



Quick Reference Table Novelty Squash

Variety	Type	Maturity* (days after sowing)	Plant type	Fruit size (kg)*	Fruit shape*	Rind characteristics	Flesh colour*	Storage ability *	Market/ Use	Comments
Chiara 	Kabocha	70 - 80	Vining	1.5 - 2.2	Oblate	Dark green	Bright yellow	Good	Export	Dark green skin colour. High Brix.
Colinky 	Hokkaido	65 - 75	Vining	0.8 - 1.5	Hubbard	Deep orange	Deep orange	Good	Fresh market, pre-pack and export	Popular for export market

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

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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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