

Crop: Okra	
Package of Practices	
Soil	Well drained heavy soils both black & red are best suited for crop growth. More fruiting branches can be expected in heavier soils compared to light soils.
Climate	Optimum temperature range for good crop is 25 to 35* C. In summer & rainy season crop growth will be more vigorous compared to winter season.
Season	Varies widely from state to state within India. But Jan to Feb and April to June are the major sowing seasons.
Seed	2 - 3 kg per acre depending on spacing.
Spacing	In light soils 80 cm between rows and 30 cm between plants while 100 cm between rows and 45 cm between plants recommended in heavier soils.
Manures & Fertilizers	8 to 10 tons of FYM per acre has to be incorporated into the soil before sowing. Green manuring crops before the main crop of okra is also desirable. Basal Dose: 100 kg of DAP + 65 kg of MOP First Top Dressing 30 DAS: 50 kg Urea + 50 kg MOP per acre. Second Top Dressing 60 DAS: 50 kg Urea + 50 kg MOP per acre. In light / low fertile soils apply third top dressing. A micro nutrient spray is recommended at the time of flowering.
Irrigation	Irrigation once in 3 to 4 days in light soils and 6 to 76 days in heavy soils is recommended.

Disclaimer: The results of above mentioned agronomy practices may vary depending upon the weather, soil type, other biotic and abiotic stresses