



## CAREX pendula

(maxima)

[Fresh Look]

Great Drooping Sedge

Item No.: ZA098

Portion Price (sufficient for 50-100 plants)	1g Price (0.1-9.9g)	10g Price (10-99.9g)	100g Price (100-999.9g)	1000g Price (1000-9999.9g)	10000g Price (10000-99999.9g)
2,00€	2,00€	12,00€	96,00€	-	-

## Plant Description

<b>Life Cycle</b>	Perennial
<b>Family</b>	Cyperaceae
<b>Origin</b>	Europe, Southwest Asia and North Africa
<b>Special Features</b>	Cascading, dark green leaves (1,3 cm wide) with arching blooms that initially resemble Willow (Salix) catkins and then open-up to fuzzy cylinders.
<b>Basic Colour</b>	(brown)
<b>Flower Colour</b>	brown
<b>Natural Flowering Period</b>	June
<b>Winter Hardiness Zones</b>	Z5 - Z8
<b>Foliage</b>	long, cascading, dark green
<b>Growth Habit</b>	hanging / evergreen / wintergreen
<b>Height with Flowers</b>	100 cm
<b>Spacing between Plants</b>	100 cm
<b>Soil Requirements</b>	moist / boggy / along streamsides
<b>Location</b>	
<b>Characteristics</b>	groundcover
<b>Usage</b>	suitable for cutting

## Cultivation

<b>Grams per 1000 seeds</b>	0.71429 Gram
<b>Seeds per Gram</b>	1400 (does not correspond to the number of plants!)
<b>Gram to get 1000 plants</b>	3 Gram (if sown directly into pots etc. you will need a larger quantity)
<b>Sowing Rates/Trays</b>	5 - 6 per cell



<b>Plug tray recommended size(s)</b>	72 / 128
<b>Sowing Direction</b>	(16) See 15 with the exception of germination being slower and more irregular. This poses no problems.  (15) Rapidly germinating, keep seed in constant moisture (not wet) with temperatures of about +20°C [68°F]. Seeds must be covered thinly. Do not cover very small seeds, but tightly press into the earth. Keep in cooler conditions after germination occurs.

## Scheduling

<b>Best Sowing Date</b>	late autumn - early spring (northern Hemisphere, Field condition)
<b>Sowing to Germination</b>	4 - 8 weeks
<b>Germination to Transplant</b>	4 - 6 weeks
<b>Transplanting to Potting</b>	6 - 8 weeks
<b>Cutting back at Transplanting</b>	Cut-back once to keep more compact.

## Growing On

<b>Container Size(s)</b>	1-2 plugs per 11/12 cm (4 1/2") / 2-3 plugs per 15 cm (6")
<b>Vernalization</b>	No vernalization required for flowering in the first year.
<b>Forcing</b>	This species is not a suitable candidate for forcing.
<b>Fertilizer</b>	Medium (150-200 ppm)