



PlantHaven Pack Trials 2007

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A. 'Kaleidoscope' Pat # 16,988

ABELIA 'Kaleidoscope'

A stable, variegated, durable, compact abelia noted for its foliage that changes color from a wonderful gold margin in spring, intensifying through summer and bursting into harvest colors of red, orange, yellow, and green for late fall and winter.

HARDINESS: USDA Zone 6 to Zone 9

BLOOM: Light pink buds open to small, white tubular flowers.

FOLIAGE: Leaves are variegated and do not scorch or bleach in full sun.

HABIT: Low, mounded, compact, extremely dense. 2' to 2 ½' tall by 3' to 3 ½' wide.

CULTURE: Full sun to partial shade. Requires little or no pruning. High fertility increases foliage retention in the winter.

Plantarium 2006 Bronze Medal Winner



A. 'Black Scallop' Pat # 15,815

AJUGA 'Black Scallop'

'**Black Scallop**' is an excellent container and accent plant or ground cover for the modern landscape. '**Black Scallop**' offers large, scallop-shaped leaves of such a deep purple that they gleam black even in the sun. They cover ground quickly, forming a weed-choking mat that replaces artificial mulches and adds dramatic color to the sunny to partly shaded garden. '**Black Scallop**' has been found to be resistant to heat, powdery mildew and deer.

HARDINESS: Hardy to USDA Zone 5.

BLOOM: Large dark violet blooms from spring to early summer.

FOLIAGE: Larger and more rounded leaves than other ajugas. Extremely black in full sun.

HABIT: Dense and compact, but spreading in habit.

CULTURE: Full sun or partial shade, regular water and moisture retentive soil. Great adaptability to varying soils and moisture levels.

**University of Illinois-Champaign
County Master Gardeners 2006 Bronze
Medal Winner**



B. 'Miner's Claim' Pat # 15,747

BRUGMANSIA 'Miner's Claim'

This sport of 'Frosty Pink' has large nodding trumpet flowers with the same cream color deepening to pink. However, the attractive broad, creamy white and light green marginal variegation on the foliage makes it much more eye-catching! The variegation also slows its growth rate making it more desirable for containers and landscaping in warmer climates. '**Miner's Claim**' prefers rich soils, but requires very little light. Full shade will further slow its growth, creating an even more manageable form of the common Angel's Trumpet. Considered easier to propagate than other varieties!

HARDINESS: 9A with protection; will suffer frost damage below 0° C

BLOOM: Large, downward facing trumpets. Cream color graduating to pink.

FOLIAGE: Oblong, variegated leaves, coarsely glabrous.

HABIT: Upright, ornamental shrub.

CULTURE: Full sun to full shade, moist, rich soil.



CERATOSTIGMA 'My Love'

'My Love' was bred for several outstanding characteristics: intense golden foliage, compact growth and beautiful clear blue flowers. It is proving to be a prolific bloomer. 'My Love' keeps her golden color throughout a European summer. This plant is an improvement on 'Forest Blue' in that it is more compact and robust. These features make it suitable as a single species container plant and good for a small garden.

HARDINESS: Tested to Zone 7B in the UK

BLOOM: Clear blue

FOLIAGE: Intense golden color

HABIT: Compact

CULTURE: Well-drained soils in full sun or partial shade. Drought tolerant.



C. 'My Love' PPAF

CUPHEA 'Flamenco Cha Cha'

'Flamenco Cha Cha' has been selected as part of a range specifically bred for compact habit, high flower volume, large upright facing flower presentation and a long flowering season. Perfect for use in hanging baskets, beds, borders and window boxes. Very heat-tolerant and versatile!

HARDINESS: USDA Zones 8 to 10

BLOOM: Large flowers made up of six bright purple petals with a dark purple center revealing a white and purple throat.

FOLIAGE: Green leaves.

HABIT: Compact habit. Approximately 16" high x 16" wide at maturity.

CULTURE: Ideal flowering pot or garden plant for full sun in a well-drained soil.



C. 'Flamenco Cha Cha' PPAF

CUPHEA 'Flamenco Samba'

An outstanding new floriferous compact Cuphea from Australia. This little gem has been selected for its large, well presented blooms and long season of interest. 'Flamenco Samba' is completely covered from early in the season with masses of large blood red blooms with bewitching dark purple-black centers. Perfect for containers on the deck or patio, or to enliven the garden landscape.

