

# CROCUS

**Botanical Name** *Crocus spp. and hybrids*

**Ethylene Sensitivity** No

**Interior Light** 50-100 foot candles

**Storage** 33-35°F Storage time is two to three days.

**Purchasing Hints** Plants should be marketed at the sprout stage (prior to flower color).

**Consumer Life** Three to seven days

**Special Concerns** Plants should be displayed at cool temperatures (below 65°F).

**Additional Information** Display in the coolest location to maximize longevity. Corms can be planted outside in temperate zones and may flower the following season(s).



*Crocus is Greek for saffron. Crocus sativus is the species from which yellow dyes are extracted for coloring medicinal and food-stuffs.*