



Grow the Crop

Handout 2

Staking Drums

Rules for Stacking Drums

Container type	Number of layers allowed on a base plate	Number of packages allowed on a pallet
Steel drums = 200 l	1	3-4
Steel drums < 200 l	2	3-4
Fibre drums = 200 l	1	3
Fibre drums < 200 l	2	3
Plastics drums = 200 l	1	2
Plastics drums, 200 l	2	2
Paper bags	4-5	3
Plastics bags	4-5	3
Fibre case containing tins	4-6	3-4
Fibre case containing soft packages	4-6	2
Wooden cases	2-4	3-4