

Cultural Information – Psidium

(SIGH-dee-um)

Hardy to Zone 10 and higher for outdoors.
Full sun, grows to 3' in container, minimum temperature 50°, blooming season depends on species.

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| <u>Light:</u> | Full sun, a southern exposure is best. |
| <u>Temperature:</u> | Maintain indoor temperatures above 60°; however, they will tolerate low levels periodically. |
| <u>Humidity:</u> | Preferably 50% or higher; however, they will tolerate low levels with no harm. |
| <u>Watering:</u> | Bring soil to a state of visual dryness between watering. When watering, thoroughly saturate soil until a little water runs out of the bottom of the pot. Growing in a clay pot will help maintain a healthy root system. |
| <u>Fertilizer:</u> | Go easy on the fertilizer. Apply monthly or bi-monthly using ½ tsp of fertilizer per gallon of water. Use a balanced fertilizer like a 15-15-15 or a blooming fertilizer like a 7-9-5. |
| <u>Pruning:</u> | Prune plants after fruit harvest or whenever growth is excessive. |
| <u>Insects and Disease:</u> | Resistant to most insects; occasional mealy bug problems. They are susceptible to root disease if kept too wet and cool. |
| <u>Comments</u> | Grow them in a clay pot as an indoor plant. This keeps the root system healthy. |

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