
Sow in fall. Amazing soil-building capabilities and will also choke out spring weeds. A great crop to increase organic matter. Winter hardy. Certified Organic. 0.5 lb, $3.95. 1 lb, $5.95. 5 lbs, $10.95.

Wildflower Mixes

Early to mid-fall is the perfect time to establish a flower meadow and it’s got a whole lot easier, and more fun, with our Wildflower Seed Shakers. The contents of our mixes are wide and typically take 1-2 years to establish. Be patient; the blooms will get better every year!

Bee Friendly Meadow Mix
Create a permanent pollinator habitat and enjoy the insect symphony. Contains annuals and perennials. Seed Shaker, $9.95.

Bird Lover’s Meadow Mix
A great mix for bird lovers. Let the flowers set seed for the birds to eat. Contains annuals and perennials. Seed Shaker, $9.95. 500 seeds, $2.95. 1 oz, $5.95. 4 oz, $14.95. 1 lb, $39.95.

Eastern Pollinator Mix
Use this mix to establish a patch of ground for pollinators. Mix contains annuals and perennials. 500 seeds, $2.95. 1 oz, $9.95. 4 oz, $29.95. 1 lb, $89.95.

North East Native Mix
Create habitat for native species by establishing this quality native mix of annuals and perennials. 500 seeds, $2.95. 1 oz, $10.95. 4 oz, $29.95. 1 lb, $99.95.

Shady Meadow Mix
This mix is brimming with annual and perennial varieties that do well without sun - perfect for your shady spots. Seed Shaker, $9.95. 500 seeds, $2.95. 1 oz, $5.95. 4 oz, $14.95. 1 lb, $39.95.
Now is an ideal period for sowing flower varieties whose seeds require a cold period (cold stratification) before germinating. Poppies, Milkweed, Johnny Jump-ups, and Echinacea are all flowers that need a winter-like environment before germinating. See our full list of fall-sown flowers online at hudsonvalleyseed.com

Winter Loving Flowers

Bok Choy, Kale, Mizuna, Mustard Greens, Tatsoi, Turnips
Plant through end of August for fall harvest. Use row cover to extend the harvest to winter and spring.

Arugula/Wild Arugula, Komatsuna, Mustard Greens, Radishes
Plant through early/mid-September for fall harvest.

Broccoli Raab, Kale, Lettuce, Mache, Spinach
Plant through early/mid-September for fall harvest. Or use row cover to extend to winter and spring.

Psst...
Already sown parsnips or fennel? Leave them in the ground until early spring and you'll be delighted by the sweetness they've gained over the winter months.

Learn more about fall planting at: hudsonvalleyseed.com/blogs/blog

Row Cover Season Extension

In fall, we use row cover to protect mature plants. Row cover creates a warmer environment that will keep your hardy vegetables going longer and extend their vibrancy. Plan to cover your plants when temperatures start to drop close to below freezing.

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