Ajuga (Bugleweed)

128ct Plug

Container:
Trade 1 Gallon Container
Finish:
10-12 weeks
When To Plant:
Late summer to early fall

30ct Plug

Container:
Trade 1 Gallon Container
Finish:
7-9 weeks
When To Plant:
Late winter to late spring

Growing Temperature:

55-75° F days

55-60° F nights

EC Level:

1.5-2.5 pour through method

Vernalization:

Required for flowers. 6-8 weeks at 40° F or below.

Pests and Diseases:

Whiteflies, sluga, snails, Southern root-knot nematode

Rot (Sclerotium), crown rot, leaf spot (Corynespora, South), leaf spot (Myrothecium, South)

Moisture:

Ajuga prefer to be consistently moist but not soggy.

PGRs/Pinching:

Avoid using PGRs as Ajuga can be extremely sensitive to them.

Holding Temperature:

50-60° F

Soil pH:

6.0-6.5

Fertility:

Performs best with a constant liquid fertilization program, feeding at rates of 50 ppm nitrate.

For Controlled Release or Slow Release Fertilizer, see your preferred supplier for recommended rates for incorporation or top dressing, as it varies by fertilizer.

Potting and Timing:

Plant in well-drained soilless media.

Drench with a broad spectrum fungicide at time of planting.

Planting Level:

Plant plug even with the soil surface.

Lighting:

Day neutral

Grower Tips:

It is best to plant small plugs like 128ct plugs in late summer for spring sales. The flower performance will be much better when forced from a bulked finished container that has been vernalized.

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