

Coir compost (Kokos Kompost) + grit

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Hello Group,

I would like to use coir compost + grit for potting Echinopsis hybrid. I also want to water my plant from below.

Can anyone advise if 2/3 coir + 1/3 grit would make a good compost.

Coir (Kokos) is very popular in USA for growing cactii. It is very easy to wet and rehydrate if dry.

Some commercial cactus nurseries use coir (100%) for potting different cactus to achieve quick growth and good roots.

I will wash coir with good quality water to remove salts before use.

Please can anyone advise if there will be problems for Echinopsis?
Are Echinopsis OK with high tannin content of coir? Will the pH be OK.

All help is much appreciated.

With regards

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