

Dear Customer,

Thank you for ordering from Suttons. We trust your plants have reached you in perfect condition. Now all you have to do is follow these simple instructions to create a display to be proud of!

Your plants have been grown under ideal conditions, and inspected by one of our experts prior to careful packaging and despatch. However, should they have been damaged or delayed during delivery, please contact us immediately so that we can replace them.

**Happy Gardening
from everyone at Suttons!**

Please note that our Miniplant and Easiplant trays contain extra cells over and above the stated quantity - so that you should normally receive a few extra plants, even if some of the cells are empty.



GENERAL CARE

To achieve that stunning display, please make sure that you regularly check your plants to ensure that they have adequate water, and feed regularly.

When planting containers, mix a slow release plant food such as Suttons Controlled Release Fertiliser, into the compost. They will then need less attention throughout the winter.

Watering below the foliage canopy of the plants will reduce marking and damage to the flowers. Removing the dead and damaged flower heads will not only improve the appearance of the plants, but will also prevent the plant putting energy into seed production and ensure that more flowers are produced.



All Suttons products should reach you in perfect condition, just as they left us. If you are dissatisfied in any way with their condition on arrival,

please let us know within 14 days and we'll arrange a replacement or refund.



If you or a gardening friend need extra plants please phone us - even after the last order dates we may still be able to supply some plants for immediate delivery.

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Growing Instructions



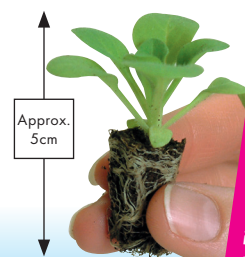
On Delivery of your plants

Do this straight away:

- Carefully unpack your plants and check that the compost is moist.
- Should any of the compost be dry, water carefully using a small watering can, and allow to drain.
- Stand in a light, warm place, and then follow the growing on instructions in this leaflet as soon as you can - provided they are kept moist, they can usually be left for up to 3 days.

MINIPLANTS

A 7cm pot filled loosely with moist compost is ideal to plant these sturdy young plants into. In each pack you will find a dibber stick. Gently push it through the base hole of each cell and ease the plant and root plug out of the tray, placing it into the centre of the filled pot until the roots of the plug are covered. Firm the compost gently around the base of the plug whilst ensuring the stem and leaves remain above the top layer. Alternatively, plant into trays of compost. A 36x22cm (14x8½") tray will hold up to 24 plants. Grow on in a light and airy position until the plant fill the growing container, at this stage plant into their final flowering position.



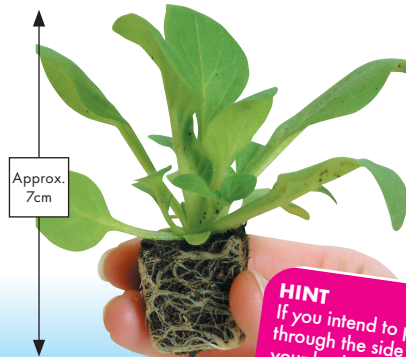
HINT

To reduce the need for weeding once you have planted out your bedding display, you can dig over your planting area a couple of weeks before you intend to plant. This action will encourage the weed seeds to germinate and these can be removed before you plant up your display.

All sizes are approximate as top growth varies between varieties.

EASIPLANTS

These larger cell grown plants will develop very quickly once planted in 7 to 9cm pots. Ease them from their tray using the dibber stick provided, pushing through the base hole of each cell, then plant into the centre of the pot ensuring all the roots are covered but that the stem and leaves remain exposed. Alternatively, plant into trays of compost. Once the plants have filled to growing container, they are ready for planting into their final flowering position.

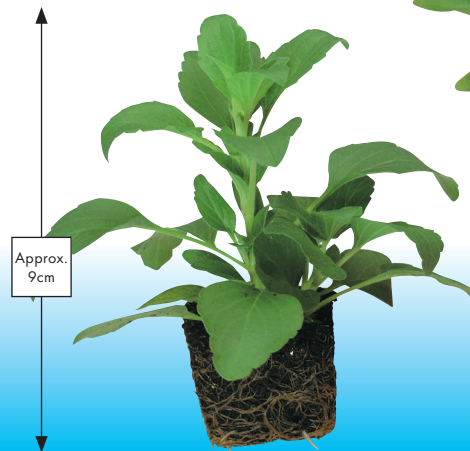


HINT

If you intend to plant through the side of your baskets then you can use a smaller pot than 7cm and transfer into baskets when well established.

GARDEN READY PLANTS

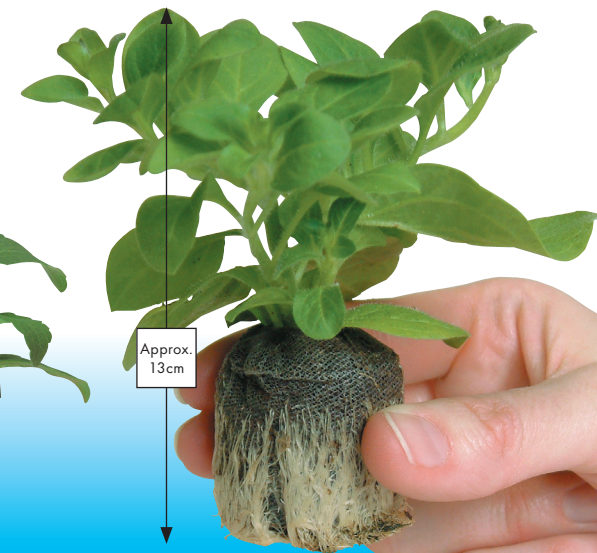
For planting directly into the garden, ensure that the soil has been dug over and lumps broken down, then plant straight into their flowering position. In areas where the existing soil is poor, incorporate a good handful of compost into each area you are planting. Once planted don't forget to give your plants a drink and protect them from any slugs and snails that may appear.



POT READY PLANTS

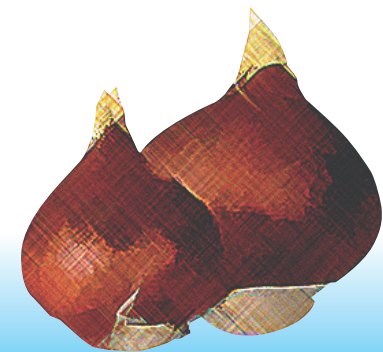
We have selected these plants to be grown where you would like something that bit different in areas such as hanging baskets, patio containers, tubs and raised beds. For best performance we recommend that you grow them on further, either in 9 to 11cm pots.

Note: when planting, there is no need to remove any net or fibre pot sleeve.



BULBS

On receipt of your bulbs and plants, follow the Easiplants instructions for your plants. Store your bulbs in a dry and well ventilated location for the few weeks required for your Easiplants to develop. For small bulb varieties up to 5+cm in size, plant up to 5cm (2") below the soil level, for larger bulbs over 5+cm in size plant 10cm (4") below the soil level. Then plant your grown Easiplants between the bulbs, ensuring all the foliage is above the soil level. Planting in this way allows the bulbs to shoot and flower between the plants, rather than pushing the plants out of the ground.



Note: Bulb sizes given in centimetres refer to the circumference of each bulb.



A Pack of Easiplants