

COFFEE CULTIVATION



Prepare the planting containers

- Choose flower pots or seed trays with drainage holes at the bottom.
- Ensure that the containers are large enough to accommodate the coffee plant as it grows.
- Fill the containers with seed starting soil.

Planting the parchment

- Take the parchment (coffee beans) and individually insert them into the soil, with the slit facing downwards, approximately 3-4 cm deep.
- Make sure each coffee bean has enough space and is not touching other beans.

Placement and germination

- Place the planting containers in a sunny location or on a windowsill with a radiator underneath.
- Coffee seeds require a temperature of around 25°C during the germination phase.
- Keep the soil lightly moist to support germination.
- After a few weeks, the seedling will emerge from the soil.

Location care

- Coffee plants thrive best in a bright, airy location without direct sunlight.
- In the summer, fresh air is beneficial, even if there is occasional draft.
- In winter, the plant can tolerate room temperatures starting from 23°C, but cooler locations are not harmful.

PLANTING DEPTH:

3-4 cm

GERMINATION TIME:

several weeks

FLOWERING

approximately after 4 years

SHRUB HEIGHT:

Up to 3 meters

FERTILIZATION:

Summer: Weekly / every 14 days -

Winter: every 4 weeks

WATERING:

1-2 times per week without waterlogging

TEMPERATURE:

25 °C for germination, then 18-23°C



Watering

- Maintain even moisture for the coffee plant based on the room temperature.
- Water once a week, avoiding waterlogging.
- Mist the leaves twice a week.
- Ensure that the plant is neither too dry nor too wet.

Fertilization

- Fertilize the coffee plant regularly during summer, either weekly or every 14 days.
- Reduce the frequency during winter, applying fertilizer every 4 weeks.
- Use a suitable indoor plant fertilizer.

Repotting

Depending on the plant's growth rate, occasional repotting may be necessary. Ensure that the taproot-like roots have enough space to grow. Select a larger pot when the current one becomes too small.

Flowering and harvest

- After approximately 4 years of cultivation, the coffee plant will produce its first flowers.
- Nine months after flowering, you will find the first coffee cherries on your plant.
- Note that it takes some time for the coffee cherries to ripen.

Wishing a fruitful harvest and happy gardening!