

SOWING PERIOD OF MAJOR CROPS

DISTRICT WISE SOWING PERIOD OF RICE CROP IN SINDH		
Sr.#	Name of District	Sowing Period
1.	Jacobabad	15th June - 15 July
2.	Shikarpur	15th June - 15 July
3.	Larkana	15th June - 15 July
4.	Sukkur	-
5.	Ghotki	-
6.	Khairpur	-
7.	N.S. Feroze	-
8.	Nawabshah	-
9.	Sanghar	-
10.	Mirpurkhas	-
11.	Hyderabad	15 April - 15th May
12.	Thar	-
13.	Badin	15 April - 15th May
14.	Thatta	15 April - 15th May
15.	Dadu	15th June - 15 July
16.	Karachi	-

DISTRICT WISE SOWING PERIOD OF COTTON CROP IN SINDH		
Sr.#	Name of District	Sowing Period
1.	Jacobabad	-
2.	Shikarpur	-
3.	Larkana	-
4.	Sukkur	June
5.	Ghotki	15th June - 1st Week July
6.	Khairpur	June
7.	N.S. Feroze	15th May - 15th June
8.	Nawabshah	15th May - 15th June
9.	Sanghar	15th May - 15th June
10.	Mirpurkhas	April
11.	Hyderabad	May
12.	Thar	-
13.	Badin	15 March- 15th April
14.	Thatta	15 March- 15th April
15.	Dadu	June
16.	Karachi	-

DISTRICT WISE SOWING PERIOD SUGARCANE CROP IN SINDH			
Sr.#	Name of District	Sowing Period	
		Spring	Autumn
1.	Jacobabad	--	--
2.	Shikarpur	--	--
3.	Larkana	--	--
4.	Sukkur	Feb - March	Aug - Oct
5.	Ghotki	Feb - March	Aug - Oct
6.	Khairpur	Feb - March	Aug - Oct
7.	N.S. Feroze	Feb - March	Aug - Oct
8.	Nawabshah	Feb - March	Aug - Septt
9.	Sanghar	February	Aug - Septt
10.	Mirpurkhas	Jan - Feb	Aug - Septt
11.	Hyderabad	Jan - Feb	--
12.	Thar	--	--
13.	Badin	Feb - March	Aug - Septt
14.	Thatta	Feb - March	Aug - Septt
15.	Dadu	March	October
16.	Karachi	--	--

DISTRICT WISE SOWING PERIOD OF WHEAT CROP IN SINDH		
Sr.#	Name of District	Sowing Period
1.	Jacobabad	7th Nov. - 30th Dec.
2.	Shikarpur	7th Nov. - 30th Dec.
3.	Larkana	7th Nov. - 30th Dec.
4.	Sukkur	7th Nov. - 30th Dec.
5.	Ghotki	7th Nov. - 30th Dec.
6.	Khairpur	7th Nov. - 30th Dec.
7.	N.S. Feroze	7th Nov. - 30th Dec.
8.	Nawabshah	1st Nov. - 20th Nov.
9.	Sanghar	1st Nov. - 20th Nov.
10.	Mirpurkhas	1st Nov. - 20th Nov.
11.	Hyderabad	1st Nov. - 20th Nov.
12.	Thar	1st Nov. - 20th Nov.
13.	Badin	1st Nov. - 20th Nov.
14.	Thatta	1st Nov. - 20th Nov.
15.	Dadu	1st Nov. - 20th Nov.
16.	Karachi	--

SOWING DATES	
WHEAT	
South Sindh:	The best time of sowing for early planting varieties is from 1st November to 20th November where as for late planting varieties is 21st November to 15th December
North Sindh:	For early planting varieties 10th November to 30th November and for late planting variety 20th November.
Harvesting Date	
South Sindh	Full month of March
North Sindh	Full month of May
RICE	
NURSERY SOWING	DR 82 is sown from 15th may to 30th June. IR from 20th April to 10th June, SADA HAYAT from 20th April to 10th June and Lateefy from 15th may to 20th June. In North Sindh DR 82 from 20th may to 30th June, IR 6 from 1st May to 10th June and lateefy 15th May to 20th June.
Harvesting Date	
South Sindh	During September to October
North Sindh	During November
COTTON	
Harvesting Date	
Thatta, Tharparkar Hyderabad	September 15th October 31
Sanghar, Nawabshah Dadu Khairpur Jaccobabad	October 15th December 15th
SUGARCANE	
Sowing Date	Sugarcane is planted in two seasons Spring and Autumn. Spring planting is done from 10th February to 30th March where, Autumn planting is done during September and October.
Harvesting Date	December to February
SUNFLOWER	
Sowing Date	Autumn crop is sown during whole month of august The spring crop is sown whole month of February.
Harvesting Date	When back of head turns yellow, harvesting should be done by cutting only heads with sickle. Threshing can be done by beating heads with stick or running tractor over the heads.
SOYBEAN	
Sowing Date	Two crop swing in Sindh. Soybean crop is raised during full month of February as spring crop and full month of June as kharif crop in South. In north Sindh the best period of sowing spring soybean is during 15th February to 15th March and kharif crop from last week of June to mid July
Harvesting Date	When all the pods of crop turn yellow in colour, that is the best time of harvesting. Crop start shattering with in few days of maturity. Hence timely harvesting is very necessary.
BARLEY	
Sowing Date	
South Sindh	15th October to 15th November

North Sindh	whole month of November
Harvesting Date	End of February and continue to till April.
GRAM	
Sowing Date	15th October to 30th November
Harvesting Date	15th march to 15th April

information source:

<http://www.sindhagri.gov.pk/crop%20calen/showing%20period.html>