

Quick Reference Table Chinese Cabbage

Variety	Maturity class*	Maturity * (days from transplant)	Head shape & size**	Colour	Head wrapping	Cropping season	Plant size*	Field holding ability*	Comment
Natsuki	Early	45 - 50	Barrel 0.2 - 0.5 kg	Dark green	Good	Summer	Small to medium	Fair - good	Mainly for the high-end market. Widely adapted, slow to bolt.
Tabaluga	Early	60 - 70	Barrel 0.8 - 2 kg	Dark green	Good	All year round in temperate region	Medium	Fair - good	Widely adapted, slow bolting and early maturing. Performs very well in all areas of South Africa and has good holding ability

^{*} Characteristics given are affected by production methods such as soil type, nutrition, planting population, planting date and climatic conditions. Please read disclaimer.

** Head shape:







RB - Round barrel



TB - Thick barrel



C- Cylindrical

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* Experimental: This variety does not appear on the current South African Variety list, but has been submitted for registration.

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