Outdoor/Indoor Plants &

Many "tender" perennials, shrubs, and trees that can't survive our Minnesota winters can be used as colorful or tropical-looking annuals, or they can be brought indoors in fall. The plants in the Outdoor/Indoor section do well in containers either as houseplants 😤 or kept under lights in a cool room or basement.

Heights are given when possible, but often depend on the size of the container the plant is in and how many years it is over-wintered indoors. Most of these plants are either large now or can grow quite large. Smaller tender plants are listed in the main Annuals section, Miniatures & Succulents, or Unusual & Rare. See page 23 for an article on houseplants.

Angel's Trumpet, Tropical Brugmansia

Huge, dangling trumpets are usually sweetly scented. Blooming begins when the plant is close to full height, requiring regular feeding and some patience even though the plant grows fast. Plant in a tub to over-winter this woody tropical bush indoors. $\bigcirc \bigcirc \textcircled{S}$

\$40.00—2 gal. pot:

- A001 Marshmallow Sunset () White flowers have double or triple ruffled trumpets (one inside the other) with long curly extensions. Cooler temperatures in fall cause orange and gold highlights to emerge. Lemony scent. 48–72"h
- A002 **Peach (ED**—Orangey yellow flowers are 8" long and 6" wide where they flare out. 60–72"h

A003 Banana, Abyssinian 🚙

Ensete ventricosum Maurelii Dark green leaves flushed with burgundy-red, especially in the new growth and in full sun. Winters well in the house. Does not like to dry out. 72-84"h $\bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc$ \$15.00—6" pot

Begonia, Outdoor/Indoor Begonia

A variety of leaf shapes and colors. Happy in gardens as well as containers or hanging baskets. $\mathbb{R} \cong \mathbb{C}$

\$6.00—5.25" pot:

- A004 **Gryphon** # Deeply cut black foliage is lined and marbled with shiny silver. Copper flower spikes. 14–36"h ●●
- A005 **Looking Glass (Ⅲ)** 《 ——Silvery leaves up to 12" long with wide olive green veins. New leaves emerge reddish pink and the backs of the mature leaves are burgundy red. Pink flowers in clusters. Grows quickly. 12–24"h ①

Begonia, Rex Begonia

Grown for the foliage. $\mathbb{O} \oplus \mathbb{R} \cong \mathbb{S}$

\$11.00—6" pot:

A006 **Bewitched** (ED) @—An assortment of five colors in the

A010 Fern, Boston 🔊

Nephrolepis exaltata Bostoniensis This classic houseplant adds ferny texture to your outdoor garden then happily over-winters indoors. ○● \$6.00—4.5" pot

Fern, Brake Pteris

Happy outdoors for the summer in low light, they are easy to over-winter indoors with good humidity. $\bigcirc \bigcirc \cong$

\$5.00—4" pot:

- A011 **Moonlight** *P. cretica mayi* Graceful arching mound of fronds, each one with up to five leaflets. Leaflets are light green with a central cream stripe, lightly toothed, and forked at the ends. Also known as birds foot fern. 12–18"h
- A012 **Silver Brake** *P. argyraea* **W Wide silvery white stripe** along the middle of each leaf. Stems are upright. Some morning sun is OK. From southeast Asia. 12–36"h

Fern, Tropical Maidenhair Adiantum

Relatives of the native maidenhair fern. $\mathbf{O} \mathbf{O}$

- \$5.00—4" pot:
- A013 **Little Lady** *A. microphyllum* A microphyllum C miny ruffled leaves on a tiny fern. Wiry stems give it an airy look. Good for terrariums. 4–6"h
- A014 **Trailing** *A. caudatum*—Long thin fronds with small leaflets shaped like asymmetric ginkgo leaves drape over pot edges. Fronds emerge pinkish orange in the spring, changing to apple green. 12–18"h

A015 Ferns, Assorted 🛲

Tropical ferns were popular houseplants in Victorian times. Happy outdoors for the summer in low light, they are easy to over-winter indoors with good humidity. Your choice of ferns ideal for shady containers or to use as houseplants. See tags for heights and growing guidelines. ●● \vert \$ \$5.00-4" pot

A016 Flowering Maple 🙉

True annuals grow from seed, bloom, set new seed, and die all in a single year. Many plants in this section are nonhardy (or "tender") perennials that cannot survive the winter in Minnesota, so we treat them as annuals.

