

Crop: Cabbages

Production season	In Zimbabwe the crop can be grown all year round.		
Area to plant	1ha/10 000m2 (100mx100m)	1000m2 (20mx50m)	100m2 (10mx10m)
Seed required	500g-1000g	50g-100g	5g-10g
Plant population	20 000-75 000	2 000-7 500	200-750
Plant spacing in row	30cm-50cm		
Spacing between rows	60cm to 90cm		
Compound S Fertilizer kg/ha	500-1000	50-100	42648
AN Top dressing kg/ha	100-250	10-25	1-2.5
Manure kg/ha	25 000	2 500	250
Days to Harvest	70 to 160 days depending on the season and variety		
Harvest duration	15 to 40 days		
See Brassicas common pests and diseases and their control for chemical options.			
Irrigation	Overhead, Pivot, Micro-jet and Drip systems are all suitable methods. Ensure the soil is moist at all times.		
Post-harvest handling	Heads are cut and harvested individually		
Normal packaging	heads	heads	heads
Estimated Yield (heads)	20 000-75 000	2 000-7500	200-750

