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# HELICHRYSUM 'ICICLES'

*Helichrysum thianschanicum*



## TRAY & ROOTING

Form	<b>Vegetative Cutting (URC)</b>
Rooting Hormone?	<b>Yes</b>
Tray Size	<b>50, 72, 84, 104</b>
Plants Per Cell	<b>1</b>
Days In Mist	<b>7-9</b>
Wks. From Stick To Transplant	<b>4</b>
Propagation Pinch?	<b>Yes</b>
Weeks To Pinch	<b>2</b>

## FERTILITY

Fertilize Through Mist?	<b>None</b>
Fertilizer Rate	<b>50-100ppm N</b>
EC Range	<b>Low: (0.8-2.0 mS via SME)</b>
pH Range	<b>5.6-6.1</b>

## TEMPERATURE

Average Soil Temp	<b>68-72°F (20-22°C)</b>
Average Air Temp (Day)	<b>75-80°F (24-27°C)</b>
Average Air Temp(Night)	<b>68-72°F (20-22°C)</b>

## IRRIGATION

Irrigation Frequency	<b>Level 2: Allow media to dry moderately between thorough waterings</b>
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## LIGHT

Daylength Neutral?	<b>Yes</b>
Supplemental	<b>None</b>
Benefits From Shade?	<b>No</b>

## POTENTIAL DISEASES

Pythium, Rhizoctonia, Powdery Mildew

## POTENTIAL PESTS

Fungus Gnats, Mites, Shore Flies

## PGR SUGGESTIONS

- None

## CULTIVAR LIST

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## TIPS

- Maintain high temperatures throughout development.

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CONTAINER SIZE	PLANTS PER POT	TRANSPLANT TO FINISH (WEEKS)
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**4 in. (10 cm)**                      **1**                      **4-6**

**6 in. (15 cm)**                      **2**                      **6-8**

**8 in. (19 cm)**                      **3**                      **8**

## FERTILITY

Fertilizer Rate                      **150-200 ppm N**

EC Range                              **Low: (0.8-2.0 mS via SME)**

pH Range                              **5.8-6.2**

## TEMPERATURE

Day Temperature                      **65-73°F (18-23°C)**

Night Temperature                      **68-75°F (20-24°C)**

## IRRIGATION

Irrigation Frequency                      **Level 3: Keep media moderately moist with mild dry cycles**

## LIGHT

Daylength Neutral?                      **Yes**

Optimum Light Level                      **4,000-9,000 fc (43,100-96,900 lux)**

Supplemental                              **None**

Benefits From Shade?                      **No**

## PINCHING

Finishing Pinch?                              **Yes**

Transplant to Pinch (days)                      **7-14**

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## FEATURES AND BENEFITS

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### KEY INFORMATION

Primary Common Name	<b>Everlasting Flower</b>
Consumer Watering Instructions	<b>Water thoroughly when top 1 inch (3cm) of soil is dry.</b>
Bloom Time	<b>Grown for foliage</b>
Exposure	<b>Full Sun</b>
Height	<b>10-12 inches (25-30 cm)</b>
Garden Spacing	<b>9 inches (23 cm)</b>

### DESCRIPTION

Striking silver foliage makes this great for standalone or component plantings



### CONSUMER APPEAL

- Pair with dark flower and/or deep foliaged plants for maximum affect.
- Very heat tolerant breeding.
- Can be a pleasant addition to cut floral arrangements.

### GARDEN ATTRIBUTES

- Performs well in most garden conditions located in full sun. Consider as a border plant, groundcover, or component in mixed containers.
- Tolerant of many soil types but prefers well-drained soil.
- Can be overwintered in zones 9-10.

### NATIVITY

Tian Shan mountains including far Western China, Kyrgyzstan, and Kazakhstan



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