Alyssum, Sweet Lobularia maritima

Forms a thick carpet of small flowers, so wonderfully fragrant that it is well worth stooping to smell them. Perfect for edging or over-hanging a sunny wall. A good nectar plant for beneficial insects. Cut back to encourage follow-up bloom. Easy to grow. Good in containers. \bigcirc **W** \clubsuit

\$3.00—4 plants in a pack:

- A037 **Easter Basket Mix** @—Pink, purple, and white. 3–5"h by 10"w
- A038 Purple 🕮 3–5"h by 10"w

A039 **Snow Crystals** #—Lovely spreading clumps of fragrant white. 3–4"h by 12"w

\$5.00—4" pot:

A040 **Easy Breezy Purple** —Stays in bloom 2–3 weeks longer than most alyssum. 10–12"h

A041 **Easy Breezy White** -White with a honey fragrance. Blooms early. 10–12"h

A042 Amaranth, Ornamental

Amaranthus cruentus Hopi Red DyeThe Hopi added seeds and flower bracts to cornmeal to
make red cornbread. The seeds are highly nutritious
and the young leaves are tasty cut-and-come-again
greens that can be eaten like spinach. Height depends
on soil and exposure. Drought-resistant. Self-seeds.
 $48-60"h \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc & 3.50--seed packets$

A043 Angel's Trumpet 🛲

Datura metel Double Golden YellowFully double (or even triple!) ruffled gold 7" trumpets.Fragrant. Bushy plant. Give it plenty of space. 30–36"h○☆②\$6.00-3.5" pot

Angelonia Angelonia angustifolia

Great garden performer, thriving in heat and wet or dry conditions. Beautiful 1" flowers like tiny snapdragons late spring to late summer smell like grape soda. Narrow 3" leaves. Excellent in containers and good for cut flowers. Deer- and rabbit-resistant. From Mexico and the West Indies. Easy. ○●

\$5.00—4" pot:

- A044 **Archangel Dark Rose** Spikes of rose to hot pink speckled with darker pink. 12–14"h
- A045 **Serena Purple Improved** Slender 8" spikes of purple flowers with a small white mark. 12–20"h

A046 Artichoke, Globe 🕬

Cynara scolymus Imperial Star

Aster, Annual Callistephus

Fully double flowers bloom from August to frost. Long-lasting cut flower. Deer-resistant. $\bigcirc \bigcirc \Im$

\$3.00—4 plants in a pack:

A059 Bee's Friend Phacelia tanacetifolia

Unusual, nectar-rich lavender flowers with extra-long purple whiskers at their centers slowly uncurl in early summer. Great for pollinators and pest-eating insects. Native to the deserts of the Southwest and northern Mexico. 12–24"h 〇禽蜜文 \$3.50—seed packets

Plant widths are similar to their heights unless noted otherwise.

Bachelor's Buttons *Centaurea cyanus* Daisies with fringed petals make ideal cut flowers.

A050 **Blue Boy** @—Intense blue with a hint of lavender. Double. 30"h

\$5.00—6 plants in a pack: A051 Classic Magic Mix — A mix of single and double bicolored flowers from lavender to almost-black to pur-

ple frosted with white.

24–36"h **★**₩ A052 **Midnight** -Fluffy doubles are nearly black. 36"h **Bachelor's buttons**

Bacopa Sutera cordata

\$4.00—3.5" pot:

- A053 **MegaCopa Blue** Bred for larger flowers and heat tolerance. Intense lavender. 4–6"h by 12–18"w
- A054 **MegaCopa White** Bred for larger flowers and heat tolerance. White with yellow center. 4–6"h by 12–18"w

\$5.00—4" pot:

A055 **Pink Halo (ED)** -Pink flowers with darker pink centers. 4–9"h by 14–18"w

A056 Bacopa, Stardom 🙉 🔍

Jamesbrittenia Goldstar

Open-faced 1" yellow flowers with rusty orange centers. Blooms in a mound all summer. 6–8"h by 10–14"w () \$5.00—4" pot

A057 Balsam 🚙

Impatiens balsamina Camellia Mix

Shades of white, pink, red, salmon, and violet. Old-fashioned double flowers. Likes plentiful moisture but also requires excellent drainage. Yummy edible greens are used in dishes such as curry. Excellent source of calcium and vitamins A and C. Will self-seed from its exploding seed pods. $18"h \bigcirc$

