

Variety Description

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PAVLA

Species	Fodder kale
Botanical name	Brassica oleracea
Seeding rate	4-5 kg/ha
Distance between rows	25-40 cm
Sowing period	Mid-July to September
Sowing depth	2-3 cm



Agronomic figures*:

Mass formation in the early development	4
Stand height	4
Stalk thickness	4
Proportion of foliage	4
Frost susceptibility	6
Tendency to lodging	4
Tendency to lose leaves	5
Green manure yield	4
DM-yield	4
Crude protein yield	4
DM content	5
Crude protein content	5

Clarification of figures*:

1: very early, very low / 5: medium / 9: very late, very high

* **Source:** Federal Plant Variety Office 2020

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PAVLA is a high-performing fodder kale variety that is primarily characterised by a low tendency to lodging and attractive yield levels. It grows handsome leaves and can survive many winters in temperate climates.

Most important characteristics

High-yielding
Stable
Ample leaves

Usage

Marrow-stem kale, also known as fodder kale, belongs to the brassica group. A biennial, very winter-hardy plant, marrow-stem kale is characterised by its thickened central shoot and is mainly used as a catch crop and fodder plant. With its thickened shoots and thick, fleshy leaves, marrow-stem kale is able to absorb large amounts of nitrogen and preserve it through the winter in a way that prevents leaching.