HARDINESS: USDA Zones 8 to 10

BLOOM: Large deep red-scarlet petals with contrasting dark purple centers.

FOLIAGE: Green leaves.

HABIT: Compact habit. Approximately 16" high x 16" wide at maturity.

CULTURE: Full sun or part shade, well-drained soil. Heat tolerant.



C. 'Flamenco Samba' PPAF

Best New Variety, Univ of Tennessee
Top Performer, Colorado State University
Best of Breed, North Carolina State



DAHLIA "Mystic" Series

The "Mystic" Series Dahlias are strong, hardy plants and prolific bloomers. Ideal to add a riot of color to either the tropical or perennial garden border, or as a star performer in pots & planters on the patio or deck. They die down in winter before erupting again with a profusion of color the following spring.

'Mystic Desire' is set apart from other new Dahlia varieties by its deep mahogany to black foliage topped with vivid scarlet, ribbed blooms which fade with age to a warm burnt orange. Magnificent deep scarlet flowers and contrasting foliage will stop you in your tracks.

'Mystic Dreamer' has the fashionable filigreed deep mahogany to black foliage topped with pale pink-white blooms with a strong magenta stripe on the individual petals. This selection is the ideal choice for easy care low maintenance modern containers on the deck or patio, or as a medium sized accent plant in the garden landscape. Best grown in full sun in rich moisture retentive soil. Dies down in winter before erupting again the following spring.

'Mystic Illusion' boasts deep mahogany to black lacquered foliage topped from mid summer with bright yellow ribbed, sunflower like blooms with prominent orange centers. A strong grower and prolific bloomer. Their vibrant colors and longevity as a cut flower make them a consumer favorite.

'Mystic Spirit' is the latest addition to the series. Deep mahogany to black foliage is topped with soft apricot, ribbed blooms with blush peach overtones & and elegant dark center. The intriguing contrast of dark foliage and intense flowers color makes a powerful statement in the garden. A low-maintenance beauty.



D. 'Mystic Desire' PPAF

D. 'Mystic Dreamer' PPAF



D. 'Mystic Illusion' PPAF



D. 'Mystic Spirit' PPAF

HARDINESS: Half hardy.

BLOOM:

'Mystic Desire': Vivid scarlet, ribbed blooms fading with age to a warm burnt orange, with prominent yellow centers.

'Mystic Dreamer': Pale pink – white blooms with a strong magenta stripe on the individual petals.

'Mystic Illusion': Bright yellow, ribbed sunflower like blooms with prominent orange centers.

'Mystic Spirit': Soft apricot, ribbed blooms with blush peach overtones & and elegant dark center.

FOLIAGE: Fashionable filigreed deep mahogany to black foliage

HABIT: Compact clumping habit. 2.5' x 2'.

CULTURE: Best grown in rich moist garden soils in full sun.

Whetman® DIANTHUS "Devon Cottage" Series

These garden beauties are characterized by their large flower size, compact habit, silver-blue foliage, and lengthy blooming periods. To top off their superior appearance, they all have a wonderful fragrance. The blooms are often two inches in diameter on top of sturdy stems. They perform well in containers, baskets, and in the landscape. The group is also long-lasting as a cut flower. The Cottage Series holds up well in both cooler and warmer locales. A standout in container gardens or perennial borders.

HARDINESS: USDA Zones 5 to 9 - still being tested.

BLOOM: Heavily in early spring, repeat blooming through the season if cut back.

FOLIAGE: Fine, narrow blue-green leaves.

HABIT: Compact, mounded, with blooms on long arching stems.

CULTURE: Full sun to part shade.



D. 'Ruby's Tuesday'
Pat # 13,872



D. 'Blushing Maiden'
Pat # 13,914



D. 'Fancy Knickers' Pat # 13,915



D. 'Rosy Cheeks' Pat # 14,045

Whetman® DIANTHUS "Dessert" Series

These look good enough to eat! These dianthus have compact mounding foliage, typically 10" to 14" in height and spread at peak bloom time. Foliage is fine and generally glaucous. Flowers held 6" above foliage. Day neutral and perpetual flowering, these have the best display in early spring. Vernalization is not necessary. Ideal for use as a front of the border perennial or in mixed containers. Growers may appreciate a season extender, as these Dianthus can be held at cool temperatures, almost as if in storage!

