

Canary seed – Select Plot Production

General Requirements for All Pedigreed Seed Crops

The basic standards for all crops are set out in [General Requirements for All Pedigreed Seed Crops](#). The basic standards for all plots are set out in [General Requirements for Plot Production](#). In addition, the following standards apply to Canary seed.

Land Requirements

| Inspected Crop | Must NOT be grown on land which: |
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| Select | <p>In the previous year produced:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a Foundation, Registered or Certified crop of Canary seed. <p>In either of the preceding 2 years produced:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a non-pedigreed crop of Canary seed, Fenugreek or Flax. a crop of a different variety of Canary seed. a Certified crop of Canary seed. |

Crop Inspection

Canary seed plots must be inspected when the crop is in bloom.

Crop Standards

Isolation

Minimum Isolation Distances Required from an Inspected Crop to Other Crops:

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| 1. Varietal Purity | Distance |
| a. Inspected pedigreed Canary seed of same variety | 3 meters (10 feet) |
| b. Different varieties of Canary seed or non-pedigreed Canary seed | 10 meters (33 feet) |
| c. Inspected pedigreed Canary seed of same variety contaminated with off-types or other varieties of Canary seed | 10 meters (33 feet) |
| 2. Mechanical Purity | Distance |
| a. Camelina, Fenugreek, Flax | 3 meters (10 feet) |

Maximum Impurity Standards

- Varietal Purity** (off-types/other varieties on average in 20,000 plants)
 - Select - 1
- Mechanical Purity** (other crop kinds, the seeds of which are difficult to separate from the seeds of the inspected crop, on average in 20,000 plants; for Canary seed that includes Flax)
 - Select – 1