

CUPHEA 'Ballistic'

Origin: Cuphea breeding program in Australia.

Species: *igneae*

Protection Status: US Plant Patent # 20,641

Characteristics:

This form has been bred and selected for the following traits:

- Compact habit
- High flower volume
- Masses of small tubular flowers
- Long flowering season
- No noticeable seed set

Bloom: Pink to red tubes contrast with the dark purple petals and a white lip. Petals are RHS 187.

Foliage: Light green leaves

Habit: Compact habit – approx 8" high x 16" wide. Naturally branching

Propagation/Production: Tip and stem cuttings strikes extremely readily (approx 7 days) all year round from glass house mother stock. From a cutting to finished 64 cell plug, approximately 3 weeks.

