

URBE SEED FARM

120 CAGES  
60.000 m<sup>2</sup>



100 m<sup>2</sup> of Office & Meeting Room URBE FARM

**FACILITIES**

Over the past years Anseme has invested many resources to produce reliable-quality seed in open fields and under cages. We have set up two farms (URBE and QUARCIN), trained agronomists and started co-operating with plant pathology laboratories and universities, accredited according to the Italian Ministerial Decrees, mainly specialized in vegetable seed analyses, for the detection of fungi, bacteria, viruses and phytoplasmas, pests and mites.



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Drone aerial view of greenhouses - URBE FARM



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## Organic & Conventional Greenhouse Seed Production



INNOVATION FOR  
HIGH-QUALITY SEEDS  
ONLY THE BEST  
TECHNOLOGY

We keep developing the cage program here at Anseme. We can now boast of having two farms with cages:

**URBE FARM:** 120 cages with a total surface of 60.000 m<sup>2</sup> and an investment plan to build 40 more cages in the next few years. 250-m<sup>2</sup> and 500-m<sup>2</sup> cages are available.

**QUARCIN FARM:** 100% certified organic farm with an investment plan to build 50 cages in the next few years to reach a surface of 25.000 m<sup>2</sup>. Only 500-m<sup>2</sup> cages are available.

**ANSEME SPA - ORGANIC & CONVENTIONAL GREENHOUSE SEED PRODUCTIONS**

In the last few years, Anseme has enormously enhanced the possibility of growing high-quality seeds under greenhouses.

It was a winning strategy the decision to directly manage all the greenhouses in our URBE FARM involving very skilled and trained technicians and employees of Anseme, and avoid placing the productions by outside farmers, as we used to do in the past. We aim to be professional and act as quickly as possible in case works and interventions are needed.

URBE FARM was created in 2012. There now are 120 greenhouses with different surfaces. The project is running on and we aim to build new greenhouses to increase and offer a larger sheltered production surface. The production team's know-how has increased a lot in the past years and they are now capable to carefully follow day by day all the steps of the production.

From 2019, our new, 100% organic certified farm QUARCIN has started operating. We aim to arrange 50 cages where we can produce certified organic crops.

**WHAT WE CAN DO WITH GREENHOUSE PRODUCTIONS**

- 1) Production of CLEANED SEED, meaning healthy, fungi-, bacteria- and virus-free seed;
- 2) Seed with high germination rates;
- 3) Stockseed increase;
- 4) Production of varieties which are particularly sensitive to frost or to other factors, that make their production in open field more difficult;
- 5) Production of new or niche varieties, for which very small quantities are requested.
- 6) **ORGANIC SEED**

**SPECIES WHICH CAN BE PRODUCED IN GREENHOUSE**

- OP and hybrid brassica (Pak Choi, Mizuna, Chinese Cabbage, Komatsuna, Mustard, Choy Sum, Chinese Kale )
- OP and hybrid bunching onion
- OP and hybrid cabbage
- OP and hybrid carrot
- OP and hybrid cauliflower
- OP and hybrid chicory
- OP and hybrid colza/rape seed
- OP and hybrid fennel
- OP and hybrid leek
- OP and hybrid onion
- OP and hybrid radish
- OP and hybrid red beet
- OP and hybrid sunflower
- OP and hybrid turnip
- Basil
- Dill
- Endive
- Herbs
- Lettuce
- Swiss chard
- Wild rocket



Leek seed production



Cauliflower seed production



**HUGE INVESTMENTS IN TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT, IN ORDER TO MEET THE HIGHEST QUALITY REQUIREMENTS OF THE SEED PRODUCTION SECTOR.**

