Cabbage and summer go hand-in-hand and this year, you will be able to enjoy your own fresh, homemade coleslaw with our 2016 AAS Winner Cabbage Katarina F₁. This new winner has a perfect smaller head size (4") and shape to be grown successfully in containers on patios, decks or in-ground beds, possibly as an ornamental/edible border. Judges noted that Katarina matured as much as 1-3 weeks earlier than the other cabbage comparison varieties so harvest and enjoy early in the year. Once the main head was removed, the plant continued to grow smaller side heads as well. The taste is less bitter and sweeter than conventional varieties; it might just convert even those who think they are not fond of cabbage!

**AAS® Winner Data**

- **Genus species:** Brassica oleracea, Capitata Group
- **Common name:** Cabbage
- **Fruit flavor:** Sweet, crisp
- **Fruit size:** 4 inches
- **Fruit shape:** Round
- **Fruit color:** Green
- **Plant color:** Green
- **Plant type:** Annual
- **Plant height:** 12-14 inches
- **Plant habit:** Compact, depending on spacing
- **Garden location:** Full sun
- **Garden spacing:** 6 – 8 inches apart; 12 inches between rows
- **Length of time to harvest:** 55 days from sowing seed, 45 days from transplant
- **Closest comparisons on market:** Gonzales F₁, Crystal Vantage F₁