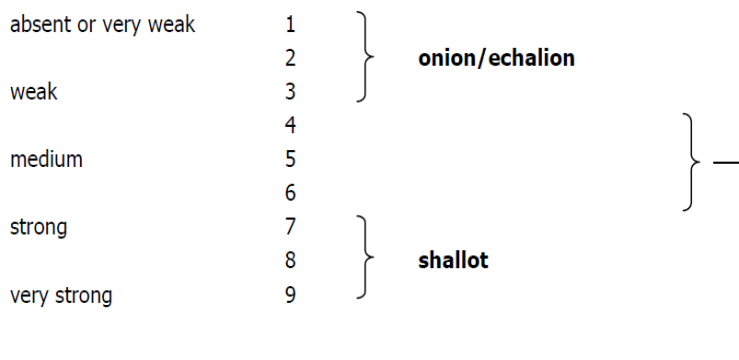
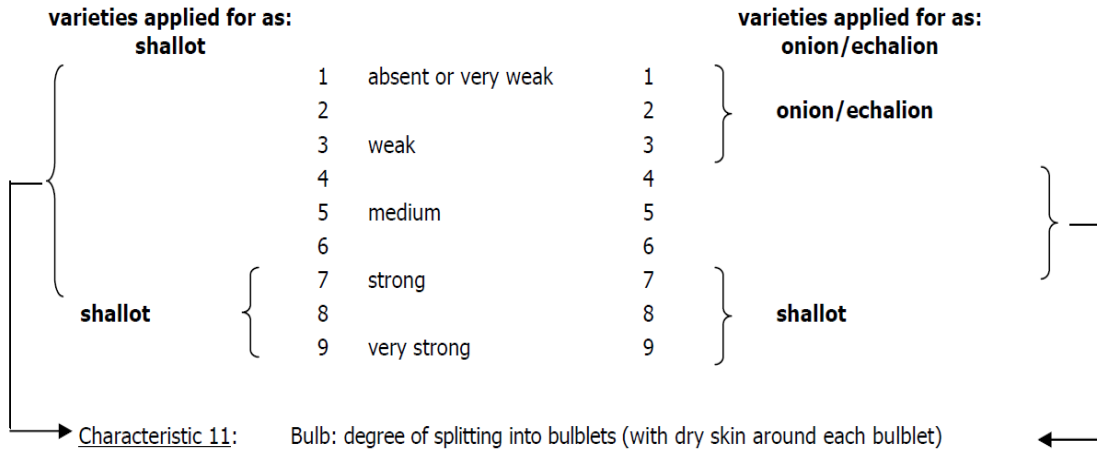
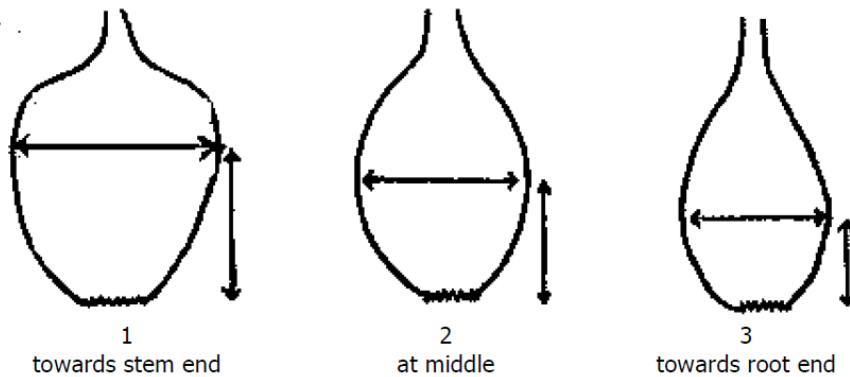


