

PRUNELLA 'Summer Daze'

Origin: Developed by a UK Nurseryman's Breeding Program.

Species: *hybrid*

Protection Status: US Plant Patent #19609

Characteristics:

'**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. The oak-leaved shaped foliage is also attractive before it flowers in the spring. Prunella is an excellent plant for the border or for use in tubs and containers. A long season of color, it begins blooming in June and continues blooming until frost. A great choice for an impulse gallon perennial.

Hardiness: USDA Zone 4.

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

Foliage: Oak-leaved shaped mid green, semi-evergreen foliage.

Habit: Compact. In the UK, 'Summer Daze' would not be considered a prolific self-seeder – it remains a relatively contained clump in the garden.

Propagation: Vegetative cuttings. *License required to propagate.*

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

