

TULIP, POTTED TULIP

Botanical Name *Tulipa hybrids and cvs.*

Ethylene Sensitivity Yes, but only at high levels.

Interior Light 50-100 foot candles or higher

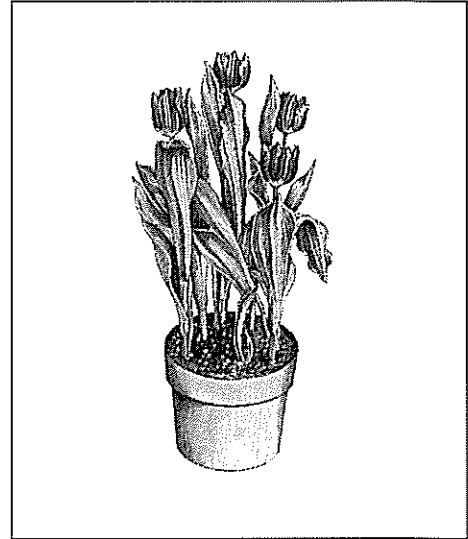
Storage 33-35°F Storage time is three to five days.

Purchasing Hints Market potted plants when the flower buds are green or just beginning to show a tinge of color.

Consumer Life Seven to 14 days

Special Concerns Display plants at cool temperatures (41°F) in well-lit conditions. Temperatures above 65°F cause reduced flower life.

Additional Information Flowers develop rapidly once color is present. Plants should be marketed prior to flower opening (green bud stage) to maximize consumer longevity.



*The most common species, *Tulipa gesnerana*, was named after C. Gesner, a botanist who lived from 1516-1565.*