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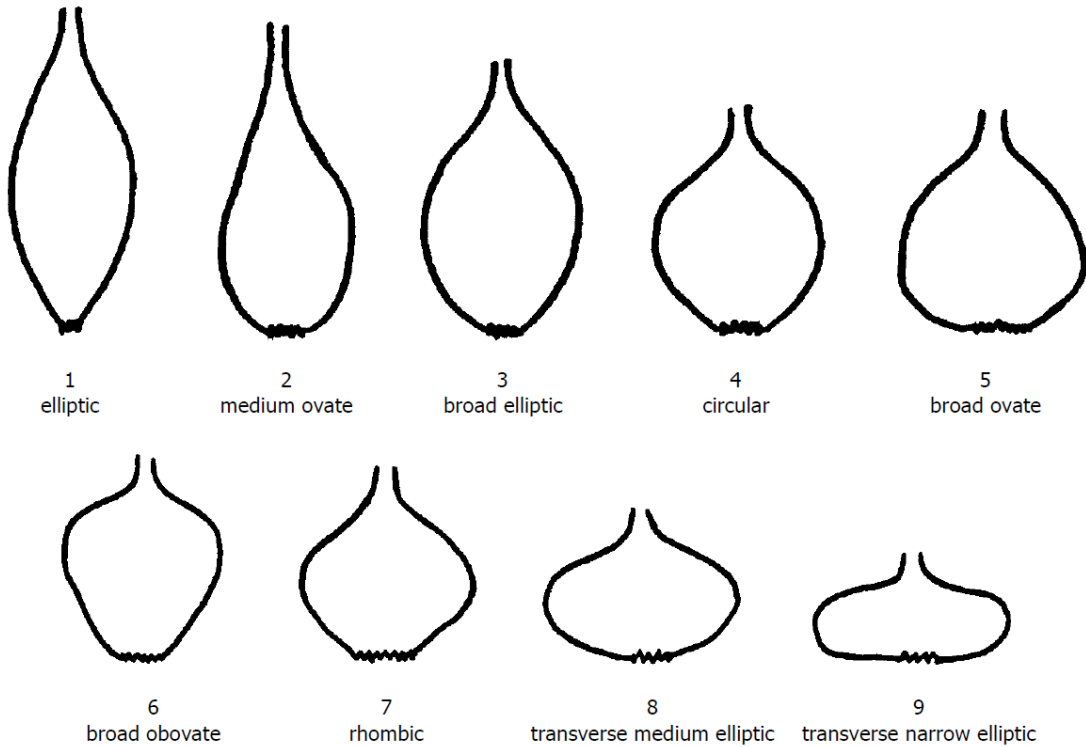
Characteristic 10: Seed-propagated varieties only:
 Bulb: Tendency to split into bulblets (with dry skin around each bulblet)



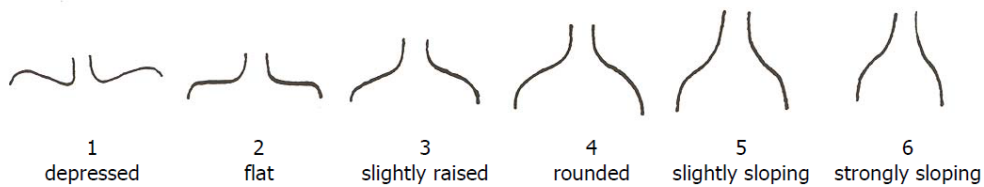
Ad 16: Bulb/Bulblet: position of maximum diameter



Ad 18: Bulb/Bulblet: shape (in longitudinal section)



Ad 19: Onion varieties only: Bulb: shape of stem end (as for 18)



Ad 36: Male sterility

After re-planting of harvested bulbs in the second year, flowers will emerge. In dry weather, when flowers are completely open, male sterility should be assessed by checking if pollen is released from the anthers. This characteristic has to be observed plant by plant; the expression represents the percentage of male sterile plants.

State	Note	% male sterility
absent or very weak	1	0-10 %
weak	2	11-80 %
strong	3	81-100 %