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## Greenhouse Seeding Directive

The Vegetable Is . . .

Vegetable **Brassicas- 2nd Fall Broccoli**  
Stella Natura Flower



**Total Flats**

**66**

**Block Size**

Mini

1.5" **X**

2"

**Seeding Notes:** Cover all seeds lightly with vermiculite & sifted compost. Larger seeds need a thicker cover than smaller seeds. Most brassicas can be seeded mechanically, but determine the suitability of this based on seed size, seed amount available, and the accuracy of the seed drop into the flats. If many seeds are dropped into the cracks of the flats, it may be faster and more efficient to simply hand seed rather than check each flat. **\*\*\*Heavy Feeder -- Add 2 Buckets of Compost Plus and use only 8 buckets of FortV to each soil batch\*\*\***  
'08 Note: Added Gypsy to directive and less Arcadia.

**Add 1/2 cup Ultrafine Endo Mycorrhizal Inoculum and maybe 1 scoop of Biogenesis to each block making batch (10-5gallon buckets of compost & 2-5gallon buckets of water in each batch)**

Target GH Seeding Date	Target Germ Temp Range	Number of Rows to be Planted last year	Spacing (inches)	# of blocks needed	% of blocks seeded	% germ needed	# of blocks germinated	germination %	% germ last year	% germ year b4 last year	% germ/seed packet & seed year	Seed into (block/cell size):	# of flats seeded red is last year	seeds/block red is last year	Seed count required	[M] Mechanical or [H] and Seed	Target GH Seeding Date	# of flats left over last yr	Celestial Event at Target Date	Actual GH Seeding Date	Celestial Event at Actual Date	Germ. site: (place w/ optimum temp) may Δ w/ weather	# of flats left over crnt yr	Seeding Completed (Check off)	# Days to Germination	Est. Date of Germ. Est. Date of Transp.	Actual Date of Germ	# Days to Maturity	Est. Date of Maturity	Actual Date of Maturity	Actual Date of Maturity
Wed, 6/25/08	75-80°F	6	15.50	2,415	91%	??	??	??	??	??	??	1.5"-120/fl	22	1	2,640	M	Wed, 6/25/08	moon ascending - 05			GH Benches	3	6/28/08	7/16/08		84	9/17/08				
Varieties for each Greenhouse Seeding																															
Arcadia Broccol 63d	Field Location: 5M6+7	6	15.50	2,415	91%	??	??	??	??	??	??	1.5"-120/fl	22	1	2,640	M	Wed, 6/25/08	moon ascending - 05			GH Benches	3	6/28/08	7/16/08		84	9/17/08				
Marathon Brocc 68d	Field Location: 5M8-9	6	15.50	2,415	91%	??	??	??	??	??	??	1.5"-120/fl	22	1	2,640	M	Wed, 6/25/08	moon ascending - 05			GH Benches	3	6/28/08	7/16/08		89	9/22/08				
Gypsy Brocc 58d	Field Location: 5M4+5	6	15.50	2,415	91%	??	??	??	??	??	??	1.5"-120/fl	22	1	2,640	M	Wed, 6/25/08	moon ascending - 05			GH Benches	3	6/28/08	7/16/08		79	9/12/08				
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Perlite & Vermiculite have been inventoried. If less than 3 bags of either are left, notify the growing mgr even if you have already done so.

All labels (wooden stakes) have the variety name, the date seeded, the initials of the seeder. If flats go into germ. chamber, slide stake into front corner of flat with name facing out. If flats go onto tables, place stake in stake holder in back of the flat, facing the walkway.

I have read all of the above seeding notes and have ensured that all activities and people participating in the seeding comply with all explicit and implied instructions.

**Changes/Comments:**

All appropriate ammdments such as biogenesis or perlite have been added to each batch

Seeds have been returned to shelves in barn basement. Biogenesis has been returned to cool location.

First Names of Participants:

Time to Complete Seeding:

Date Completed:

Signature:

**2008** Wed, 6/25/08 Brassicas- 2nd Fall Broccoli