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Key things to remember

Oyster mushrooms are widely considered one of the easiest mushrooms to grow at home, needing just a bucket or bag, pasteurized straw, and grain spawn. The process has three phases — pasteurize substrate, colonize in the dark for roughly 2-4 weeks (guides vary), then fruit in humid, well-ventilated conditions. One substrate block can give you two to three (or more) harvests — just soak it in water between flushes to rehydrate.

- Beginners can skip substrate prep entirely with a ready-to-fruit grow kit.

Your checklist

- ☐ What You'll Need
- ☐ The Easiest Way to Start: The Bucket (or Bag) Method
- ☐ Substrate and Pasteurization
- ☐ Adding Spawn and Colonization
- ☐ Fruiting: Humidity, Fresh Air and Light
- ☐ Harvest Time — and Getting Two to Three Flushes
- ☐ Which Oyster Variety Should You Grow?

About this guide

This checklist was made from a published guide on shreyashree.in, which names its sources. Nothing in it is invented for the printable.

The full guide, with the detail behind each step, is on the site.

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