

# Technical advice

## *Sanvitalia*

### Description:

Sanvitalias are excellent flowering plants for many purposes. As individual potted plants, in balcony boxes or for cemetery planting, our Sanvitalias always look good.

### Potting:

Week 2 – 12  
Pot 10,5 – 12 cm

### Sales:

- Starts mid of april

### Substrate:

- Potting-Substrate
- pH 5,5 – 6,5

### Fertilizer:

Moderate nutrient need: with continuous fertigation at 0,05 % to 0,08 % or weekly fertigation 1 -2 times per week at 0,1 % bis 0,2 %.

### Temperature:

Moderate temperature need. Directly after potting daily average temperature 18°C, thereafter with DAT at 14°C. Hardening at 10°C. Overwintering under cold conditions possible.

### Light:

After roots have established give full day light.

### Flowers:

From mid april onwards.

### Growth regulators:

Possible Alar 1275 – 2500 ppm.

Sanvitalia react quite sensitive with PGRs.

### Pinching:

Soft pinch, 6 -7 days after potting.  
Further pinch may be needed depending on growth

### Diseases / pests:

Botrytis, aphids, thrips, leaf miner

### Spacing:

25- 38 plants / sqm