

### 2.3 AV-6 (KBC-9)

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| 1 | Crop                 | Cowpea                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| 2 | Variety              | AV-6 (KBC-9)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| 3 | Year of Release      | 2017                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| 4 | Gazette Notification | SO. 6318 (E) dated 26.12.2018                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| 5 | Duration             | 80-85 days                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| 6 | Yield                | 400-500 kg/acre                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| 7 | Special features     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>➤ Suitable for July-August-Sept and Jan-Feb sowings</li><li>➤ Bushy and semi spreading plants</li><li>➤ Bold and light brown seeds</li><li>➤ Tolerant to rust disease</li><li>➤ Resistant to bacterial leaf blight disease</li></ul> |
| 8 | Developed Centre     | ZARS, GKVK                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| 9 | Recommended Zone     | Zone - 5 & 6.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |



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