\$3.00—4 plants in a pack

A058 **Bat Face** A Markov A058 **Bat Face** A Markov A Marko

Green and purple 1" flowers with bright red ears bloom spring to midsummer. Flowers resemble the face of a bat (if you use your imagination). Mexican native. Heat tolerant. 10–14"h by 20–24"w \bigcirc \circledast \$5.00—4" pot

Bewitched series with silvers, reds, and purples. 12–16"h A007 **Escargot** — Deeply spiraled leaves in bands of silver and green curl in on themselves like the shell of a snail. 6–12"h

See more BEGONIAS, pages 21, 22

A008 **Calla (EV)** Zantedeschia aethiopica Qatar

Orange-yellow 4" sculptural flowers darken in higher temperatures. Leaves are splashed with lighter dashes. Pleasing fragrance. Large arrowheadshaped leaves. Keep moist. 18-22"h by 12-15"w $\bigcirc \bigcirc$ \$15.00—5.25" pot

A009 **Fern, Australian Tree** Cyathea australis

Classic fern-shaped leaves grow at the top of a furry, woody "trunk." Requires consistently moist soil, so water when the first inch of the soil is dry. A heavy feeder, so don't forget to fertilize. Give it the brightest indirect light you can. 72"h $\bigcirc \textcircled{}^{\otimes}$ **\$8.00**—**5.25**" pot

Abutilon Biltmore Ballgown

Elegant, dangling gold flowers have overlapping petals with intricate red veining and fuzzy red centers. On our catalog cover this year. Colorful bells bloom all summer and fall. Mapleshaped leaves. Best in morning sun and afternoon shade. Fast-growing. Deer-resistant. Also known as red tiger, tiger eye, and magic lantern. 24-72"h $\bigcirc \bigcirc \checkmark \cong$ \$5.00-4" pot

A017 **Gardenia** (NEW) *Gardenia jasminoides* Steady As She Goes Waxy, heavily scented white flowers with glossy leaves. Noted for its heat and cold tolerance. Blooms from late spring to frost. Great accent plant for containers. Needs warm days, cool nights, and moist, humid conditions. Grow in a pot in bright light outdoors for the summer, over-winter indoors. 36–60"h by 48–84"w ○ ① \$11.00—4" deep pot

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A047 **Color Carpet Mix** A ——Mix of purple, pink, red, and white 3–4" flowers. 8"h

A048 **Tower Chamois** *C. chinensis* ——Light peach 2–3" flowers with incurved petals like a double peony. 28–32"h

A049 Baby Blue Eyes 🕬

Nemophila menziesii Penny Black

Penny-sized, saucer-shaped dark purple flowers have scalloped white edges. From spring to August, these bouncy, dainty flowers cover the compact, feathery foliage. Appreciates afternoon shade or dappled shade: its botanical name means it loves the woodland. Grows quickly. Self-seeds. West coast native. 4–8"h € ☉

\$3.00—4 plants in a pack



Begonia Begonia

These begonias are all good for part to full shade, with a variety of leaf shapes and colors. Happy in gardens as well as containers or hanging baskets. $\bigcirc \bigcirc \textcircled{S}$

\$5.00—4" pot:

- A060 **Canary Wings** 綱—Long yellow-green leaves and reddish pink flowers. Looks great in a basket. 12–18"h 答
- A06| **Dragon Wing Red** () → Single red blossoms. 15"h 😤
- A062 **Pink** *B. fuchsioides* Deep magenta buds open to attractive trailing pink flowers. Leaves and stems have a succulent appearance, gently arching over the sides of a container or basket. 10–14"h

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Boston fern

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Annuals



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Plants marked with



are especially good for bees

Begonia, Bolivian Begonia boliviensis

Attractive serrated leaves are shaped like wings and will cascade over walls or baskets. Blooms late spring until frost. Can be over-wintered inside if kept dark and dry. Semi-trailing and compact, it can take more sun than the usual begonia. 12-15 "h $\bigcirc \bigcirc \textcircled{S}$

\$5.00—4" pot:

- A063 **Santa Cruz** Eye-catching profusion of redorange flowers.
- A064 **Sparks Will Fly** *B. boliviensis @*—Warm tangerine-orange single flowers that mature to yellow in autumn. Dark green-bronze foliage with lighter veins.

