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### **Effects of Planting Density, Container Size and Period of Sowing Seedlings on the Flowering and Quality of Snapdragons (*Antirrhinum majus* L.) Cut Flowers in Non-pinching Culture**

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This study investigated the effects of planting density, container size and period of sowing seedlings on the growth and flowering of non-pinched snapdragons. Snapdragons were sown in July, September or February, and seedlings were planted at 100 plants per square meter. When sown in July and September, plants were spaced sufficiently 100 cm to satisfy the highest quality of cut flowers from 100 plants per square meter. The number of cut flowers and the number of axillary buds decreased at the higher planting density.

there was no effect of planting density in a culture system sown in F investigated the effects of container size (deep or shallow type) and or 43 days) on the growth and flowering of non-pinched snapdragon 'Pink' and 'Light Pink Butterfly II'. Days to anthesis and the length c 'Maryland Pink' decreased in deep type containers. The growth of was not affected by the container size. There was no adverse effect 43 days on either cultivar.

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