

Variety Comparison Chart

	Cloves /lb	Cloves/ bulb	Storage (months)	Clove wrapper tightness	Bulb Color	Clove Color	Flavor	Maturity	Scapes (Hardneck /Softneck)	Climate Preferred
Asiatic	45	4-7	4	Average	White	Brown, rosy purple	Hot	Early	Yes hardneck	Mild, Southern
Turban	60	6-8	4	Average	Striped, purple	Pink, brown	Hot	Very early	Weak-bolting	Mild, Southern
Creole	75	8-12	10-12	Tight	White	Red	Spicy, sweet	Mid	Weak-bolting	Hot, humid, Southern
Purple Stripe	55	8-12	4-6	Average	Striped, purple	Purple, pink	Full, great baked	Mid	Yes hardneck	Cold winters
Glazed Purple Stripe	55	6-10	4-6	Average	Satin purple	Purple, pink brown	Full, great baked	Mid	Yes hardneck	Cold winters
Marbled Purple Stripe	55	6-10	4-6	Average	Mottled purple	Purple, pink brown	Full, great baked	Early	Yes hardneck	Cold-cool winters
Porcelain	40	4-6	6	Tight	White	Pink	Hot	Late	Yes hardneck	Cold winters
Rocambole	60	6-11	4-6	Loose	White	Brown	Rich, robust	Late	Yes hardneck	Cold winters
Silverskin	70	12-20	10-12	Tight	White	White, pink	Hot	Late	No softneck	Cold-hot versatile
Artichoke	65	12-20	10	Tight	White, splotched	White	Mild	Early	No softneck	Cold-hot versatile