Blend: Hummingbird

Attract hummingbirds to your growing area with these beautiful Hummingbird Blend wildflower seeds. The twelve species in this mix are some of the most attractive nectar-bearing flowers available and have a long blooming period.

Type: Mixed perennial and annual

Height: Varied

Exposure: Full sun

Difficulty: Easy



Growing

In small areas, seeds can be scattered by hand. To make the most of the annual species, direct sow in early spring during the period two weeks before and eight weeks after the last frost date.

Seeds must come into contact with the soil in order to germinate. Do not bury seeds more than 2-3 times their thickness.

Saving

Varied seeds may need to be saved differently. For the most part, flower stalks can be snipped after petals die. Cut as long a stem as you can. Slip this stem into a paper bag, putting it in with the flower head toward the bottom of the bag. You can put more than one stem into the same bag. Close the bag around the stem base using a rubber band, twist tie, or string. Hang the bag up in a closet, dry garage, or basement. As flower heads dry, seeds will fall into the bag. Put the seeds into a dated and labeled envelope and return to Brock!