HARDINESS: USDA Zones 5 to 9.

BLOOM: Heavily in early spring, repeat blooming through the season if cut back.

FOLIAGE: Fine, narrow blue-green leaves.

HABIT: Compact, mounded, with blooms on long arching stems.



D. 'Raspberry Swirl'
Pat # 14,377



D. 'Cranberry Ice' PPAF



D. 'Strawberry Sorbet' PPAF



D. 'Spangled Star'

Pat # 13,029



D. 'Neon Star' Pat # 14,549



D. 'Fire Star' Pat # 14,895



D. 'Shooting Star' Pat # 16,431



D. 'Eastern Star' Pat # 14,437

All
Dianthus make a
good gallon finish.
Quart pots are
also recommended
for the Stars.

Whetman® DIANTHUS

"Star" Series

The Dianthus Star Series are proven Whetman introductions and are improved forms of alpine Dianthus giving them compact, mounding foliage and a vigor that is unsurpassed by other Dianthus offerings.

Fine, blue evergreen foliage keeps the Dianthus interesting year-round and the long flowering season means the plant provides bright colors in spring, summer and fall.

Dianthus are very versatile plants that are used in containers, mixed borders, entry way beds, cut flower gardens, scented gardens, butterfly gardens and cottage or heirloom gardens. They make great cut flowers.

Compact, tight habit. Very cold hardy – Zone 4, and heat tolerant.

HARDINESS: USDA Zones 4 to 9.

BLOOM: Heavily in early spring, repeat blooming through the season if cut back. Single flowers 1" – 1.5" diameter, held 3" above foliage.

FOLIAGE: Fine and generally glaucous, narrow blue-green leaves.

HABIT: Compact mounding foliage, typically 7" height and spread at peak bloom time.

- Invaluable for early spring sales.
- Varying degrees of perfume, somewhat reminiscent of cloves.
- Ideal for use as a front of the border perennial or in mixed containers.



D. 'Raspberry Surprise' Pat # 16,029

DIANTHUS 'Raspberry Surprise'

Whetman's most favored variety. The epitome of all the traits they breed for: scent, great color combination, and superb habit. Extremely floriferous in the spring, large blooms rest slightly above the foliage. Compact. A profusion of delicious double blooms atop blue-green foliage. The large double flowers are pink with raspberry-red centers and are wonderfully fragrant! The compact habit makes '**Raspberry Surprise**' perfect for containers.

EUPHORBIA 'Blackbird'

The foliage is a remarkable color wheel of purples, greens, and pinks that remains colorful thru the summer. Exceptionally dark purple foliage gets darker in full sun. In the spring, green yellow flowers contrast nicely with the dark foliage.

HARDINESS: USDA Zone 6.

BLOOM: Yellow/green in Spring.

HABIT: Compact and bushy. Mature height is about 20" tall.

CULTURE: Full sun and well-drained soil.



E. 'Blackbird' Pat # 17,178

EUPHORBIA 'Glacier Blue'

Selected for its eye-catching variegated leaves which feature gray-green centers and white margins. Its multiple branching makes it easier to propagate, supplying more cuttings that root faster. A grower-friendly Euphorbia! 'Glacier Blue' is ideal as a specimen or in rock gardens, perennial beds, and containers.

HARDINESS: Zone 7

BLOOM: Variegated white/cream emerging in spring.

FOLIAGE: Green centers with white/cream margins.

HABIT: 18" x 18"

CULTURE: Prune blooms back to the base following blooming. Full sun, well-drained soil.



E. 'Glacier Blue' PPAF

EUPHORBIA 'Tasmanian Tiger'

An ornamental plant selected for its eye-catching variegated leaves which feature gray-green centers and white margins. Vigorous growth habit. An ideal as a specimen or in rock gardens, perennial beds, and containers.

HARDINESS: USDA Zone 6.

BLOOM: Variegated white/cream with a green bow tie shaped splotch in the center emerge in spring.

HABIT: 18" x 18"

CULTURE: Prune blooms back to the base following blooming. Full sun, well-drained soil.



