


# Sowing Guideline: Cauliflower & Broccoli

## Lowveld Cool Areas

| VARIETY            | JAN | FEB | MAR | APR | MAY | JUN | JUL | AUG | SEP | OCT | NOV | DEC |
|--------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| <b>CAULIFLOWER</b> |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| Eskimo             |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| Incline            |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| <b>BROCCOLI</b>    |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| Arcadia            |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| Imagine            |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| Marathon           |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| Parthenon          |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| Pharos             |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |

 Suggested sowing time: Sowing time applies to the area of seedling nursery and farm location

### Factors causing physiological disorders in cauliflower & broccoli

- Wrong sowing time
- Cold temperatures, especially below 7°C
- Excessive fertilisation of seedlings
- Cold grown seedlings
- Oversized seedlings at transplant
- Difference in temperatures between seedling nursery and farm
- Growth checks caused by heat, drought, water logging and disease
- Diurnal temperature swings

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