

# Hydroponic Indoor Garden Kit

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## Grow Kit Includes:

STAINLESS STEEL NET POT

COCO MIX GROW MEDIUM

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(2X) SEEDS

(2X) CARBON

(2X) PLANT FOOD

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**Before you start, consider the time of year and your location. Your planter will thrive in temps between 65°-75°F and with at least 6 hours of direct sunlight. Windows transmit cold air!**

**This kit contains components for two sequential plantings.**

## Start Growing

1. Wash hands and remove all contents from planter.
2. Pour 2 ½ cups of water into planter.
3. Pour coco into net pot and level surface.
4. Pour one carbon packet evenly over coco.
5. Insert net pot into planter.
6. Sprinkle on one packet of seeds and push them just below surface of coco pith. If growing mint, don't push seeds below surface — mint seeds need sun to germinate.
7. The coco will wick water up to the seeds, and within an hour the coco should turn from light to medium brown in color. When it does, check to make sure the seeds aren't visible. If they are, push them gently below coco. (Except for mint.)
8. Place in warm and sunny window. Until sprouts pop, check coco daily and make sure it's slightly damp. If not, spray with a little water.
9. Once sprouts develop, empty water from planter. Dissolve ⅛ tsp plant food in 2 ½ cups water. Remove net pot and pour solution directly into the planter. Never fill planter over 2 ½ cups water - it can cause the coco to become too moist.
10. For future feedings and once plants are established, pour water and plant food

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mixture directly through net pot once reservoir gets low. As the plant grows, the roots will grow into the reservoir. Once they do, do not let the planter go dry.

## Growing On

Seeds take 7-24 days to sprout, depending on seed type. Edible plants will be ready to start harvesting from in 4-8 weeks, and flowers will start to bloom in 6-10 weeks. When harvesting or deadheading, frequently top off reservoir with water and nutrient solution to support new growth. If needed, additional plant food packets are available on our website or you can use a water soluble fertilizer and follow its instructions.

Some seeds may fail to germinate (this is nature). If sprouts don't appear in 4-5 weeks, the seeds may have been planted too deep, grow medium is too dry or too wet, or temps are too low. In dry climates, consider creating a greenhouse effect by placing a plastic bag over the planter. Punch a few holes for ventilation. Remove bag once sprouts are 2" tall.

The coco retains moisture needed for seed germination. The carbon is included to prevent mold from developing — it conditions the coco and manages moisture. If the coco develops a little mold, either it is too wet, the climate is too humid, or the location is not well ventilated.

If sprouts appear weak and spindly, there is either not enough light or temps are not in the optimal range. Try a different location or consider supplementing with a grow light. During the outdoor growing season you can place the planter outside, just make sure the reservoir doesn't flood.

If temps outside drop below 55°F, remove planter from window to prevent cold damage.

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### To replant:

1. Remove net pot and wash planter with hot water.
2. Use scissors to remove root mass that has grown through the net pot.
3. Remove existing plant from net pot, reserving as much of the coco grow medium as possible. If reclaimed coco is greater than 1" below the top of the net pot, supplement with a little potting soil.
4. Follow the instructions to start again.

This product is assembled in the USA of domestic and imported components.

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