

# ROSE, POTTED ROSE

**Botanical Name** *Rosa spp. and hybrids*

**Ethylene Sensitivity** Yes

**Interior Light** 70-100 foot candles or higher

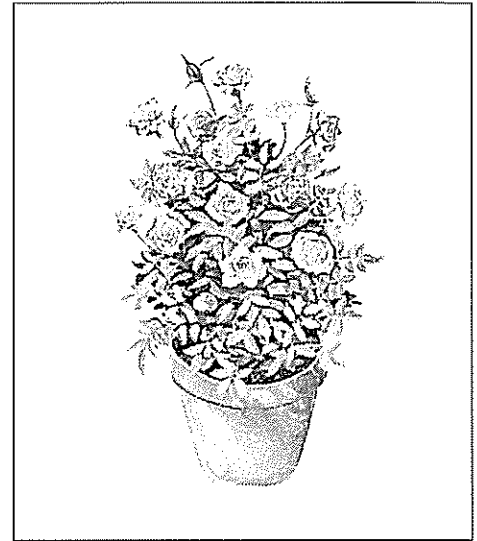
**Storage** 35-40°F. Storage time is three to six days.

**Purchasing Hints** Plants should have three to five open flowers and numerous buds showing color.

**Consumer Life** Two to three weeks depending on variety

**Special Concerns** Leaf and flower disorders caused by fungi are common and must be controlled at grower level. Plants are ethylene sensitive and the exposure to any ethylene source should be avoided as leaf, flower and bud drop will occur.

**Additional Information** Plants are sensitive to drying out. Growing medium should be moist at all times. Display at high light levels (70-100 foot candles or higher) to maintain flower quality. Low light reduces longevity.



*Native mainly to the temperate climates of the northern hemisphere, there are over 100 species of this mostly prickly, sometimes thornless shrub.*