Coir Block

(XB601)

Coir is made from processed coconut fibers. This non-toxic, 100% organic material has a natural pH range of 5.4 to 6.8. Each compressed coir block expands to 8 litres (7 U.S. quarts) of potting medium. Because coir is lightweight, porous and water retentive, it makes an excellent potting medium for use in containers, window boxes and hanging baskets.

Place compressed block in a large waterproof container. Pour 4.5 litres (1.2 U.S. gallons) of warm water over the block and let soak for approximately 15 minutes, or until the coir block has expanded. Break block apart with your hands, if needed.

You can use the expanded coir as is, or mix with one part compost and one part coarse sand.

Since coir is considered a soilless mix, it will need a weekly feeding with a complete water-soluble fertilizer.