E. 'Tasmanian Tiger' Pat # 15,715

EUPHORBIA 'Tiny Tim'

Extremely long flowering, its tightly mounded habit maintains its form over time.

HARDINESS: USDA Zone 6.

BLOOM: Long-lived, bright red centers set off by chartreuse outside.

FOLIAGE: As martinii but much smaller. Small leaves are green and burgundy in color.

HABIT: Compact and dome shaped.

CULTURE: Prune blooms back to the base following blooming. Full sun, well-drained soil.



E. 'Tiny Tim' Pat # 16,930



G. 'Fanfare' Pat # 15,892

GAILLARDIA 'Fanfare'

'Fanfare' is a unique Gaillardia with excitingly different flowers. Tubular red-and-yellow flowers flare at their tips like trumpets, revealing a scarlet lining. The plant is more compact and spreading in habit compared to 'Goblin', and is more floriferous, with a longer flowering period. Expect the flowers to begin with the first seriously warm weather of late spring and continue NONSTOP through the summer and into fall! May through September flowering is expected in most parts of the country!

HARDINESS: USDA Zones 5-9.

BLOOM: Unique tubular flowers: red tubular part, the petaloid end yellow-orange.

FOLIAGE: Leaves are elongated, hairy grayish green.

HABIT: Compact and slightly spreading. Mature height is 1', width is 12-14".

CULTURE: Full sun.

**University of Georgia
Classic City Award 2004**



G. 'Oranges and Lemons' Pat # 17,092

GAILLARDIA 'Oranges and Lemons'

A long flowering period, from mid spring well into fall, makes this perennial effectively compete with any summer annual. Flowers into December in North Carolina! The flowers are 4-6 inches wide and are supported by strong stems. The "orange and yellow" color combination is softer than other Gaillardias, making it even easier to work into the landscaping or container gardens. Gaillardias are fantastically cold hardy and they're an easy finish for greenhouse growers.

HARDINESS: Hardy. USDA Zones 5-9.

BLOOM: Blooming occurs from early summer into fall.

FOLIAGE: medium-green foliage.

HABIT: Low-growing upright habit. 18-24" in height and 12-18" in width at maturity.

CULTURE: Grow in full sun with moderate water and good drainage.

**University of Georgia
Classic City Award 2006**

GAURA 'Passionate Blush'

'Passionate Blush' will out-perform its competition. Excellent in Southern landscapes. In colder regions, its fast growing habit make it a good choice for landscape and containers.

HARDINESS: USDA Zone 7.

BLOOM: Dark pink buds open to medium pink flowers. Long flowering.

FOLIAGE: Medium-green lanceolate leaves on red stems.

HABIT: Mounding and compact at 18" tall at maturity. Spreading to 20" wide.



G. 'Passionate Blush' Pat # 17,293

GAURA 'Passionate Rainbow'

A new addition to a series of Gauras bred from Siskyou Pink. This variegated form is very attractive even before it's in bloom. The green and white leaves have a clean white edge, but with rose-colored new growth. This improved sport stays evergreen and tidy. The flowers form at tips and on side branches—not on long whispery stems as with Siskyou Pink.

HARDINESS: USDA Zone 7.

BLOOM: Profuse flowering in the summer of pink blooms.

FOLIAGE: Green and white variegation, new growth emerging rose.

HABIT: Upright, compact, 10"-12" at maturity, foliage only.

CULTURE: Full sun in well drained soil.



G. 'Passionate Rainbow' Pat # 17,002

GAURA 'Pink Fountain'

A unique Gaura due to the heavy lateral branching and budding leading to attractive and dense flowering plants. Plants are more full and upright than other varieties on the market. Ideal for garden specimens, group plantings, or in containers.

HARDINESS: USDA Zone 5

BLOOM: Profuse inflorescence in the summer of pink blooms.

FOLIAGE: Green

HABIT: Upright with lateral branching; approximately 18-24" in height and 20-24" in width.

CULTURE: Full sun in well-drained soil.



G. 'Pink Fountain' Pat # 15,555

GAURA 'Snow Fountain'

Upright, sturdy and well-branched, with bright green foliage. The clumps are topped from May through September with spikes of white, butterfly-shaped flowers. Buds and fresh blossoms have a pink blush that ages to pure white.

HARDINESS: USDA Zone 5

BLOOM: Profuse inflorescence in the summer of pure white blooms.

