

Quick facts

- Their faded plumes can add visual interest even through the winter months
- Astilbes add elegance to garden borders and edges
- Their attractive fern-like foliage adds texture to shady garden spots



Upon Arrival

- Open all boxes and bags immediately upon receipt
- Let the bare roots thaw out slowly
- Check the condition of the plants in the boxes
- If you notice any damage, please contact your sales rep within 7 days



Pot size

- Recommended pot size: Ø 17-19 cm; 1 bare root per pot



Planting

- Optimal planting time is early spring
- Check the roots before planting and discard any soft roots
- Best temperature for starting cultivation is between 35-55F/ 2-12°C
- Plant bare roots in well-draining soil
- Firm the soil around the roots to prevent air pockets
- The eyes of the bare roots has to be planted just below soil level, no more than one inch deep
- Astilbes thrive in rich, moist, slightly acidic to neutral soil
- Choose a partially shaded to shady spot for best growth



Watering

- After the initial watering, wait until the plants emerge before watering again
- During growth maintain consistent moisture, especially in dry periods, to prevent leaf burn



Ongoing care

- Once established, Astilbe require minimal attention
- Begin fertilizing after the root system is well-developed
- Use a balanced fertilizer in spring with an EC level of water less than 1.5
- Potted Astilbe plants can be placed outdoors from spring through fall



Prevention and protection

- Rhizoctonia solani management: this soil-borne fungus can cause significant damage
- Improving air flow around plants can help prevent fungal growth
- Promptly remove and dispose of any infected plant debris to hinder the spread of the fungus

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