

Swiss Chard Ruby Red



Tasty to eat and gorgeous in the winter garden!



Beta 'Ruby Red'

- **Use:** Plant them behind your pansies or in containers on your patio! This is a sweet Swiss chard with beautiful candy-apple-red stalks and dark green, crinkly leaves with touches of red. Both the leaves and the stalks are very ornamental and 'Ruby Red' is great in a vegetable or cottage garden, or in an ornamental bed or border. It is especially attractive when grown with plants whose colors call attention to the red coloring. Although related to beets, the root is inedible, but the leafy greens are valued for their mild flavor and high nutritional value.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Full/part sun; well-draining soil and appreciates slow release fertilizer.
- **Growth:** Grows 21-26" tall.
- **Hardiness:** Zone 5-9; Annual (not heat hardy, but winter hardy)
- **Foliage:** Stalks of ruby red stems! Some even keep their color after cooking!
- **Flowers:** Not known for flowers.

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