FOLIAGE: Green

HABIT: Upright with lateral branching; approximately 2' wide x 3' tall (including flower spikes) at maturity.

CULTURE: Full sun in well-drained soil.



G. 'Snow Fountain' PPAF





G. 'Orkney Cherry' PPAF

GERANIUM 'Orkney Cherry'

A **hardy** geranium selected for its long floriferousness, it begins flowering in early May. Flowering increases throughout the season and by mid summer is crowded with small rosy blooms. Foliage is an attractive brown-green, rare in summer bedding. Good impulse sales, garden performance is being tested in 2006.

HARDINESS: USDA Zones 5-9 (being tested Spring 2007)

BLOOM: From June until December

FOLIAGE: Deep green with a silver sheen.

HABIT: Compact and bushy, with a height of 1.5' by 2' wide.

CULTURE: Full sun, partial shade, in well-draining semi-alkaline soil.



G. 'Westray' Pat # 13,716

GERANIUM 'Westray'

Quantities of rounded, deeply lobed, spicy-scented leaves define a low growing evergreen ground cover that imparts warm orange-red hues in autumn and tolerates some drought. Red buds give way to masses of near-sterile pink flowers with sprightly anthers, which are good sized, long lasting and profuse. They are held erect above the foliage, which achieves a moderately dense 12-inch diameter during the first growing season. The overall height of **'Westray'**, including the tidy flower canopy, is 12 inches. **'Westray'** is a **hardy** and versatile landscape plant, worthy of inclusion in the border, or in a rock garden or ground cover situation.

HARDINESS: USDA Zones 5-9

BLOOM: Strong, mid-pink flowers on stems of 8-10". Near-sterile.

FOLIAGE: Dense, semi-evergreen, with an orangey tint in the fall.

HABIT: 12" x 12"

CULTURE: Moist soil, full sun to partial shade.



H. 'Table Mountain' PPAF

HELIANTHUS 'Table Mountain'

A true dwarf perennial sunflower! This compact new selection has a fantastic tight habit completely covered with masses of bright golden yellow blooms from late summer. This selection has a distinctive flat top when in full bloom. Excellent for the late summer early autumn border, especially striking when planted on masses. Very cold hardy. **'Table Mountain'** is approximately 4" shorter than its closest competitor, Helianthus 'Low Down', and can thus be finished in smaller pots.

HARDINESS: Hardy (USDA Zone: 6 - 9)

BLOOM: Bright sunny golden yellow flowers.

FOLIAGE: Small glossy narrow mid-green leaves.

HABIT: Compact rounded habit.

CULTURE: Fertile well-drained soils in sun or part shade. Feed regularly to maintain performance. Trim back hard after flowering.

HELIOPSIS 'Tuscan Sun'

'**Tuscan Sun**' is the shortest Heliopsis in circulation! This extremely well-branched dwarf plant is a natural fit in modern gardens. Its size makes it perfect for container gardening and smaller gardens. A prolific bloomer, producing an abundance of long-lasting, bright golden flowers throughout the season on a sturdy, well-branched plant.

HARDINESS: Hardy to USDA Zone 5.

BLOOM: Medium green, smaller than regular Heliopsis varieties.

FOLIAGE: Single-petal blooms of yellow with gold centers.

HABIT: Mature height, 15" to 18"!!

CULTURE: Similar to other Heliopsis on the market.



H. 'Tuscan Sun' PPAF

HELLEBORUS 'Ivory Prince'

'**Ivory Prince**' is a perennial that exhibits vigorous growth, tidy upright habit, large ivory-white flowers, contrasting burgundy-pink buds, and medium-green leaves. Distinguishing unique characteristics are crop uniformity from a tissue culture start, vigorous growth rate, tidy plant habit and well presented flat ivory-white flowers that gradually turn pink, then age to green. Exhibits prolific flowering with six spikes of twelve flowers each, on a 1-gallon container plant at 2 years of age..

HARDINESS: Hardy to USDA Zone 4.

BLOOM: Large flat ivory-white flowers, with green markings, that later turn pink, and age to green in color.

FOLIAGE: Medium green leaves.

HABIT: Mature height around is 18" in height and 20" in width at 2 years of age..

CULTURE: Well-drained soil. In full sun, keep moist and fertilized.



