

Sylvamix® Seed and Cutting

A free-flowing, ready-to-use, peat-free growing medium ideal for a wide range of propagating applications such as vegetative propagation and seed sowing

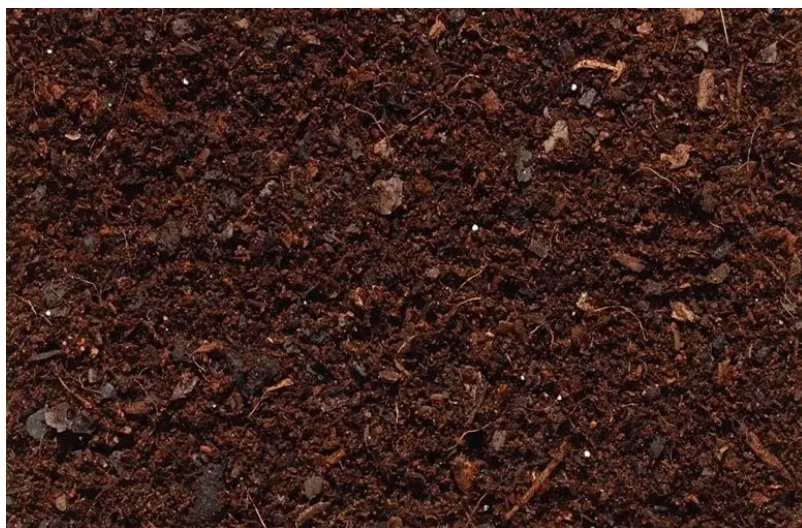


Product Description

- Contains Melcourt Growbark Pine and coir
- Includes a low level of balanced fertilizers, sufficient for the first 4 – 6 weeks
- Long-lasting structure which does not slump even after several months
- Provides excellent air / water ratio
- Can be supplied with added controlled release fertilizer as an optional extra – see Sylvamix Special
- Suitable for all but the finest of seeds and cuttings
- Enables cost-effective peat-free propagation

- Manufactured from sustainable ingredients
- Tried and tested under a wide range of conditions
- Detailed technical back-up available
- Compatible with most propagation systems
- Compatible with liquid feeding and controlled release fertilizers
- Excellent wetting capacity
- Free-flowing texture allows easy filling of cells, plugs and other containers

Available in 50 litre bags, maxi-bales, bulk bags and loose bulk



How To Use

- Sylvamix Seed and Cutting contains enough base fertilizer for the first few weeks only and best results will be obtained by liquid feeding or the addition of controlled release fertilizers. Such supplementary fertilizers should be applied at the manufacturers' recommended rates for peat-based media.
- No changes to normal nursery practice are required

Typical crop applications

- Vegetative propagation in cell and plug trays, open trays, direct sticking
- Seed sowing in cells, plugs, root trainers or open trays
- Suitable for most seeds and cuttings except the very fine (where a Sylvamix Special prescription mix may be more appropriate)

Other Advice



Pesticides: where Sylvamix is supplied containing pesticide, (which will only ever be at the customers' request), it is essential that the users of the product are made aware that pesticide has been incorporated, and that the full safety and handling instructions have been made available to users. There may also be restrictions on the storage period once pesticide is incorporated into the Sylvamix. Melcourt will advise the customer where this is the case, together with a link to the relevant Product Safety Data sheets.

Use By



STORAGE: Melcourt Sylvamix Growing Media should always be stored carefully in clean, dry, cool conditions away from any potential contaminants and direct sunlight. Avoid conditions which allow the product to become dry and dusty and if this occurs use suitable dust protection.

Sylvamix growing media can safely be stored for up to six months under suitable conditions, unless they have been supplied with controlled release fertilizers in which case they must be used within 21 days from purchase.

Specification



Main constituents	Coniferous bark, coir
Origin	UK and India
Nominal particle size	0 – 6mm
Bulk Density	420 g/l
pH	6.2
Moisture Content	60%
Wetting agent	Yes
Air-filled porosity	28%
Nutrients	Sufficient for the first 4 weeks on average

** All values given in the Specifications table are typical. However, some variation may occur from time to time. Melcourt Industries Ltd reserves the right to alter the specification without notice, for the purpose of product improvement.*



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