#### Mast Young Plants Cultural Data Sheet MECARDONIA

### Planting

| PH         | Recommended pH levels are between 5.8 and 6.2.  |
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| Media      | Well-aerated mix.                               |
| Uses       | Containers, hanging baskets and combinations.   |
| Plants/Pot | 4" - 1ppp – 8-10 weeks to finish                |
|            | 6" - 3-4ppp – 9-11 weeks to finish              |
|            | Hanging basket - 5-6ppp – 14-15 weeks to finish |

### Climate

| Lighting    | 5000 to 6000 ft candles                       |
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| Light Notes | Bright light is ideal for this crop.          |
| Hardiness   | Day: 68-74 ° F. Night: 65-68 ° F. Zones: 9-11 |

# Growing

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| Notes              | Feed at 100 to 150 ppm.   |
| Water Requirements | Avoid excessive irrigation. Heat and drought tolerant.                |
| Growth Regulators  | Not necessary if grown under high light.                              |
| Pinching           | Pinch after transplanting. Larger size pots should have an additional |
|                    | pinch.  |

# **Pest Control**

| Insects | Aphids, Fungus Gnats                              |
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| Disease | Botrytis, Root and Stem Rot                       |
| Notes   | Provide good air circulation to prevent Botrytis. |

# **Specifications**

| Height | Minimum is 4", the maximum is 6"   |
|--------|------------------------------------|
| Width  | Minimum is 14", the maximum is 18" |

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