Plant & Fertilizer Placement Chart

Below are the recommended number of plants to place in each EarthBox® gardening system:

- **2 seedlings (2 per row)**
  - Artichokes, Eggplants, Tomatillos, Tomatoes, Zucchini/Summer Squash

- **4 seedlings (4 per row)**
  - Cucumbers, Melons, Winter Squash (vining)

- **6 seedlings (3 per row)**
  - Bell Peppers, Broccoli, Brussels Sprouts, Cauliflower, Celery, Chard, Collard Greens, Herbs, Hot Peppers, Strawberries

- **8 seedlings (4 per row)**
  - Flowers, Head Lettuce, Kohlrabi, Leeks, Okra, Radicchio, Salad Greens

- **10 seedlings (5 per row)**
  - Beets, Onions, Spinach, Turnips

- **16 seedlings (8 per row)**
  - Beans, Carrots, Corn, Garlic, Peas, Radishes

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**Your Package Includes:**
- 1 lb. Dolomite (1)
- 1 lb. Fertilizer (2)
- 2 B/W Reversible Mulch Covers

1. **Remove Old Plants and Mulch Cover**
   - NOTE: To replant, cut off the old plants at the cover line. Remove the old mulch cover and discard.

2. **Dig Out Old Fertilizer**
   - NOTE: Dig out the old fertilizer and any remaining large roots. Top off with fresh, pre-moistened growing media.

3. **Add New Dolomite (1) & Fertilizer (2)**
   - NOTE: Spread dolomite (1) evenly and mix into the growing media. Refer to the Plant & Fertilizer Placement Chart to determine where to create a trough and place fertilizer (2).

4. **Create Mound with Moist Growing Media**
   - IMPORTANT: Create at least a 4”-6” mound of growing media over the fertilizer strip, overfilling the system.

5. **Place Mulch Cover on the EarthBox® Gardening System**
   - NOTE: Place cover black side up. If peak growing season temperatures consistently remain over 85°F, place cover white side up.
   - OPTIONAL: You may use a red mulch cover, instead of the B/W, if growing tomatoes or strawberries.

6. **Cut Holes in the Mulch Cover**
   - IMPORTANT: Refer to Plant & Fertilizer Placement Chart to determine the number and location of plants. Cut the holes the same size as the root ball of your plant.

7. **Plant Seeds or Seedlings**
   - NOTE: Follow recommended planting instructions that come with your seeds or seedlings. At this time ONLY, water around the base of each seedling.

8. **Fill Reservoir and Water Regularly**
   - NOTE: Use the fill tube to keep the water reservoir full. You’ll know the reservoir is full when water flows from the overflow hole. Don’t try to regulate the water level. Add water every few days when the plants are young, and at least once every day when your plants are mature.