

GOLF™

Craspedia

- A true attention grabber
- Unique yellow blooms
- Easier rooting, even in northern climates
- Can be easily cut and put in a vase inside the house
- Well suited for combinations



Upright



**20-25 cm
8-10 in**



**36-46 cm
14-18 in**



**Heat
tolerant**



**Pollinator
Friendly**



Landscape



**15-18 cm
Gal**



PLANT OF THE YEAR 2022
Pillnitz, North Germany



DANZIGER

GOLF™ BEAUTY IMP.



*Craspedia spp*

Stick on priority – Number 1 out of 4 categories

Don't store cuttings and plugs in cold store (below 10 C/ 50 F)

Foliage shall be kept dry as possible – see misting guidelines in the next slide

Average Time	Temperature	Hormone	Fertilization	Fungicide
5 / 6 weeks	Weeks 1 - 2 70°-72° F (21° - 22°C)	Suggested	Weeks 1-2 50 ppm N	Spray fungicide to control Botrytis and bacteria day of sticking
	Weeks 3 – 5/6 65° - 68° F (18° - 20° C)		Weeks 3-5 100 to 150 ppm N	Spray fungicide to control Botrytis and bacteria Week 2

Rooting	pH	EC	Temp	Feed	Light	PGR	Fungicide	Comments
Week 1	5.8 / 6.4	0.80	70°-72° F (21° - 22°C)	50 ppm N in mist	Optional		Day of sticking	Additional lighting will hasten flowering
Week 2	5.8 to 6.4	.80 to .90	70°-72° F (21° - 22°C)	50 ppm N in mist	Optional		Second fungicide app	Fungicide to control Botrytis!
Week 3	5.8 to 6.4	.90 to 1.0	Cool to 68° / 70° F (20° / 21° C)	Feed 100 ppm to 150 ppm	Optional	Daminozide as needed		
Week 4	5.8 to 6.4	1.0 to 1.2	65° to 68° F (18° / 20° C)	Feed 100 ppm to 150 ppm	Optional	Daminozide as needed		
Week 5	5.8 to 6.4	1.0 to 1.2	65° to 68° F (18° / 20° C)	Feed 100 ppm to 150 ppm	Optional	Daminozide as needed		



- Irrigation specification – Reduce mist shortly after sticking the cuttings (day 2 or 3).



- Dip cut ends of cuttings in rooting hormone prior to sticking or Spray application of K-IBA- This will enable more uniform rooting.
- Daminozide at 1200 to 1500 ppm day of sticking. Pinch plants when they begin to elongate to create branching at base of plant.



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Rooting – Misting guidelines

Misting & Temperature Schedule:

- **First 3-4 weeks (Callus Formation):**
 - Use frequent short misting pulses during the day (**6 sec every 6 min**)
 - No misting required at night unless using heated rooting media
 - If heat is applied, mist **2-3 times at night (15-20 sec each)**
 - **Ideal temperature: 68-72°F (20-22°C)** for best root initiation
- **Post root formation (Weeks 4+):**
 - Reduce misting to **1-2 long pulses per day (2-3 min each)**
 - No fertilizer in mist to prevent crown and root rot
 - **Temperature should be gradually reduced to 65-68°F (18-20°C)** to harden plants
 - Proper timing of mist reduction is critical for plant health



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- Pinch week 3 in liner or at transplant (according the plant development)
- Plant liners into new soil to support plants at maturity
- **Don't store cuttings and liners in cold store (below 10 C/ 50 F)**

Finishing	pH	EC	Temp	Feed	Light	PGR	Fungicide	Comments
Week 5 Transplant	5.8 to 6.2	1.0 to 1.2	65° to 68° F (18° to 20° C)	feed 100 to 150 ppm		B-9 as needed	Spray fungicide after transplant	
Week 6 to 14	5.8 to 6.2	1.0 to 1.2	65° to 68° F (18° to 20° C)	feed 100 to 150 ppm		Paclobutrazol Drench at 1 to 2 ppm		Paclobutrazol 1 to 2 ppm drench if required

Average Time (from liners)	Temperature	Pinch/ Daylength Modification	Fertilization	Plant Growth Regulator
8 to 10 wks	Average Day	Pinch –Yes Additional lighting not required	100 - 150 ppm N	In liner and finish stages
(12 cm) 5” pot 1 ppp	65° - 68° (18° - 20° C)			
10 to 12 wks			Soil EC 1.0 - 1.2 pH 5.8 to 6.4	
(15 cm) 6 ½” 1 ppp				

Pests	Aphids	ACETAMIPRID, FLONICAMID, IMIDACLOPRID,DICHLORVOS
	Thrip	METHIOCARB,ACRINATHRIN, ABAMECTIN, DICHLORVOS, SPINOSAD
Diseases	Botrytis	CYPRODINIL+FLUDIOXONIL, IPRODIONE, POLYOXIN
	Pythium	PROPAMOCARB
	Phytophthora	PROPAMOCARB



- PGR - Spray Daminozide at 2000 to 2500 ppm for finishing plants
- Paclobutrazol drench application at 1 to 2 ppm for finishing if required
- Drench broad spectrum fungicide after transplant
- Scout for Aphids on regular basis

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Craspedia GOLF™ - Photos from commercial production at Europe, 2022



CRASPEDIA POT	
12cm	
11cm	
10cm	
9cm	
8cm	
7cm	
6cm	
5cm	
4cm	
3cm	
2cm	
1cm	



- Golf Beauty

Nota: Cosechar de la base de la planta.