Begonia, Tuberous Begonia

Shade lovers with large flowers. Usually grown as an annual, but the tubers can be stored dry and restarted indoors in late winter. $\bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc \spadesuit \bigotimes$

\$5.00—4" pot:

- A065 **First Kiss (ED** #—Bright pink semi-double flowers with bronze leaves. Semi-upright. 10–16"h
- A066 **Portofino Champagne** —Fluffy 2–3" cream and pink blossoms above mounding dark foliage. 12–18"h
- A067 **Portofino Hot Orange (ED)** # Bunches of 2–3" electric orange double flowers stand semi-upright over dark foliage veined in green.
- 10–16"h A068 **Portofino Sunrise @**—Double flowers in glowing orange and yellow over dark foliage. Semiupright and heat-tolerant. 12–18"h
- A069 **Rise Up Harlequin (19)** #9— Double flowers have orange outer petals punctuated with dark yellow fluffy centers. Perfect for baskets. 8–10"h

Begonia, Wax

Begonia semperflorens

One of the most versatile plants, good for mass planting, edging, hanging baskets, window boxes, containers, or as a houseplant. Vigorous, blooming spring through frost. 6-12"h $\bigcirc \oplus \textcircled{S}$

\$3.00—4 plants in a pack:

A070 Super Olympia Pink @—Pink flowers. A071 Super Olympia Red () @—Red flowers. A072 Super Olympia White @—White flowers.

Begonia, Whopper Begonia x benariensis

\$5.00—4" pot:

- A073 **Red Bronze** Red flowers with bronze foliage.
- A074 Red Green 🕮—Red flowers.
- A075 **Rose Bronze** AGM—Bright pink flowers with bronze foliage.
- A076 Rose Green @—Bright pink flowers.

A077 Bells of Ireland Moluccella laevis 🛲

Graceful flower spikes are covered with pale green, outward-facing cups containing tiny white flowers. Superb in fresh or dried arrangements. Self-seeds. 20-24"h $\bigcirc \bigcirc$ \$3.00—4 plants in a pack

Bidens Bidens

A good mingler covered with small carefree daisies summer through fall. Deer-resistant and drought-tolerant. \bigcirc

\$5.00—3.5" pot:

A078 **Bidy Boom Bonfire** #—Reddish orange flowers with a yellow ring around a fluffy

yellow center. Strong and compact. 12–18"h

A079 **Spicy Electric White ID** → Petals blend from yellow near the center to white at the tips. 12–14"h **&**

A080 Billy Buttons 🛲

Craspedia globosa Golf Beauty Minnesota State Fair regulars will appreciate the novelty of this flowerball-on-a-stick. The 1–2" yellow ball is actually an array of tiny flowers, as if the center of a daisy was formed into a sphere. Slender stalks hold these balls

Tuberous begonia high above silvery, grassy leaves. The dried flowers keep their color up to a year. Native to

Australia, New Zealand, and Tasmania. Also called drumstick plant. 12–24"h \odot \$5.00—4" pot

Black-Eyed Susan Rudbeckia hirta

Intriguing varieties that are not reliably hardy here in Minnesota, so we treat them as annuals, although they may give a repeat performance next year. Great for cut flowers. Also called gloriosa daisy. $\bigcirc \bigcirc \odot$

\$5.00—6 plants in a pack:

A081 **Cherokee Sunset** *R. hirta* -Double or semidouble 3–4" flowers in yellow, orange, bronze, and mahogany. 24–30"h 🕷

Black-Eyed Susan continued

\$5.00—6 plants in a pack (continued):

A082 **Chim Chiminee** *R. hirta* —Semi-double 4–6" flowers in a range of colors from yellow to gold to orange to mahogany, July–September. Narrow rolled petals surround a central brown cone. May self-seed. 18–24"h

See more BLACK-EYED SUSANS, pages 32 and 52

A083 **Blue Lace Flower** ADD Didiscus caeruleus Lacy Blue

Small, round-petaled lavender-blue flowers cluster together in 3" domes like Queen Anne's lace blossoms. Slight sweet fragrance. Blooms summer to frost. Silvery, feathery leaves. Lasts seven to 10 days in a vase. Well-drained soil. Introduced from Australia in 1828. Also known as *Trachymene caerulea*. 24–28"h by 10"w \bigcirc \$5.00—6 plants in a pack

