Gypsophila (Baby's Breath)

**72ct Plug**
- Container: Trade 1 Gallon Container
- Finish: 10-12 weeks
- When To Plant: Late summer or early to mid spring

**Grade #1 Bare Root**
- Container: Premium 1 Gallon Pot
- Finish: 8-10 weeks
- When To Plant: Early to late spring

**Growing Temperature:**
- Rooting out and Growing on 65-72° F

**Soil pH:**
- 5.8-6.2

**Fertility:**
- Needs 200 ppm N fertilizer for optimum growth.

**Pests and Diseases:**
- No serious pests or diseases affect Gypsophila.
- Scout for thrips, mites and leafhoppers on a regular basis. Watch for botrytis blight and stem rots, especially if grown with under wetter conditions.

**Moisture:**
- Moderate to moist.

**PGRs/Pinching:**
- No pinching or growth regulators needed.

**Other Comments:**
- Gypsophila will continue to bloom without dead-heading, but removing old blooms may encourage additional blooming.

**Holding Temperature:**
- 40-50° F outdoor

**EC Level:**
- 1.25-2.0 pour through method

**Vernalization:**
- Cold beneficial. Cool for 6-9 weeks for increased bud count.

**Potting and Timing:**
- Gypsophila are slow growers, so plan accordingly. Warm and slightly dry conditions after transplanting speeds rooting in and growth.

**Planting Level:**
- Place crown at or slightly higher than the soil level.

**Lighting:**
- Plants need long days or supplemental light to flower early. Hold at 40-50° F outdoor temperatures.