



Leek

Tozer Seeds have been working very hard on the next generation leek breeding program.

Having now moved away from the more traditional leaf characteristics in favour of darker leaved varieties with erect habits to provide growers with products that meet their market demands.

Tozer Seeds are now targeting a vast range of global markets and continuing to improve upon the leaf and shank characteristics whilst introducing better bolting and disease tolerance.

Variety	Earliness	Leaf Colour	Habit	Shaft Length
TZ 9249	8	7	7	6
Lancaster	6	8	7	7
TZ 0188	6	7	8	7

Earliness: 1 = slow growing 10 = fast growing
Leaf colour: 1 = light green 10 = dark green
Plant type: 1 = less erect 10 = erect

Shaft length: 1 = short 10 = long

Lancaster

A variety developed for the second early and main season growing period.

The dark green foliage, erect leaf habit, and excellent uniformity make this an ideal pre-pack variety. Shank length and quality is characterised by smooth skin and compact finish with excellent weight potential. Initial trials have shown Lancaster to be an excellent winter hardy variety with good bolting tolerance.

TZ 9249

A vigorous first early variety for transplants and direct sowing.

This variety has performed well in summer productions in central Spain showing it is well adapted to high temperatures. Smooth compact shanks provide a good weight advantage and quality for processing and prepack markets. Seed is now available for transplant and direct sowing trials for the UK.

TZ 0188

A new addition to our second early leek range.

The slight vigour advantage means this variety complements Lancaster to provide greater harvest continuity. Slightly paler than Lancaster but with a more erect habit and longer shank makes this a versatile leek for processing and prepack.



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