

Onion



Description

The onion, this bulbous vegetable, is used as a vegetable or condiment.

They can be eaten raw or cooked, with different flavors depending on the variety: white, yellow or red onions have totally distinct tastes and can be used to enhance your dishes!

Watering



Onions require very little watering, mainly during germination.



Over-watering could cause the bulbs to rot, except in very dry conditions.

Sowing

1



Sow in rows: dig furrows 2 cm deep, 20 cm apart. Place seeds and cover with soil. Water in fine rain.

2



As soon as 4-5 leaves appear, keep only the most vigorous plants.

Récolte



Harvesting takes place around 5 to 6 months after sowing, when the tops have completely dried out.

Harvest bulbs in dry, sunny weather. Dry onions on the ground for 48 hours. Store in a dry, well-ventilated place until peeled.

Maintenance

Weeding and hoe regularly to limit weeds.

Onions need full sun and well-drained soil to ensure optimum growth.

Tips

A number of plants can be combined with onions to protect them from pests and ensure their growth: tomato, radish, carrot and lettuce.

Companion plants ✓



To avoid ✗

