

# Carex (Sedge)

## 30ct LF Plug

Container:

Trade 1 Gallon Container

Finish:

7-9 weeks

When To Plant:

Early spring - summer or late summer

## 72ct Plug

Container:

Trade 1 Gallon Container

Finish:

10-12 weeks

When To Plant:

Late summer or early spring to mid summer.

### Growing Temperature:

68-72° F

### Soil pH:

5.8-6.2

### Fertility:

Feed moderately with 75 - 100 ppm N at each watering.

### Potting and Timing:

Small plugs are best for quarts and trade 1 gallon containers.

Large plugs work well for quick turn spring planted trade 1 gallon containers or if a slightly larger container is desired.

### Planting Level:

Crown level with soil line.

### PGRs/Pinching:

Carex can be trimmed lightly if desired. Avoid cutting back too drastically.

### Holding Temperature:

55-60° F

### EC Level:

1.5-2.0 pour through method

### Vernalization:

Not required

### Pests and Diseases:

Aphids, mealybugs, and slugs are the most common pests seen on Carex.

Rust and crown/root rots are the most common diseases growers are likely to observe.

### Moisture:

Carex Evergold prefers moderate moisture to slightly dry.

Carex such as Bowles Golden, Ice Dance, Banana Boat, and Snow Cap prefer higher moisture and do not like to dry down.

### Lighting:

Most Carex prefer to have light to moderate shade in production during the warmer seasons.

### Grower Tips:

Avoid salt buildups by leaching the media every few weeks. Check EC levels often to avoid root burning.



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