H. 'Ivory Prince' Pat # 16,199

Greenhouse Grower Medal of Excellence 2006

HEUCHERA 'Crimson Curls'

Heuchera '**Crimson Curls**' has distinctively curly, crimson foliage. The crimson color is particularly intense in the spring and is retained well if grown in soils that are not too rich. It is compact, long-blooming, and quite handsome in containers or the partly shaded garden. The airy, white flowers on burgundy stems are very attractive with this foliage, especially when grown en masse. The unusually tight ruffles are very showy, offering a nice contrast in color as well as texture to neighboring plants.

HARDINESS: USDA Zone 3.

BLOOM: White blooms on burgundy stems in summer.

FOLIAGE: Burgundy ruffles with brighter crimson undersides.

HABIT: Mounded, compact clumps. 18" tall, 15" wide.

CULTURE: Moist, well-drained soils in partial shade are preferred. Full sun, if moist soil.



H. 'Crimson Curls' Pat # 13,729



L. 'Blueberry Ruffles' PPAF



L. 'Boysenberry Ruffles' PPAF



L. 'Mulberry Ruffles' PPAF



L. 'Sugarberry Ruffles' PPAF



L. 'Violet Lace' PPAF



L. 'Winter Lace' PPAF

LAVANDULA

"Ruffles and Lace" Series

Bred for the most commercial characteristics: early flowering, compact habits, bright flower colors, the Australian breeding program behind it has spent years perfecting the group. The delicious selection of colors available in the "**Ruffles**" Series ranges from more traditional lilac colors through unusual duo tones. The aesthetic appeal of the "Ruffles" Series does not end there as the chunky bracts atop the flower heads are distinctively rippled along their margins to give the ruffled appearance for which they have been named. Ruffles will continue to spot flower after the main late winter spring flush is over!

The "**Lace**" Series are **early flowering** with compact habits and aromatic grey foliage. Laces are larger in habit than Ruffles with larger flower head higher off the plant. Emerging from early winter, purple colored lavender flower heads provide a lively display for what can be a dreary time in garden landscapes.

Dry tolerant once established they make a particularly good choice for the water-wise gardener and require only minimal maintenance. With consistent pruning both types will continually re-bloom which makes them ideal for sales window targeted production.

HARDINESS: USDA Zone 8.

BLOOM: Profuse flowering in spring through summer .

Ruffle colors range from more traditional lilac colors through pinks with unusual duo tones. Chunky bracts are rippled along the margins. Lace colors are violet/purple with longer and more pronounced bracts than Ruffles.

FOLIAGE: Gray-green, heavily dentate.

HABIT: Dense, mounding and upright. 2 feet tall and wide at maturity. Ruffles are more compact and rounded in habit than Laces. Laces are approx. 6-8" taller than Ruffles.

CULTURE: Full sun in well drained soil. Drought-tolerant once established. Both types are humidity tolerant but Lace types are more tolerant than Ruffles. Both have shorter flower stems, large bract size and are less disease prone than other varieties. Laces flower about 4-6 weeks earlier than Ruffles.

- Tremendous flower count
- Superior growth uniformity
- Ideal for 4- and 6-inch production

LIBERTIA 'Goldfinger'

This delightful little plant really packs a punch! The elegant weeping foliage has a prominent golden yellow central stripe, providing unique color to low-maintenance pots and containers on the deck or patio.

HARDINESS: Hardy to USDA Zone 7.

BLOOM: Profusions of pure white star like flowers from mid spring.

HABIT: Compact clumping habit 1.5' x 1.5'.

CULTURE: Moist, fertile soils. Full sun to light shade.



L. 'Goldfinger' PPAF

LIBERTIA 'Taupo Blaze'

Selected for its fantastic fall/winter color, in autumn the spiky sword-like foliage changes from green through yellow/orange to strong orange with burnt red highlights. Pure white star like flowers are produced in spring followed by attractive orange/red berries in autumn.

HARDINESS: Hardy to USDA Zone 7.

BLOOM: Profusions of pure white star like flowers from mid spring.

FOLIAGE: Spiky sword like foliage. Green through yellow-orange in summer. Strong orange with burnt-red highlights in fall.

HABIT: Compact clumping habit 2' x 2'.

