

CAPE GRAPE

REGION OF ORIGIN

Southern Africa



LIGHT

Cape Grape thrives in bright, indirect light, making it perfect for well-lit indoor spaces. While it can tolerate partial shade, its growth may slow, and the foliage may become less dense. Avoid placing it in direct sunlight, as this can scorch its delicate leaves.



SOIL

We recommend our Rooted Goods All-Purpose Potting Mix, Uncle Mike's Organic Potting Mix, or Espoma's Organic Potting Mix. All three options are great choices for ensuring healthy growth and thriving plants.



WATER

Cape Grape prefers soil that is kept evenly moist but not soggy. Water when the top 1-2 inches of soil feel dry to the touch. Ensure the pot has proper drainage to prevent root rot, and always empty the saucer after watering.



FERTILIZER

We recommend fertilizers like Espoma Organic Indoor! Houseplant Food, Jack's Houseplant Special, or Organic Plant Magic. These options provide essential nutrients to keep your plants vibrant and thriving.



TEMPERATURE

Cape Grape thrives in temperatures between 60-75°F (16-24°C). It prefers a warm, stable environment and should be kept away from cold drafts, air conditioners, or heaters. Avoid exposing it to temperatures below 50°F (10°C), as this can stress the plant and damage its foliage.



ISSUES + FIXES

Cape Grape may be susceptible to pests such as spider mites, mealybugs, and scale. Regularly inspect your plant for signs of infestation and treat promptly with natural or chemical remedies.



PRUNING & PROPAGATION

Take a 4-6 inch stem cutting with 2-3 leaves and cut just below a node. Place the cutting in a jar of water with the node submerged, changing the water every few days to keep it fresh. Roots should develop within 2-4 weeks, and water-propagated cuttings can be transplanted into soil once the roots are a few inches long.



PET FRIENDLY ?

The Cape Grape is considered non-toxic to cats and dogs, making it a pet-friendly plant. It's a safe and stylish choice for homes with furry friends.