

Plant Type: Grass perennial
Colour: Pale green to purple
Height: 60cm
Spread: 60cm

Flowering Time: Flowers from May to Jul

Cutflower: Yes



Species Data (applies to all plants in this Plant Species)

No Species data defined for this species

Plant Data (applies to THIS plant only)

This golden millet makes elegant clumps of arching bright golden yellow leaves. 60cm
Germination takes 2-3 weeks at 20-25°C

Family: Poaceae, Gramineae
Origin: Northern temperate areas
Special Features: Golden-green foliage effect during spring and early summer
Distinction: Award of Garden Merit (A.G.M.) from The Royal Horticultural Society
Colour: Pale green to purple
Natural Flowering Period: May - July
Growth Habit: Clumping
Foliage: Golden-green, weeping, lance-shaped leaves
Height with Flowers: 60 cm (24")
Spacing between Plants: 60 cm (24")
Soil Requirements: Evenly moist soils, pH 5.5 - 6.5
Location: The golden-green color holds best in cooler temperate areas; partial shade to full shade
Use: Plant together in containers or the shady border with Aquilegia canadensis 'Corbett', Geranium pratense 'Dark Reiter' and Helleborus 'White Spotted Lady'
Specialities: Distinctive foliage

Cultural Tips:

Grams per 1000 Seeds: 0,667
Seeds per Gram: 1500
Sowing Rate: 4-5 seeds per cell
Plug tray recommended size(s): 72, 128
Germination: These seeds germinate rapidly depending on species and origin. If germination does not occur after 3-4 weeks a cooling period of 2-4 weeks is recommended.

Scheduling:

Best Sowing Dates: Anytime
Sowing to Germination: 2 - 3 weeks
Germination to Transplant: 3 - 4 weeks
Transplanting to Salable Plant: 4 - 6 weeks
Cutting-Back at Transplanting: Not necessary

Growing On:
Container Size(s): 1-2 plugs per 11/12 cm (4 1/2"); 2-3 plugs per 15 cm (6")
Vernalization: There is little advantage to vernalization even though a cold period won't do any harm on this or any perennial seed item.
Forcing: This species is not a suitable candidate for forcing.
Fertilization: Medium (150-200 ppm)