

Cultural recommendation

Leontopodium

Description

Name: Leontopodium nivale

Family: Asteraceae

Varieties: Vroni



Product use

Use: Bedding , perennial and balcony plant

Exposure: Full sun to part shaded

Technical recommendations

Potting / plants per m²: Recommended pot size 10-12cm. Plants per m² depending on the pot size; for a 12cm pot around 20-25 plants/m² for 10,5 cm pot around 28-32 plants/m² . Young plants should be planted so that the top of the rooting medium is at or slightly below the top of the growing medium in order to avoid the risk of diseases.

Substrate: Use a porous media with good drainage and water holding capacity. pH 6,2-6,5 . As a basic fertilization starter, a maximum 1 gr/l compound fertilizers should be in the substrate.

Fertilizer: Moderate fertilization . Use a complete fertilizer balance 3-2-3 N-P-K with Ca, Mg and micronutrients at 0,8-1,0 gr/l in every watering

Temperature/Growing conditions: For the spring summer production the crop can be produced directly outdoors. If the conditions are cold and rainy, you can start the crop under greenhouse conditions during the first 2-3 weeks and when the plant is well established, move the crop outdoor.

Water: Use rain or high quality water, avoid hard water. Keep medium- wet substrate. Never allow substrate to dry out.

Light levels: full sun

Growth control: In general not needed

Pinch: No pinch required

Pest and Diseases: Leontopodium is in general pest and diseases free plant. Can be sensitive to aphids in the early stages and botrytis under high humidity conditions. Start with clean material a well disinfected facilities together with a proper pest management program using different control strategies: exclusion, monitoring, biological and chemical control, are the best tools to control these pests.

For any the chemical control, follow the registration uses of each product in each region

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Crop schedule * 10,5 cm pot

Week	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Summer Outdoor production	P								F	F
Week	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Summer Indoor/ Outdoor production	P/G	G	G						F	F

P: Potting F: Finish plant G: Greenhouse production

*This is a reference time schedule that can vary depending growing conditions and region. Schedule start from RC.

Crop schedule * 12 cm pot

Week	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Summer Outdoor production	P									F	F

P: Potting F: Finish plant

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