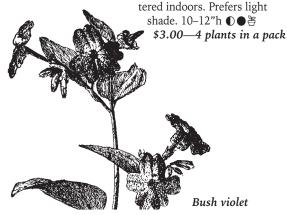
A084 Blue Wax Flower 🕮

Cerinthe major purpurascens Pride of Gibraltar Oval bluish green leaves look almost succulent and are slightly marbled when new. As they spiral up arching stems, the leaves turn themselves into blue and purple petal-like bracts that closely wrap around dangling, nectar-rich purple bell flowers. Cooler autumn nights encourage a deeper blue. Easy, although it is not fond of being transplanted. Long-lasting as cut flowers and deer-resistant. The name *Cerinthe* comes from the Greek "keros" meaning "wax" and "anthos" meaning "flower." It was thought that bees collected wax for their honeycombs from the plant. May self-seed. Also known as blue shrimp plant and honeywort. 12–36"h ○ ▲ ★ \$3.00-3.5" pot

A085 Bush Violet 🖓

Browallia speciosa Blue Bells

Bluish purple 1–2" flowers with white centers and dark veining. Easy to grow in containers or hanging baskets. Blooms midsummer to fall. May rebloom if over-win-



Outdoor/Indoor Plants (continued)

A018 **Hawaiian Ti** Cordyline Electra 🕮 **(TEV)**

Magenta leaves with blackish green and

sometimes cream in wide and narrow stripes, different on each leaf. Broad colorful leaves on an upright accent plant. 24-36 "h \bigcirc " \$11.00-6" pot

A019 Ivy, Assorted 🚙

Choose your favorite from a variety of leaf shapes and color patterns. [№] \$5.00—4" pot

A023 **Snake Plant** Sansevieria trifaciatus Moonshine

Silvery 3–4"-wide leaves with faint bands of green across the leaves and narrow dark green edges. Vertical leaves create a dramatic accent in containers. Excellent as houseplants, tolerating low light levels and only needing water once or twice a month outside in the summer and even less frequently indoors. Excellent for purifying indoor air. Also called cast iron plant and mother-in-

Spikes Cordyline

Use as a vertical accent. Long, narrow leaves on upright plants. Can be over-wintered indoors. $\bigcirc \oplus \textcircled{B}$

\$4.00—3.5" pot:

A027 **Green leaves, smaller pot** ∰— A tough-as-nails container plant with an upright vase shape. 12–30"h 😤

\$8.00—5.25" pot:

A028 Green leaves, larger pot # — Larger

Spurflower continued

\$6.00—4.5" pot:

A033 **Guacamole** American Handsome, scalloped gold leaves with an irregular green blaze along the center. Burgundy stems. 18–24"h

See also CUBAN OREGANO, page 9

Swiss Cheese Plant Monstera

Leaves develop multiple attractive holes as

nass plant- Austral s. contain- drumst

sph Tuberous begonia high above

A020 **Jacob's Coat** 🕮 Acalypha wilkesiana Copperleaf

Speckles and splashes in shades of chartreuse and green with peach veins and random peach patches on shiny, toothed foliage. Every leaf is different. It's fun to find flowers and grasses that complement the manycolored leaves. Fast-growing (about 36" the first summer) and thrives in heat. Also called match-me-if-you-can. 24–48" h $\bigcirc \bigcirc$

\$5.00—4" pot

A021 Sea Cabbage

Senecio candidans Angel Wings

Prized for its velvety silver foliage. Broad, heart-shaped 5" leaves have toothed edges and grow in an elegantly floppy rosette. Grows quickly and can over-winter indoors. Deer- and rabbit-resistant. 10-16"h \bigcirc \$11.00—6" pot

A022 Sensitive Plant Mimosa pudica 🔊

A favorite of children, this creeping plant has compound leaves that fold inward and droop when touched, then reopen within minutes. Native to South and Central America. 12-30"h \bigcirc \$3.00-3.5" pot law's tongue. 24"h \# ⓒ \$5.00—3.5" pot

