Technical Guide

ARABIS caucasica

'Snowfix'

TRANSPLANT LINERS

Pot Size: Transplant liners into quart (1 litre), 6-inch (15 cm) or 1-gallon (4 litre) pots with one cell per pot.
Media: Porous soil with good drainage.
Vernalization: Not required for flowering.

GROWING ON

Media pH: 6.0 to 6.5.
Media EC: 0.5 to 1 mmhos/cm.
Moisture: Plants should not be grown overly moist.
Fertilizer: 100 to150 ppm nitrogen is sufficient while actively growing.
Supplemental Lighting: Not required for flowering. Day length neutral plant.
Temperature: Recommend 46˚ to 64°F (8˚ to18°C) with ideal range being 55˚ to 60°F (13˚ to 16°C).
Common Pests: Aphids.
Common Diseases: Crown rot.
Pinching: Not required.
Crop Maintenance: None.
Growth Regulators: Not necessary.

SCHEDULING RECOMMENDATIONS

Transplant in late winter or early spring from unvernalized liners. For pot sizes larger than 1-gallon (4 litre), use multiple liners per pot. Plants will flower in about 6 to 8 weeks after transplant. Unvernalized liners planted outdoors Week 14 flowered in about 8 weeks after transplant in our PA trial garden.

CONTAINER STATISTICS

Light: Full Sun
Height: 4 to 6 inches (10 to 15 cm)

VARIETY FEATURES

- Uniform carpets of white flowers and light green foliage.
- Suitable for rock gardens or mixed containers with other spring perennials like *Bellis* and *Myosotis.*
- Also mixes well with Pansies.
- No vernalization required for flowering!

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GARDEN STATISTICS

Light: Full sun to part shade
Height: 5 inches (13 cm)
Spread: 8 to 12 inches (20 to 30 cm)
USDA Hardiness Zone: 3 to 7
AHS Heat Zone: 8 to 1

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