

Brunfelsia species

PRE-TREATMENT – This species does not require any pre-treatment.

SOWING – Best time to sow seeds is in Autumn and Spring.

Use a good quality seed raising media with added perlite or vermiculite for added drainage.

Put media into seed trays or individual pots and moisten.

Sprinkle seeds onto trays or pots and cover lightly with media – do not bury too deeply!

Water with a fine mist spray as to not dislodge seeds.

Keep in a bright spot protected from wind but do not put in direct sunlight.

Place in a greenhouse or put a plastic bag over the pots with the top of the bag slightly open, this will increase humidity that can speed up root formation and germination time.

Keep the seeds moist but not wet, don't allow to dry out.

Seeds should start sprouting in 2 – 4 weeks.

CULTIVATION – Prick out seedlings out and transplant when they are big enough to handle.

Be sure to put seedlings in a protected frost free area or in a greenhouse over Winter.

Transplant into bigger pots when required.

Plant outdoors after the danger of frosts has passed in Spring.

