

# Cress Seed (Upland)

*Barbarea vulgaris* (Cruciferae)

## Description of crop:

Cress seed is produced on fewer than 10 acres about every other year. It is a biennial grown similarly to other mustard seed crops such as turnips and rutabaga. Due to the limited acreage, additional information regarding this crop is unavailable. Cress seed is a mustard seed crop and is likely to have similar pest problems as other seed crops belonging to the Cruciferae family. Alf Christianson Seed Company contracts with growers to produce this seed in Snohomish and Skagit Counties.