CULTURE: Moist, fertile soils. Full sun to light shade.



L. 'Taupo Blaze' PPAF

MUSA 'Little Prince'

The shortest banana available on the market! The green foliage is thick enough to resist tearing, which is a common problem for bananas. Leaves are heavily flecked with red when grown in full sun. A true indoor/outdoor plant! Grow in 4- or 6-inch containers.

HARDINESS: USDA Zone 7

BLOOM: No blooms and does not fruit.

FOLIAGE: Thick green foliage, with occasional black markings on surface. Leaf blade grows to a maximum 14-18 inches in length.

HABIT: Compact and upright, mature height is 2 - 2½ feet tall.

CULTURE: Ample moisture, in fertile soil. Full sun..



M. 'Little Prince' Pat # 15,255

PRUNELLA 'Summer Daze'

'Summer Daze' represents an amazing step forward in the development of this neglected genus. This new hybrid makes a compact, semi-evergreen plant with masses of showy heads of large flowers in vibrant, rich pink.

HARDINESS: Likely Zone 4, still being tested. Results in spring 2007.

BLOOM: Pink, small single petal blooms, flared petals.

FOLIAGE: Oak-leaved mid green, semi-evergreen foliage.

HABIT: Compact.

CULTURE: Full sun to partial shade, well-drained soil.



P. 'Summer Daze' PPAF



R. 'Roman Beauty' PPAF

ROSMARINUS 'Roman Beauty'

This exciting new variety from England is prized for its dwarf, compact habit. 'Roman Beauty' is unique as it is both mounding and trailing and doesn't go "bald" in the center. Cascading from a container or over a rock wall, this tidy mounding form is a great addition to any Mediterranean, rock, herb or container garden. The gray-green foliage provides a wonderful backdrop to dark violet flowers from spring to early summer.



HARDINESS: USDA Zone 6

BLOOM: Large dark violet flowers from spring to early summer.

FOLIAGE: Typical of Rosemary.

HABIT: Dense and compact; perennial ground cover.

CULTURE: Full sun, well-draining soil.



S. 'Angelina' PPAF

SEDUM 'Angelina'

'Angelina' is a low-growing ground cover sedum with needle-like, evergreen foliage that, in June and July, is a brilliant golden-yellow color topped off with yellow flowers on 6-8 inch stems. Fall foliage takes on an orange hue. The plant has a prostrate, creeping habit on the ground reaching 3-6 inches in height. If placed in a container the habit is trailing.



HARDINESS: USDA Zones 3 to 10.

BLOOM: Yellow flowers in June and July.

FOLIAGE: Evergreen foliage of bright gold-yellow. Fall color is orange.

HABIT: Prostrate and creeping on the ground, trailing in a container.

CULTURE: Well-drained soils in full sun.

2004 North Texas Winner's Circle Award

2005 Gardenwriter's Top Choice Award



S. 'Postmans Pride' Pat # 16,831

SEDUM 'Postmans Pride'

Characterized by compact, bushy habit, very dark brown to nearly black succulent leaves. 'Postmans Pride' has a more erect plant habit without any tendency to "fall apart" as the plant matures. Suitable for both container work and the landscape.



HARDINESS: USDA Zone 4

BLOOM: Flowers are grey-purple and yellow-green in color in late summer and early fall.

FOLIAGE: Very dark brown succulent leaves.

HABIT: A compact upright and bushy habit.

CULTURE: If grown from cuttings taken in the fall, an average of 8 – 9 months is required to produce a finished flowering plant in a 1 liter container out of doors. Plants may be started from cuttings taken in the spring in which case flowering takes place in approximately five months on plants which are less well-branched.

2006 Plantarium Press Award

SOLIDAGO 'Little Lemon'

'Little Lemon' is a very strong performer and has all the attributes of a good plant for the mass market. It is fast, compact, doesn't need pinching or growth regulators, and blooms well. Easy to finish as a one-gallon or quart container. This versatile cultivar can be used in a number of ways including container, border and mass plantings.

HARDINESS: USDA Zone 5.

BLOOM: Lemon-yellow combs of dense racemes.

FOLIAGE: Medium green strappy leaves.

HABIT: Extremely well-branched blooming in a 4" pot and also finishes beautifully in a gallon, compact, 8"-10" in bloom.

