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1. Variety name : SCABIOSA stellata Drumstick

2. Description

This ancient annual Scabiosa is now widely used again as dried flower. The 2,5 cm large paleblue flowers change into bronze globe-shaped seedpods consisting of many starry seeds. Papermoon is the very suitable English name for this variety.

<u>3. General :</u>	
a. colors :	white flowers followed by bronze seedpods
b. height :	60 cm
c. life cycle :	annual
d. weight of 1000 seeds :	33,3 gr
e. time sowing/flowering :	15-18 weeks
f. family :	Dipsacaceae
g. hardiness zone :	
4. Sowing instructions :	
a. method :	directseeding
b. time :	April/May
c. temperature :	12-18°C
d. germination time :	7-14 days
e. seed quantity or plants per m ² :	2 gr
5. Growing on :	
a. distance between rows and/or plants :	25 cm between rows
b. soil	any well-drained humous soil
c. irrigation	overhead irrigation can be used until flowering
d. optimum temperature	15-22°C
e. diseases/pests	-
f. fertilization :	<u>.</u>
6. General advice :	
a. cutting period :	July-August

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