GrowerFacts

Dianthus Bouquet™ F₁ Series

(Dianthus barbatus interspecific)

Perennials Culture (revised 01/10/18)

Planting density: 3 to 4 plants/ft.² (30 to 40 plants/m²) **Best for:** Greenhouse, high tunnel; also suitable for field

Plug crop time: 4 to 5 weeks

Transplant to finish: Late Spring/Summer greenhouse/field, 11 to 14 weeks; Late Summer/Winter greenhouse, 12 to 18 weeks; Field, 18 to 23 weeks

- Lacy, slightly scented flowers top strong, well-branched stems.
- Excellent bouquet filler with high yields of saleable stems.
- Greenhouse-grown plants produce longer stems, with finished heights up to 36 in./91 cm.

General Information

Exposure	Bloom Season	Height	Spread	Spacing
Sun	Early Spring, Spring, Late Spring, Summer, Late Summer, Autumn	18-24 in. (46-61 cm)	10-12 in. (25-30 cm)	10-14 in. (25-36 cm)

Germination

Seed Form	Recommended Plug Size	Seeds/Cell	Plug Crop Weeks	Days to Germinate	Initial Media pH/EC	Cover Seed
PEL	288	1	4-6	3-4	5.8-6.2 pH 0.75 mmhos/cm	Yes

Plug Production

	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Stage 4
Moisture	Level 4	Level 3-4	Level 2-3	Level 2-3
Temperature	64-68°F (18-20°C)	65-70°F (18-21°C)	60-65°F (16-18°C)	55-60°F (13-16°C)
Light	Optional	5-8 mol·m ⁻² ·d ⁻¹	8-10 mol·m ⁻² ·d ⁻¹	10 mol·m ⁻² ·d ⁻¹
Fertilizer		Less than 100 ppm N - Less than 0.7 EC	100 to 175 ppm N - 0.7 to 1.2 EC	175 to 225 ppm N - 1.2 to 1.5 EC
PGR			paclobutrazol/4-6 ppm/Spray	

Vernalization

No

Growing on to Finish

Growing on Temperature	Target Media pH/EC	Fertilizer	Daylength
(day) 60-72°F (16-22°C) (night) 50-60°F (10-16°C)	5.8-6.2 pH 1.5-2.0 mmhos/cm	175 to 225 ppm N - 1.2 to 1.5 EC	Facultative Long Day

Daylength Notation

Long day beneficial

Crop Scheduling

Crop Type	Container Size	Plugs/Pot	Crop Time	Season	PGR
Annual	4"/4.5"/Quart	1 (ppp)	9-10 (weeks)	Spring	paclobutrazol 15-20 ppm Spray
Annual	5"/6"/1 Gallon	3 (ppp)	8-9 (weeks)	Autumn	paclobutrazol 15-20 ppm Spray
Annual	5"/6"/1 Gallon	1-3 (ppp)	9-10 (weeks)	Spring	paclobutrazol 15-20 ppm Spray
Annual	10" Pot or HB/3 Gallon	4 (ppp)	8-9 (weeks)	Autumn	paclobutrazol 15-20 ppm Spray

Finishing Key Tips

3-4 applications of PGRs are needed to produce in quart or gallon containers.

NOTE: Growers should use the information presented here as guidelines only. PanAmerican Seed recommends that growers conduct a trial of products under their own conditions. Crop times will vary depending on the climate, location, time of year, and greenhouse environmental conditions. It is the responsibility of the grower to read and follow all the current label directions relating to the products. Nothing herein shall be deemed a warranty or guaranty by PanAmerican Seed of any products listed herein. PanAmerican Seed's terms and conditions of sale shall apply to all products listed herein.

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