



LIGHT ☀️ ☀️ ☀️ ☀️ ☀️ **bright with some sun**

As bright as possible with some sun. While it's in flower, a bit cooler and out of harsh sun, then the flowers last longer.



WATER 💧 💧 💧 💧 💧 **moderate**

Sparingly until leaves appear, then regularly: water once the top of the soil is dry. From early autumn, reduce watering or stop it altogether.



HUMIDITY 💧 💧 💧 💧 💧 **low**

No special humidity needs are known.



TEMPERATURE

Around 21 °C to start growing, 15–18 °C in flower. Rest from early autumn at 7–13 °C, dry, for 8–10 weeks.



SOIL

Peat-free potting compost, a pot only slightly bigger than the bulb, one to two thirds of which shows above the soil. It flowers better a little pot-bound.



FEEDING

After flowering until early autumn about once a month with liquid fertiliser, never during rest.



REPOTTING 🪴 14 → 17 cm · deep

Every two to three years after flowering, between midwinter and early spring.



HEIGHT 📏 📏 📏 📏 📏 up to approx. 60 cm tall, 30 cm wide · upright

GROWTH 🌱 🌱 🌱 🌱 🌱 fast



TOXICITY

👤 Humans: highly toxic 🐱 Cats: toxic

🐶 Dogs: toxic

	TOO LITTLE	TOO MUCH
Water	 The next winter no flower stalk appears. → After flowering let the leaves keep growing – water and feed them until early autumn.	 The bulb rots. → Keep the soil only slightly moist, let the top dry out, don't leave water in the saucer.
Light	 Long, soft leaves that flop over, the flower stalk leans towards the window, no flowers the next year. → Move it to the brightest window, turn the pot regularly, put it outside in the sun in summer.	 The flowers fade quickly in a warm spot. → While it flowers, keep it cooler (15–18 °C) – then the flowers last longer.
Warmth		 Without a cool rest the time of flowering is hard to control. → From early autumn let it rest dry for eight to ten weeks at 7–13 °C.
	WHAT IT DOES FOR YOU Huge flowers in the dark season, six to eight weeks after potting – and with a little care, again every year.	 CAUTION All parts are toxic, the bulb most of all. Keep it out of reach of children, cats and dogs.