

Plant care tips **Gardengirls®** for Garden markets

This heather lasts for long time when observing a few care tips!

The varieties of the **Gardengirls®** bud-bloomers keep their fresh look and bright bud colours for long time, when a few minor plant care tips are kept.

- The premium quality of the Gardengirls® is maintained under high light conditions in full sun and adequate spacing between plants.
- Set your plants upon receiving in the open sales areas. A spot with sufficient air circulation without shade cloth or roofs is best.
- Should the space in your sales area not large enough, you may sell directly from the CC-Cart. Just increase spacing by reducing the number of plants/ tray and widen the distance of the boards.
- Irrigate the plants early in the morning so that the leaves can dry up. This avoids fungal infestations.
- When purchasing your plants, check for the right pot-/ plant-relationship. The pot shouldn't be too small for the plant size in it. Is the container too small, the growing media can't store sufficient moisture. The plant will dry out too fast. High frequencies of irrigation might lead to fungal infections. In addition, at consumer level the plant might not thrive because of low water uptake capacities.

Important plant care tips at the POS:

When using **Gardengirls®** as short term decoration in autumn and winter, any growing media can be used for the heather. Plants won't take up any nutrients in winter.

For long term plantings in heather gardens or cemeteries, the soil should be slightly acid with a pH of 4-4,5 by incorporating rhododendron media or peat moss.

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