



BLACKWOOD'S
home of gardening

INDOOR PLANT CARE CARD

Aspidistra

(Cast Iron Plant)



A tough, dependable indoor plant admired for its broad, glossy leaves and low-maintenance nature

LIGHT

Thrives in low to bright, indirect light.
Can tolerate very low light; great for low light rooms..
Avoid direct sunlight; leaves can burn or bleach.

WATER

Water when the top of the soil feels dry.
Keep soil moderately moist but never soggy.
Darker spots need less frequent watering.
Less is more; it's more tolerant of dryness than wet feet.

SOIL

Use a well-draining potting mix rich in organic matter.
Standard indoor potting soil works well.

FEEDING

Feed with an all-purpose fertiliser in spring & summer.
Apply once a month at half strength.
No fertilising needed in autumn & winter.

COMMON PROBLEMS

Yellow or brown leaves
Often from overwatering.
Let soil dry more between waterings.
Brown tips: can be from low humidity, excess fertiliser or underwatering

EXTRA TIPS

Extremely resilient tolerating low light.
Regular leaf cleaning helps keep it looking lush. An excellent choice for beginners or low-maintenance spaces.

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