



Okra

Crop guide

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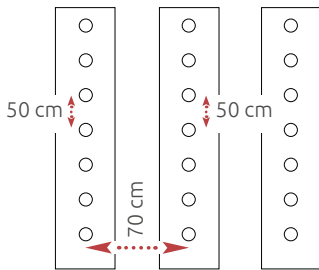
Seed and variety choice



- High yield
- Disease resistant
- Good quality fruits
- Preferred by the market

Land preparation and plant distance

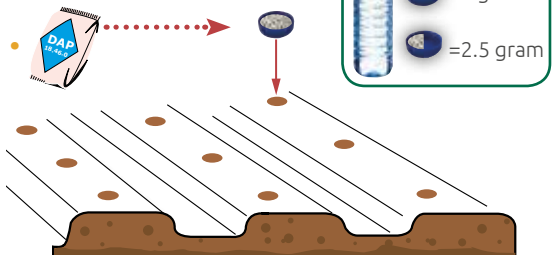
Plant distance



11,400 plants per acre

Basal application

- Organic manure (if available)



Sowing

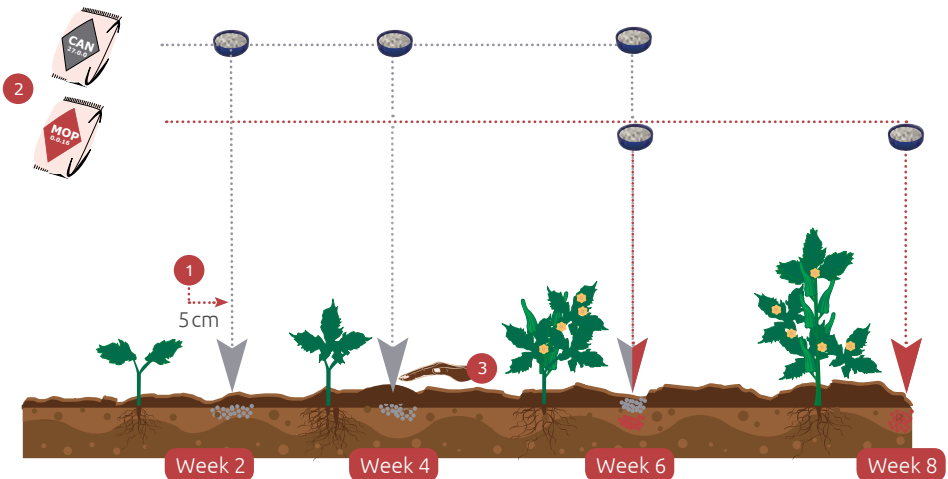
- 1 Sow in late afternoon
- 2 Sowing depth

- Sowing depth = size of 2 seeds



Fertilization

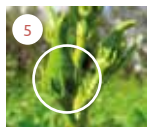
- 1 Make a small hole 5 cm away from the canopy of each plant for applying the fertilizer
- 2 Apply the fertilizer
- 3 Cover the hole



The fertilizer amount is based on 11,400 plants/acre

Crop protection

Insecticides



Active ingredient	Aphid (1)	White fly (2)	Mealy bug (3)	Caterpillar (4)	Mites (5)
Imidacloprid	👍	👍	👍	👍	
Lambda-cyhalothrin	👍	👍	👍	👍	
Thiocylam oxalate	👍	👍			
Profenofos	👍	👍			
Deltamethrin	👍		👍	👍	
Abamectin	👍			👍	👍
Thiamethoxam		👍	👍		

👍 = Recommended pesticides for the pest indicated.
Alternate active ingredients to prevent building up resistance.

Fungicides

Active ingredient	Efficiency	Control
Propineb	Preventive	Downy mildew 6
Sulphur	Preventive	Powdery mildew
Triadimenol+ Tebuconazole	Preventive + curative	Powdery mildew



Spraying techniques

Wear protective gear



Good weather



Good nozzle



Wash after spraying



Windy weather



Rainy weather



Leaking nozzle



Beware of excessive chemicals



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