Spiderwort, Tropical *Tradescantia* Popular, easy houseplants that can spend the summer adding interest to a shady garden. Some people are sensitive to the sap. $\bigcirc \bigcirc \cong$ \$5.00—4" pot:

A024 Oyster Plant, Variegated

T. spathacea—Clump of shiny green spears with purple backs. Three-petaled white flowers in boat-shaped bracts are why another common name is Mosesin-a-basket. Also calle *Rhoeo* 'Tricolor'. 12–24"h

- A025 **Purple Heart** *T. pallida* Trailing stems of long, pointed purple leaves and small, three-petaled pink flowers in summer. Best color in sun. Likes having its roots dryish and potbound. Easy to propagate from cuttings. 8–10"h by 12–18"w *****
- A026 **Purple Heart, Variegated** *T. pallida variegata* [#][#]—Purple leaves with hot pink stripes. Trailing. 8–10"h by 12–18"w [®]

plant, over-wintered from last year. 30–48"h 兽

\$5.00—4" pot:

A029 Paso Doble , Pink and burgundy spikes are a nice change from green and can inspire new color combinations in your container or garden. 12–24"h
A030 Superstar () , → Dark purple-red shiny leaves for excellent garden drama. Originally called Albatross. 18"h

\$13.00—6" pot:

A031 **Red Sensation** Cordyline australis @— Bronzy red leaves. 36"h **%**

Spurflower Plectranthus

Mounded to sprawling fast-growing houseplants with succulent leaves. Related to Swedish ivy (which is neither Swedish nor ivy). $\mathbb{O} \oplus \mathbb{R}^{\mathbb{N}}$

\$5.00—4" pot:

A032 **Velvet Diva** (ED) @—Spikes of tubular lilac-purple flowers on dark stems. Leaves are dark purple underneath. Plant in part to full shade. 19"h Prefers slightly moist soil. $\mathbb{O} \cong \mathbb{S}$

\$5.00—4" pot:

A034 **Trailing** *M. adansonii* **CP** *a*—Heartshaped leaves. Needs a few hours a day of indirect sun. Easy to care for and grows quickly. Likes warmth and humidity. Climbs by aerial roots or trails. May benefit from a trellis as it grows. 36–96"h

\$11.00—6" pot:

A035 **Upright** *M. deliciosa* **UP** *equivalence* Leaves have more deep slashes than holes. From southern Mexico and Central America. 50–70"h

A036 Wax Plant Hoya carnosa 💵

Glossy oval leaves on trailing or twining stems. Clusters of star-shaped, fragrant white to pink flowers will appear on mature plant. Blooming requires bright indirect sun and humidity of 50% or more. Relative of milkweed from East Asia and Australia. 24–48"h \mathbb{O} \mathbb{C} \mathbb{C}

A086 Butter Daisy 🛲

Melampodium Showstar

Gold 1" daisies with deeper gold centers. Blooms continuously without deadheading. Loves heat. Deerresistant. Rated one of the very best annuals for bees three years running by U of M researchers. 12–15"h \$5.00—4" pot ○券隊

Butterfly Flower Asclepias curassavica

Strong stems hold up umbels of brightly colored flowers very attractive to butterflies. Excellent cut flowers. From South America. 28–40"h ○●\`````````

\$5.00—6 plants in a pack:

A087 Silky Deep Red @—Dark red with gold. A088 Silky Gold -Orangey yellow.

See also MILKWEED, page 55

A089 Cabbage, Ornamental 🛲

Brassica oleracea Glamour Red

Dark blue-green leaves with a magenta center. Glossy leaves instead of the usual waxy finish. Beautiful from spring onwards. Colorful, easy plants last into winter. Brightest color in full sun and when the nights are cool. Edible, too! 12"h ○€......