**A WHOLE AGRONOMIC TEAM SPECIALIZED IN HIGH-QUALITY SEED PRODUCTION**



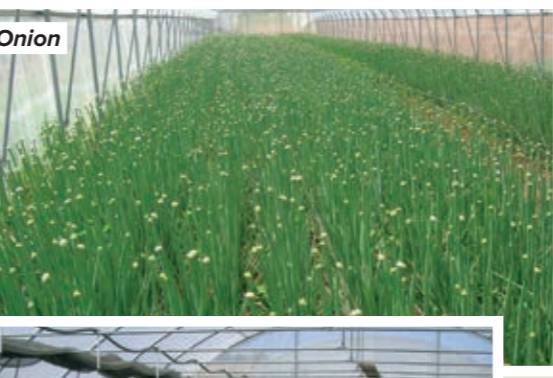
Chinese Cabbage Transplanting

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CLEAN SEED

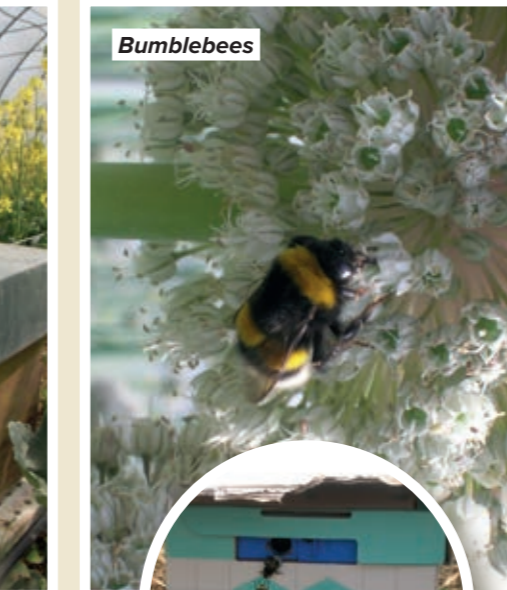
BACTERIA  
VIRUSES  
FUNGI

POSSIBILITY OF PRODUCING  
HIGH-QUALITY SEEDS OF  
MORE THAN 20 SPECIES.  
SPECIALIZED IN ROOT AND  
LEAF VEGETABLE



VARIETY	TYPE	CONTRACT TIME	ARRIVAL STOCK SEED	SOWING TIME	TRANSPLANTING TIME	FLOWERING TIME	HARVEST TIME	DELIVERY TIME
BASIL		February	March	April	May	July	September	December
BRASSICA (Pak Choi, Mizuna, Chinese Cabbage, Mustard, Choi Sum)	Early & Medium bolting	October	December	January	February	May	July	August
BRASSICA (Pak Choi, Mizuna, Chinese Cabbage)	Slow bolting	July	August	October	November	April next year	July next year	August next year
BUNCHING ONION		March	February	June	October	May next year	August next year	September next year
CABBAGE		May	June	August	September	April next year	July next year	August next year
CARROT		June	July	August	October	May next year	August next year	October next year
CAULIFLOWER		June	July	August	October	April next year	July next year	August next year
CELERY		April	June	August	October	June next year	August next year	October next year
CHICORY		July	August	September		June next year	August next year	September next year
COLZA/RAPE SEED		July	August	October		April next year	June next year	June next year
DILL		January	February	March		June	August	October
ENDIVE-SCAROLE		December	January	February		June	August	October
FENNEL		December	January	February		July	September	December
KALE		May	June	August	September	April next year	July next year	August next year
KOHLRABI		May	June	August	September	April next year	July next year	August next year
LEEK		January	February	April	October	July next year	September next year	November next year
LETTUCE		November	December	January		June next year	August next year	September next year
ONION		December	January	February	October	June next year	August next year	September next year
RADISH	Early bolting	December	January	February		May	July	August
RADISH	Slow bolting	August	September	October		May next year	July next year	August next year
RED BEET		June	July	August	October	May next year	July next year	August next year
SWISS CHARD		July	August	September	October	May next year	July next year	August next year
SUNFLOWER		December	March	April		July	September	November
TURNIP		July	August	September		April next year	July next year	August next year
WILD ROCKET		January	February	March		April	July	September

VARIOUS POLLINATION SYSTEMS



QUARCIN SEED FARM  
ORGANIC GREENHOUSE SEED PRODUCTION

After the conversion period, now the farm "Quarcin" is a certified organic farm. All the crops are grown by organic methods: the synthetic chemicals are banned and the environment is respected.

We can produce the same crops we are growing under tunnel by conventional methods. Anseme got the certification as organic seed company for the open field productions many years ago. Our agronomists can now boast of having a wide experience and great knowledge, enabling us to produce good-quality seed. We have arranged a multi-annual investment plan to build 50 cages to reach a total surface of 25.000 square meters of organic seed.

BIG NEWS!  
Organic-certified cages for excellent seed production



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