

TECHNICAL GROWING GUIDE FOR
Distylium Cast in Bronze®



KEY FEATURES

Exposure	Full sun
Mature Size	3-4' H x 3-4' W
USDA Zones	Hardy in USDA zones 7-9

- » Bronzy-maroon new growth matures to shiny, dark green
- » Moderate to fast growing upright
- » Rounded evergreen perfect for medium sized hedge or screen

Distylium Hybrid 'BLDY02' PP32785

HOW TO GROW FROM A LINER

MEDIA	Type	Regular ornamental soil mix
	Soil / Bark	60% new screened bark plus 40% old screened bark.
	Lime	Pulverized dolomitic, 3.5 lbs per cubic yard
	Talstar	3.5 lbs per cubic yard
	pH	5.5 - 6.5
	EC	1.5 - 2.0

FINISHING TIME	1 Gal	Plant liner in spring, finish that fall.
	2 Gal	Plant liner in spring, finish that fall and following spring.
	3 Gal	Plant liner in late summer or early fall. Will finish the following fall.

SHIFTING UP	1 ↗ 2 Gal	Shift 1 gallon in fall / winter. Finish following spring after flush.
	1 ↗ 3 Gal	Shift in late summer, fall or winter will finish the following fall.

FERTILIZER	Type	Top dress with slow release fertilizer
	App Rate	Low
	Brands	Harrell's 18-5-13 or Osmocote 15-9-11 or Nutricote 18-8-8

CARE	Light	Full sun
	Growth Rate	Medium
	Water	Medium/Low
	Trimming	Prune (lightly) in early spring before first flush and/or after spring flush hardens.

PROPAGATION

Timing	Anytime (Oct may be best)
Type	Semi-hardwood cuttings
Hormone	IBA 1875 or KIBA 3000
Root Rate	Medium

PESTS & DISEASE	Broad mite
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