

# Vigna

Light Tan seeds similar to small peas.

18/2/66 Started 20 soaking

21/2 Put four sprouts in a pot

23/2 One bean has reached surface. Planted 8 sprouts

24/2 Planted 4 sprouts

25/2 One plant has two crinkly leaves, one bean at surface.  
Planted one more sprout

28/2 Seven plants with leaves and three at surface

1/3 17 sprouts, 1 still soaking, 2 still hard & returned to stock

7/3 Changed 12 plants from plastic boxes to three 4 gallon drums.  
Some of these plants starting runners. Put last very weak sprout in  
out of this. This makes 12 plants out of 18 seeds.

10/3 Gave 30 seeds to John Wyett

31/3 Score: 20 total - 2 returns = 18 seeds = 0 rotten; 18 sprouts, 12 plants.

12/4 Took fotos

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Dark red similar to small beans.

18/2/66 Started 20 soaking

23/2 no sprouts

24/2 one very small sprout

25/2 planted one sprout.

28/2 One plant at surface. Planted one more weak sprout.

1/3 2 sprouts, 18 rotten. Started 60 more soaking.

4/3 Two plants. No more sprouts. Started 120 more soaking.  
Retained 10 seeds as samples.

6/3 Lot of small bubbles and rancid odor but no sprouts. Beans fermenting. Put all the culls to soaking, about 50.

Two plants (25/2 + 28/2) now have leaves.

7/3 Changed two plants from plastic tumbler to 4 gallon drum.

11/3 Planted 3 sprouts from 4/3 + 1/3

14/3 Planted 4 weak sprouts from "

16/3 One plant with leaves + one bean at surface from sprouts planted. 11 + 14/3

Planted two weak sprouts. Discarded over 100 rotten.

21/3 Discarded all rest, rotten

31/3 Score: 200 seeds = 189 rotten, 11 sprouts, 7 plants.

12/4 Took fotos

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Grey + yellow specks similar to beans.

18/2/66 Started 20 soaking.

23/2 Planted 4 sprouts.

25/2 Planted 1 sprout.

28/2 One plant with leaves + three at surface

1/3 5 sprout, 12 rotten, 3 still hard put back in stock.

6/3 Started 20 soaking

7/3 Changed four plants from plastic box to 4 gallon drum

This makes 4 plants out of 17 seeds.

11/3 Planted 3 sprouts from 6/3

14/3 One sprout at surface. Some plants 6" to 8" high.

16/3 One plant with leaves + one bean at surface from sprouts planted 11/3

Planted one weak sprout, Discarded 7 rotten

21/3 Three hard small seeds returned to envelope. Discarded rest, all rotten

31/3 Score: 40 total - 6 returns = 34 seeds = 25 rotten, 9 sprouts, 8 plants.

12/4 Took fotos.

25/4 Took foto of lot

9/5 all plants growing slowly

17/5 The last two nights have been frosty with temperatures in low 30's. The glass house leaks heat badly. Thus the vines cool off quite much, all showed wilting both mornings. They will never last the winter this way. Took all six pots to Botanical Garden and gave to Mr. Tobias. He put them in a covered glass house with soil heaters. We will see what happens.

8/6/66 Three pots of plants died of frost. Other three pots could not be found.

5/7/66 Tobias called up and said all plants had died of cold. He wanted more seed!