

# BEST PRACTICES



## **DRYING** Before Bagging

We recommend a 10-14 day dry at 60°F & 60% RH. Before filling your bags, your flower should measure ~10-12% moisture (using a moisture meter), or 0.55-0.58aW (using a water activity meter).



## **CURING**

Place flower into bags, leaving ~25% of the bag "empty", creating the headspace that will power our technology. No need to "burp" your bags; simply fill and allow to cure.



## **SEALING**

For maximum protection and long term storage, seal your bag using a heat sealing machine. Grove Bags have a sealing temperature between 230°F and 285°F.



- Confirm the tabletop press is properly heated.
- Pull your Grove Bag taut to prevent any wrinkles from forming in the seal.
- Place the outermost seal line of your pouch between the press seal bars.
- Press down gently for approximately 2-3 seconds and release.



- Confirm the hair straightener is properly heated.
- Clamp the straightener to the top corner of your Grove Bag by the outermost seal lines.
- Hold pouch taut. With one quick and even motion slide the straightener across the entire length of the Grove Bag.
- Release and repeat if necessary.



- Confirm the iron is properly heated.
- Fold baking paper or aluminum foil over the outermost Grove Bag seal line.
- Gently apply iron to covered seal for approximately 4-5 seconds.
- Release and repeat if necessary.



## **STORING**

Store in a cool, dark room around 60°F and 60% RH, and enjoy a hands-free cure, better terpene preservation, and maximum weight retention.