CULTURE: Similar to other Solidago on the market.



S. 'Little Lemon' Pat # 17,297

VIOLA 'Blue Moon'

'Blue Moon' makes a strong large clump with copious blooms that looks fantastic when all the flowers face forward; variegated foliage in spring is very attractive. Known for its exceptional garden performance, good flower production, and uniform growth. Expect elegant pale blue, yellow eyed blooms in profusion. Blue Moon's semi-trailing habit makes it an alluring choice for all your hanging baskets, tubs and window boxes.

HARDINESS: USDA Zones 5 to 8

BLOOM: Upper two petals are pale blue-lilac and slightly veined, the next two are pale yellow and the lowest petal a deeper yellow with strong dark rays. Scented.

FOLIAGE: Green

HABIT: Trailing, mounded, and compact. 6-10"H x 8-10"W.

CULTURE: Full to partial sun with adequate irrigation. Heat tolerant!



V. 'Blue Moon' PPAF

VIOLA 'Starry Night'

Semi-trailing and large-flowered 'Starry Night' is ideal for baskets, mixed combos, or border plantings. When grown under stress-free conditions, it will bloom from spring to autumn producing an abundance of sweetly fragrant primrose blooms with lavender edges. This cool-season perennial has great landscape appeal offering great performance year after year. No vernalization requirement.

HARDINESS: USDA Zones 4 to 8

BLOOM: Sweetly-scented primrose blooms with lavender edge.

FOLIAGE: Green.

HABIT: Trailing, mounded, and compact. 6-10"H x 8-10"W.

CULTURE: Full to partial sun with adequate irrigation.



V. 'Starry Night' PPAF

PLANT

SOURCE

ABELIA 'Kaleidoscope' 16, 23, 32, 34
AJUGA 'Black Scallop' 0, 7, 9, 12-15, 20, 21, 30, 32, 35, 36
BRUGMANSIA 'Miner's Claim' 34
CERATOSTIGMA 'My Love' 8, 21, 34
CUPHEA 'Cha Cha' 12
CUPHEA 'Samba' 12, 30
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DIANTHUS "Devon Cottage" Series 12, 21
DIANTHUS 'Raspberry Surprise' 7, 27, 32, 36
DIANTHUS "Star" Series 0, 5, 7, 15, 21, 22, 26, 27, 29-32, 35, 36
EUPHORBIA 'Blackbird' 3, 4, 19, 21, 27, 32, 34
EUPHORBIA 'Glacier Blue' 32
EUPHORBIA 'Tasmanian Tiger' 13, 26, 32
EUPHORBIA 'Tiny Tim' 3, 13, 36
GAILLARDIA 'Fanfare' 0, 3, 13, 15, 25, 26, 32, 35, 36
GAILLARDIA 'Oranges & Lemons' 13, 15, 32, 35
GAURA 'Passionate Blush' 0, 7, 11, 13, 19, 27, 32, 36
GAURA 'Passionate Rainbow' 0, 7, 11, 13, 19, 26, 27, 32, 34, 36
GAURA 'Pink Fountain' 0, 7, 11, 13, 21, 24, 26, 28, 36
GAURA 'Snow Fountain' 0, 7, 11, 13, 21, 24, 26, 28, 36
GERANIUM 'Orkney Cherry' 32, 35
GERANIUM 'Westray' 13, 15, 32
HELIANTHUS 'Table Mountain' 3
HELIOPSIS 'Tuscan Sun' 12, 14, 30, 33
HELLEBORUS 'Ivory Prince' 32, 35
HEUCHERA 'Crimson Curls' 0, 1, 6, 8, 10, 12, 13, 15, 26, 27, 32
LAVANDULA Ruffles & Laces 13, 26, 27, 36
LIBERTIA 'Goldfinger' 3, 27
LIBERTIA 'Taupo Blaze' 3, 27
MUSA 'Little Prince' 3
PRUNELLA 'Summer Daze' 15, 36
ROSEMARY 'Roman Beauty' 13, 32
SEDUM 'Angelina' 0, 3, 7, 8, 12-15, 17, 18, 21, 25, 26, 29, 30, 32, 35
SEDUM 'Postmans Pride' 3, 29, 35
SOLIDAGO 'Little Lemon' 3, 10, 13, 21
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