

Quick Start Guide



The Nursery

Day 1

Place the seedpods into the nursery. The seedling should stay in the nursery for at least 7 days.



The Harvest

Day 30

When the plants are fully grown, your plants are ready to eat. Harvest and enjoy!

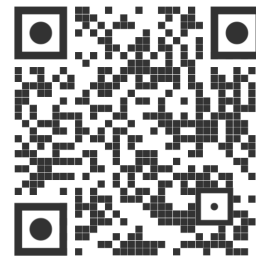


The Grow Chamber

Day 10

Move the seedling from the nursery to the main chamber when a cup is free.

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Maintenance Tips

- Algae can start to grow in the nursery, pots and on the seed pods and make them dark green. Do not worry, it does not harm the plant.
- To keep your nursery drawer, the chamber and pots clean and algae-free. Wipe once a week with a clean wet cloth.
- Finding leaves or petals on the bottom of the machine is normal. Remove debris and wipe regularly the inside of the unit to keep the machine clean.
- To ensure a stable microenvironment for the roots, make sure the seedpod is nicely pushed against the sides and bottom – this will leave room for the tiny and delicate roots to develop.
- Plant roots grow vigorously when plants are already older. When roots start to grow out from the bottom tip of the pot, open the pot and trim the roots with clean scissors so the water can flow freely from pot to pot.
- Make sure that all pots are in place tightly so that the water flow is not interrupted. Mind the overgrown leaves and roots that may also obstruct the water flow.

Botany Tips

- **When to plant new seedpods »**
Plant 5-15 new seed pods when some plants in the main chamber are reaching maturity.
- **When to move seedlings to main chamber »**
When a seedling reaches to about 3-5cm in height and the roots are coming out of the seedpod, move it in a free cup in the main chamber.
- **Be patient! »**
It may take a few days for plants to adjust to the new environment once they are in the grow chamber. We honour the natural rhythms and cycles that plants have and need from the environment. So, no magical overnight growth spurt. Young plants grow slower in the beginning. As the root system becomes stronger and the foliage denser, the plants will pick up the pace. For reference:

Plant	Germination*	Harvest*
Lettuce	approx. 1 week	1 month
Basil	approx. 1 week	2 months
Tomatoes	approx. 2 weeks	2-3 months

- **When and how to harvest »**
When your plants grow bigger, some leaves may start to lean on the growing lamps. This is a good indicator that you should have a partial harvest of your herbs.

Harvest your plants regularly by handfuls. This will make them produce more and look bushier.
- **What to do after a full plant harvest »**
Discard the roots, clean the pot and replace immediately.
- **Where to buy seed pods and nutrient bottles? »**
You can order new seed pods or nutrient bottles from our web shop at natufia.com/seedpods



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| 1. Main chamber | 5. LED system | 9. Ventilation |
| 2. Touchscreen display | 6. Nursery | 10. Glass door or panels |
| 3. Nutrients and pH tanks | 7. Cups (32) | 11. Connected to WiFi |
| 4. Water tank | 8. Sliding trays | 12. Music speakers |

*Please note that germination and harvest times are indicative based on lab testing and may vary by individual experience.