



Redwood Barn Nursery

1607 Fifth Street Davis, California

Transplanting during summer.

1. **Water each new plant every other day**, the following amounts:

4" pot: 0.5 gallon

With a hose at full throttle, count slowly to 5

#1 can: 1 gallon

...count slowly to 10

#5 can: 1.5 gallons

...count slowly to 15

#15 can: 2 gallons

...count slowly to 20.

With a drip system: most drip emitters put out 1 – 2 gallons per hour, so you'll need to run the drip line for 1 – 2 hours every other day.

With a sprinkler system: depends on the type of sprinkler heads, but as a rough guide you can run your system for 10 minutes every other day in addition to your regular watering cycle.

2. The surrounding soil needs to be watered thoroughly every few days. Use a sprinkler or your existing system to **water thoroughly once a week**: 1.5 – 2 inches of water. (This, by the way, is how you should be watering established plants in your yard.)

3. **Keep this up for six weeks**. It's ok to give new plants an extra drink on a windy day. Then the plant should be established enough for your regular water schedule.

Make sure each plant has a basin so water doesn't run off.

A healthy plant, properly planted and watered, will begin new growth immediately and you will gain a whole summer's growth!