

Growing Horseradish

Horseradish is a very easy perennial, vegetable to grow. It does not grow from seeds. It is started from pieces of roots. Select a sunny spot to plant them. They should be planted in their own plot, due to the fact, they will take over the whole area. Every broken piece of root, will start a new plant.

To plant, prepare the plot by tilling to loosen the soil. In the Spring, add compost or well-rotted manure. Dig a furrow and set the roots along the side of the trench, so the buds are toward the surface. Cover roots and water well. Shoots should be coming up in a week or two.

Horseradish does not need much attention, to grow. So, don't add a lot of fertilizer.

The first year, let the plants grow, to become healthy. Harvest the following fall.