

## Oasis 10-20006

# Oasis Standard Floral Foam Bricks Instruction Manual

Model: 10-20006

## INTRODUCTION

Thank you for choosing Oasis Standard Floral Foam Bricks. This manual provides essential information and instructions for the proper use and care of your floral foam, ensuring optimal conditions for your fresh flower arrangements. These bricks are designed to hold water and provide a stable base, extending the life and beauty of your floral creations.

## SAFETY INFORMATION

**Warning:** This product is labeled to United States standards and may differ from similar products sold elsewhere in its ingredients, labeling, and allergen warnings. Keep out of reach of children and pets. Do not ingest. In case of contact with eyes, rinse thoroughly with water.

## SETUP AND PREPARATION

Proper preparation of the floral foam is crucial for maximizing the freshness of your flowers.

- Cut to Size:** Using a sharp knife or floral foam cutter, carefully cut the Oasis floral foam brick to fit snugly into your chosen container or vase. Ensure the foam fills the container adequately to provide a stable base for your arrangement.
- Hydrate the Foam:** Fill a basin or sink with clean water. For best results, consider adding floral food to the water as per its instructions. Gently place the cut floral foam piece onto the surface of the water. **Do not force or push the foam under the water.** Allow it to absorb water naturally until it is fully saturated and sinks on its own. This process ensures the foam is completely hydrated, which is vital for keeping flowers fresh.
- Place in Container:** Once fully saturated, carefully transfer the wet floral foam into your container. The foam should be moist but not dripping excessively.



Image: A pack of Oasis Standard Floral Foam Bricks, showing their typical green color and rectangular shape. These bricks are designed to be cut and hydrated for floral arrangements.

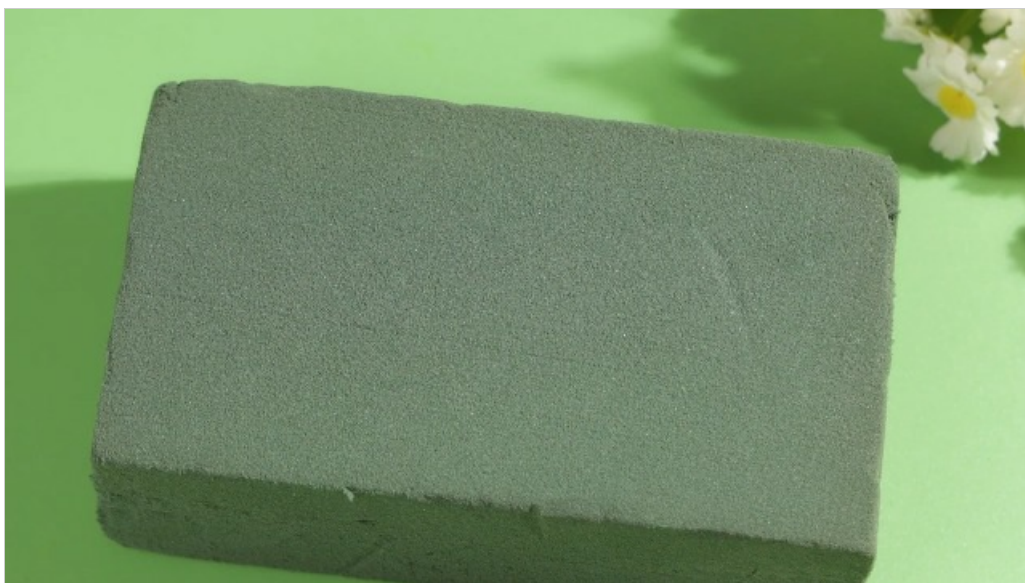


Image: A green floral foam block being cut with a knife to fit a container, and another piece floating in water, demonstrating the soaking process. This ensures the foam is fully saturated before use.

## OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS: ARRANGING FLOWERS

With the floral foam prepared, you can now begin arranging your fresh flowers.

- 1. Prepare Flowers:** Trim the stems of your fresh flowers to the desired length using sharp floral shears. Remove any foliage that would fall below the waterline in the container to prevent bacterial growth.
- 2. Insert Stems:** Gently insert the trimmed flower stems into the saturated floral foam. The foam provides a firm grip, holding the flowers securely in place. You can adjust the angle and depth of insertion to create your desired arrangement.
- 3. Create Your Design:** Continue adding flowers and foliage, building your arrangement layer by layer. The foam allows for precise placement and stability, enabling intricate designs.

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Video: This video demonstrates the process of cutting floral foam, soaking it in water, and then arranging both artificial and fresh flowers into the foam to create a stable and beautiful floral display. It highlights the foam's quick absorption and strong support capabilities.

## MAINTENANCE

To prolong the life of your floral arrangement:

- Regularly check the moisture level of the floral foam.
- Add water mixed with floral food directly to the container as needed to keep the foam saturated.
- Keep the arrangement away from direct sunlight, heat sources, and drafts to prevent premature wilting.

## TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Flowers wilting quickly	Insufficient water absorption by foam; foam not fully saturated; lack of floral food.	Ensure foam is fully saturated by allowing it to float and sink naturally. Add water with floral food regularly.
Foam not holding stems firmly	Stems are too thin for the hole created; foam is too dry.	Use thicker stems or group thinner stems. Re-hydrate foam if dry.
Unpleasant odor from arrangement	Bacterial growth due to decaying foliage in water or old water.	Remove any leaves below the waterline. Change water and add floral food.

## SPECIFICATIONS

- **Product Name:** Oasis Standard Floral Foam Bricks
- **Model Number:** 10-20006
- **Quantity:** 6 Count (Pack of 1)
- **Brick Size:** Approximately 3" x 4" x 9" (7.6 cm x 10.2 cm x 22.9 cm)
- **Type:** Maxlife Standard Oasis Foam (for fresh flowers)

## WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Specific warranty information for Oasis Standard Floral Foam Bricks is not provided in the product details. For any product-related inquiries or support, please refer to the manufacturer's official website or contact their customer service directly.

