

Crop: Pumpkin

Production season	Best grown I summer between September and March		
Area to plant	1ha/10 000m ² (100mx100m)	1000m ² (20mx50m)	100m ² (10mx10m)
Seed required	3 kg-3.5kg	300g-350g	30g-35g
Plant population	5000-13 000	500-1 300	50-130
Plant spacing in row	50cm-90cm		
Spacing between rows	150cm to 200cm		
Compound D Fertilizer kg/ha	600	60	6
AN Top dressing kg	200 kg	20 kg	2kg
Manure kg/ha	10 000-15 000	1 000-1 500	100-150
Days to Harvest	110 to 170 days depending on the variety		
Harvest duration	30-40days		
Aphids, Pumpkin Fly are the common pests and Powdery Mildew, Anthracnose are some of the diseases. For their control see various chemical label application options.			
Irrigation	Overhead, Pivot are suitable methods. Ensure the soil is moist at all times.		
Post-harvest handling	Fruits are cut and harvested individually		
Normal packaging	Fruits	Fruits	Fruits
Estimated Yield (kg/ha)	20 000 -30 000	2 000-3000	200-300

