## **Plant Finder**





Susana Cauliflower Brassica oleracea var. botrytis 'Susana'

Height: 24 inches Spread: 24 inches Spacing: 18 inches Sunlight: **O** 

Hardiness Zone: (annual)

## **Description:**



Susana Cauliflower fruit Photo courtesy of NetPS Plant Finder

This gorgeous cool weather variety produces large, 6-7" wide lime green heads with vigorous dark green leaves; open plant habit makes for easy harvest; beautiful florets are perfect for raw eating with dips or steamed to retain its pleasant flavor

## **Edible Qualities**

Susana Cauliflower is an annual vegetable plant that is commonly grown for its edible qualities. The large round green tightly-wrapped heads of foliage are typically harvested when mature. The heads have a delicious taste and a crunchy texture.

The heads are most often used in the following ways:

- Fresh Eating
- Eating When Cooked/Prepared
- Cooking
- Freezing

## **Planting & Growing**

Susana Cauliflower will grow to be about 24 inches tall at maturity, with a spread of 24 inches. When planted in rows, individual plants should be spaced approximately 18 inches apart. This fast-growing vegetable plant is an annual, which means that it will grow for one season in your garden and then die after producing a crop.

This plant is typically grown in a designated vegetable garden. It should only be grown in full sunlight. It does best in average to evenly moist conditions, but will not tolerate standing water. This plant is a heavy feeder that requires frequent fertilizing throughout the growing season to perform at its best. It is not particular as to soil type or pH. It is somewhat tolerant of urban pollution. This is a selected variety of a species not originally from North America.