

## Recommended Seed Companies

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**Baker Creek Heirloom Seeds** – [www.rareseeds.com](http://www.rareseeds.com)

Offers open-pollinated, natural and non-GMO seeds. Excellent selection of interesting heirloom varieties.

**Becker's Seed Potatoes** – R.R. #1, Trout Creek, Ontario, POH 2LO

**Bountiful Gardens** – [www.bountifulgardens.org](http://www.bountifulgardens.org)

Offers untreated, open-pollinated heirloom seeds and publications. Offers many varieties as Certified Organic, Natural or Grow Biointensive™

**Cooks Garden** – [www.cooksgarden.com](http://www.cooksgarden.com)

Offers heirlooms and some organic varieties.

**Fedco** – [www.fedcoseeds.com](http://www.fedcoseeds.com)

A cooperatively-owned seed company specializing in cold-hardy varieties. Offers many varieties of Certified Organic and heirloom seeds.

**High Mowing Organic Seeds** – [www.highmowingseeds.com](http://www.highmowingseeds.com)

Farm-based family-owned company that offers Certified Organic, heirloom and open-pollinated seeds.

**Horizon Herbs** – [www.horizonherbs.com](http://www.horizonherbs.com)

Farm-based family-owned company that offers Certified Organic seeds and medicinal herbs.

**J.H. Hudson Ethnobotanical Catalog of Seeds** – Str. Route 2 Box 337, La Honda, CA 94020

**John Scheepers Kitchen Garden Seeds** – [www.kitchengardenseeds.com](http://www.kitchengardenseeds.com)

Does not sell treated or genetically modified seeds.

**Johnny's Selected Seeds** – [www.johnnyseeds.com](http://www.johnnyseeds.com)

Employee-owned producer and merchant that offers a wide range of crops. A number of certified organic seeds are offered.

**Native Seed Search** – [www.nativeseeds.org](http://www.nativeseeds.org)

A non-profit organization that conserves and distributes a diverse variety of seeds from the American Southwest and northwest Mexico.

**Nichols Garden Nursery** – [www.nicholsgardennursery.com](http://www.nicholsgardennursery.com)

Family-operated business that offers open-pollinated and hybrid seed appropriate for Northern California and the Pacific Northwest.

**Parks Seed Co** – [www.parkseed.com](http://www.parkseed.com)

Provides only untreated, non-genetically-modified seed, a source of some Certified Organic seeds. Specializes in flowers.

**Pinetree Garden Seeds** – [www.superseeds.com](http://www.superseeds.com)

Good selection, very inexpensive.

**Renee's Garden Seeds** – [www.reneesgarden.com](http://www.reneesgarden.com)

Offers heirloom, open-pollinated and hybrid seeds. No treated or GMO seeds.

**Richters** – [www.richters.com](http://www.richters.com)

Great selection of culinary and medicinal herbs. No genetically engineered seeds sold.

**R. H. Shumway** – [www.rhshumway.com](http://www.rhshumway.com)

Established in 1870, beautiful catalog, interesting varieties.

**Ronnigers Seed Potato** – [www.ronnigers.com](http://www.ronnigers.com)

Certified seed potatoes.

**Seeds of Change** – [www.seedsofchange.com](http://www.seedsofchange.com)

Offers open-pollinated, organically grown, heirloom seeds.

**Seed Savers Exchange** – [www.seedsavers.org](http://www.seedsavers.org)

A non-profit organization dedicated to saving heirloom seeds. Has some Certified Organic seeds.

**Southern Exposure Seed Exchange** – [www.southernexposure.com](http://www.southernexposure.com)

Specializes in open-pollinated seeds. Many Certified Organic seeds available. Emphasizes varieties adapted to the Mid-Atlantic region. No GMO seeds.

**Stokes** – [www.stokeseeds.com](http://www.stokeseeds.com)

Offers open-pollinated and hybrid vegetables and flowers.

**Territorial Seed Co.** – [www.territorialseed.com](http://www.territorialseed.com)

Wide variety of open-pollinated and hybrid seeds. Many appropriate for cool climates. Organic seeds available.

**Tomato Growers** – [www.tomatogrowers.com](http://www.tomatogrowers.com)

Tomato and pepper varieties. Open-pollinated and hybrid seeds available.

**Totally Tomato** – [www.totallytomato.com](http://www.totallytomato.com)

Tomato and pepper varieties. Open-pollinated and hybrid seeds available.

**Turtle Tree Seeds** - [www. Turtletreeseeds.com](http://www.Turtletreeseeds.com)

Open-pollinated and biodynamically grown seeds. Demeter Certified. No GMO seeds.

**Vermont Bean Seed Co** - [www.vermontbean.com](http://www.vermontbean.com)

Offers a wide variety of fresh and dry bean varieties.

**Wild Garden Seed** - [www.wildgardenseed.com](http://www.wildgardenseed.com)

Farm-based organic seed company in the Pacific Northwest. Fantastic selection of open-pollinated varieties.