

Introduction

With Growin' Bags, you get an incredible harvest at the expense of very little space. Growin' Bags are perfect if you have little time on your hands. Growin' Bags hang at eye level which does not require you to get on your hands and knees. By using Growin' Bags, your berries are less prone to insects and diseases. Growin' Bags are reusable and sturdy. One purchase can last you a lifetime.

Supplies

- Potting soil
- Duct tape
- Strawberry plants (as many as desired)
- Water
- Water soluble fertilizer
- Ice pick (optional)
- Place to hang the bag

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Planting Strawberries in a Growin' Bag



Figure 1: Hanging Bag Growing Strawberries

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Planting Strawberries in

The Growin' Bag

Steps to fill the Growin' Bag

1. Lightly moisten a quality potting soil (such as Park's Grow Mix, Sta-Green, or Miracle-Gro).
2. Fill the growing bag to within 2-inches of the top.
3. Press down on potting soil firmly.
4. Prepare strips of duct tape or another form of strong, durable tape.
5. Lay the bag on a flat surface and fold over the top.
6. Use the strips of tape to secure the folded portion of the bag to keep the soil from spilling.
7. Trim the roots of the strawberry plants to 4 or 5 inches if needed.
8. Place the strawberry plants through the T-slits on the bag.
9. Water thoroughly.
10. Leave the bag on the ground for 1-2 weeks to allow the plants to take root.

Steps to hang the Growin' Bag

1. Unfold the top of the bag, and fill with potting soil.
2. Plant 1 or 2 of the extra plants in the top of the bag.
3. Hang the "Growin' Bag" in a sunny location.
4. Water as needed to keep the soil moist.
5. Ensure water does not build up in the bottom of the bag.
6. Punch 4-6 holes across the bottom of the bag with an ice pick if water builds up.
7. Use a water-soluble fertilizer during the summer according to the package directions (such as Algoflash for flowering plants or Miracle-Gro).
8. Remove all but 2 or 3 runners per plant to use to replace existing plants in 1 or 2 years.

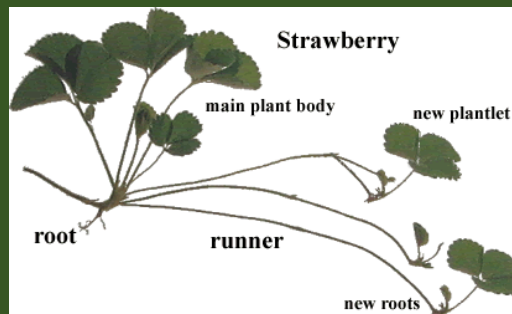


Figure 2: Diagram of a strawberry runner

Winterizing

Growin' Bags can provide produce for only one summer. However, certain zones allow the use of Growin Bags' over the winter (refer to USDA zone map).

For zones 8-9:

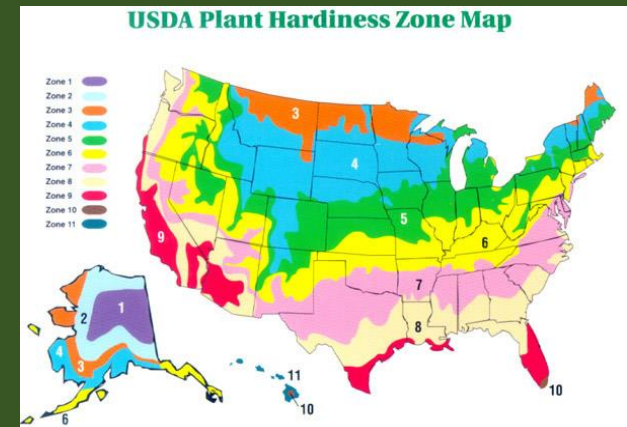
Keep the bag outdoors in a protected area where natural rainfall can be received.

For zones 5-7:

Move the bag to a garage with temperatures between 32 and 50 degrees F.

Water the bag lightly every 4 to 5 weeks to keep soil barely damp.

Move outdoors in early spring.



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