



Instructions: Ribbed Can - Cactus



STEP 1

Place the growing medium pellets in a bowl. Add 3/4 cup lukewarm water. The pellets will expand as they absorb the water and turn into growing medium. Fluff the growing medium with a fork, adding more water if necessary.



STEP 2

You may add pebbles (not included) to your container for drainage. Add growing medium to the container.



STEP 3

Sprinkle seeds over growing medium and lightly press seeds into the growing medium.



STEP 4

Cover pot with plastic wrap. Secure with rubber band if necessary.

Care:



WATERING

Keep moist, but do not overwater. Pull back plastic wrap and lightly mist with a spray bottle as necessary. Replace plastic wrap.



LIGHT

Place pot in a warm, sunny location. Avoid direct sunlight until after seedlings are well established (3-6 months after seedlings emerge). For best results, rotate the pot often so all sides receive equal sunlight.



GERMINATION

Germination may take 1 to 3 months. Remove plastic wrap to spray mist and keep growing medium moist as necessary. Replace plastic wrap after misting. Do not overwater or allow growing medium to become soggy as this may cause seeds to rot.

TRANSPLANTING

Once seedlings emerge, poke a few holes in the plastic wrap for air circulation. Remove plastic wrap once seedlings are about the size of a pencil eraser (3-6 months after seedlings emerge). Continue to mist growing medium allowing growing medium to dry out between mistings. Keep in mind that cactus plants grow very slowly.