

Table 7 Effect of mulching on bulb diameter

Treatments	100 DAT
Control	4.9 ^e
Sawdust mulch	5.8 ^d
Straw mulch	6.2 ^c
Banana leaves mulch	7.1 ^a
Neem mulch	6.9 ^a
White polythene mulch	7.0 ^a
Rice husk mulch	6.6 ^b
P value	<0.001
LSD	0.3
CV (%)	2.8
Grand mean	6.4
SEM (±)	0.17

Note: LSD= Least significant difference, SEM= Standard error of mean, CV= Coefficient of variation, P value= Probability value