



Product Information

Amaryllis belladonna or the Amaryllis Bulb Kits found in stores each Christmas season, is a true bulb that is produced in the Netherlands, Israel and the Southern Region of Africa.

Each stalk produces two to six flowers. Flower colours can be red, white, orange, salmon and bicoloured. Plant heights range from 45-90cms depending on the cultivar and conditions under which they were produced.

Native Habitat – South America

Care Tips

Plant in sterilized potting soil and pot which are included with the gift kit. The pot should be sufficient in diameter to accommodate the bulb. Leave one third of the height of the bulb sticking out of the top of the soil and leave one inch difference between the top of the soil and rim of the pot to allow for watering.

After planting, thoroughly wet soil with lukewarm water. Excess water should drain out of the pot and then be discarded. Keep soil moist, by checking daily and watering as required. Avoid watering over the bulb nose.

Keep in a bright room with southern exposure if possible, however avoid placing where it will receive direct sunlight. Initially grow at 21-24°C until stalks begin to emerge from bulb. After 6-8 weeks when flowers begin to open, move to coolest area in the house to extend the flowering period.

As the flowers fade carefully cut them off. It is possible for the bulb to re-flower if provided appropriate 9-10 month growing period followed a 2-3 month cold period.