

Dahlia, Gladiolus, and Lilies

Unpack your products immediately upon arrival. Should any product be damaged, please take photographs and notify Harris Seeds immediately. *Claims must be received within 72 hours of receipt of product* and photographs of all damaged product is required.



Gladiolus corms

Dahlia Tubers

Dahlia tubers are shipped dormant. Do not be alarmed if they appear dry upon arrival. Dry roots and occasionally slightly yellowing plant tips are normal.

A common issue for storing tubers is related to fungal growth, which occurs with high moisture and humidity. Avoid fungal issues by unboxing immediately and providing adequate ventilation.

Receiving Care

- Remove tubers from their box immediately upon receipt.
- Store in a cool (50-60°), dry, well-ventilated area until they can be planted.
- Planting as soon as possible is ideal. Outdoor planting is recommended after the last spring frost. With proper lighting or greenhouse space Dahlias can be started with crate or pot production.

Gladiolus Corms

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Receiving Care

- Open box immediately upon receipt to provide air flow.
- Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area until they can be planted (not in a cooler).
- Planting as soon as possible is ideal. Outdoor planting is recommended after the last spring frost.

Lily Bulbs

Lily bulbs are pre-chilled and shipped fresh out of cold storage. Bulbs will thaw out during shipping and must be planted soon after arrival.

A common issue for storing bulbs is related to fungal growth, which occurs with high moisture and humidity. Avoid fungal issues with by providing adequate ventilation.

Receiving Care

- Open box immediately upon receipt to provide air flow.
- Store bulbs in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area until they can be planted.
- Planting within a few days is ideal. If sprouts start to appear, plant immediately. Outdoor planting can begin a couple of weeks before the last frost date in spring. Lilies that sprout can take a light frost if the leaves have not begun to unfurl.