\$3.00—4 plants in a pack

Calendula Calendula officinalis

Daisies whose petals can be used in salads. Use in soups and stews for color and flavor. Prefers cooler temperatures, so appreciates filtered sun. Cold-tolerant, providing nonstop color from spring through first frost. Deadhead for rebloom in late summer. May selfseed. ○ ① [₩]- � 글 ♣

\$3.00—3.5" pot:

A090 Alpha -Bright orange flowers with high resin content, ideal for making lotions and creams. 24–30"h

\$3.00—4 plants in a pack:

A09 | **Oopsy Daisy** (III) @—Mix of cream to yellow single and semi-double flowers with orange tips. 8-12"h

\$3.00—seed packets:

A092 Pacific Beauty Mix (ED)—Semi-doubles and doubles in shades of orange, apricot, gold, and yellow. 12-24"h Organic

\$3.50—seed packets:

A093 Radio—Radiating orange-yellow quills pack each flower. 18-24"h

\$5.00—6 plants in a pack:

A094 Indian Prince (III) - Double flowers with dark centers surrounded by gold petals. Mahogany undersides. 18-24"h

A095 Cardoon Cynara cardunculus

Plant it for its fabulous architectural good looks. You'll enjoy its bold stalks of huge silver-green prickly serrated leaves. Cold tolerant. The edible leaf stalks taste like artichoke. 60"h 🔾 🖑 – \$5.00—4" pot

Castor Bean Ricinus communis

Spectacular tropical foliage. The entire plant is very poisonous, particularly the seeds, which should be removed before they ripen. Grow in fertile, welldrained soil. It really can get as tall as noted in one summer: it's a great way to have a "tree" without the expense or the commitment. \bigcirc \circledast \circledast

\$5.00—4" pot:

- A096 **Carmencita** -Decorative 12–18" leaves are a deep red-bronze and the flowers are electric rose. 48-72"h
- A097 New Zealand Purple @—Giant dark bronzepurple leaves with a metallic sheen. Creamcolored flowers develop into prickly purple seed pods that match the foliage. 72–96"h
- A098 **Zanzibar** -Largest of all the castor bean plants with green leaves up to 36" wide. You'll be amazed at how big this one gets in one Minnesota summer. Can't be beat for cost per square inch. 120"h

A099 Cigar Flower

Cuphea Hummingbird's Lunch 🕮 💵

Pinkish red and yellow flowers bloom summer to fall. Small, tubular flowers are especially attractive to hummingbirds. Very heat tolerant, and needs no dead-heading. 18–24"h by 24–36"w ○ 🎄 🕱 🍾 \$5.00—4" pot

A100 Cockscomb

Celosia argentea cristata Amigo Mix 🕮

Velvety red, fuchsia, pink, or yellow. Fanshaped flower heads have a convoluted, crumpled look like brain coral. Grown for cut flowers. Drought-tolerant and easy. Leaves are edible like spinach. 6"h ⊖ ∰- &

\$3.00—4 plants in a pack



Coleus see box, page 24

Cockscomb

Plant widths are similar to their heights unless noted otherwise.

Cosmos Cosmos

Graceful, yellow-centered daisies bloom all summer. Lacy foliage. Great next to a hot alley, tolerating part shade, lean or sandy soil, and neglect. Easy and quick to bloom; may self-seed. Excellent cut flowers. ○●▲₩

\$3.00—4 plants in a pack: A134 Apricot Lemonade

C. bipinnatus 💵 🛲—Light apricot petals with a lavender-

- pink reverse turn butter yellow. Double calendula Each flower is a bit different
- and some have a pink ring at the center or look air-brushed with pink. Sturdy, upright, bushy plants. 20-30"h
- A135 Cosmic Mix C. suphureus -Double and semidouble 2" flowers in shades of orange, red, and vellow. 12-18"h
- Al36 Sea Shells Mix C. bipinnatus Charming mix of white, pink, rose, and crimson 3" flowers with petals that curl up at the edges to form tubes or cones. 36-48"h

\$3.00—seed packets:

- A137 Bright Lights Mix C. sulphureus—Semi-double 2-3" flowers in many shades of yellow, orange, and red. 36"h by 14-16"w Organic
- A138 Sensation Mix C. bipinnatus—Semi-double pink, dark magenta, and white 4-6" flowers. 36-48"h Organic

\$3.50—seed packets:

A139 Fizzy White C. bipinnatus (CDDD) Double and semi-double 2-4" white flowers. 36"h by 18–24"w

\$5.00—6 plants in a pack:

- A140 Cosimo Dancing Dolls C. bipinnatus White and pink brush marks on dark magenta petals. No two flowers are alike. 24–36"h
- Unique variety in which the individual petals of a classic cosmos have merged together to form a delicate-looking bowl with a scalloped edge. Some flowers in this white, pink, and pinkblushed mix have a rose eye and some have extra frilly petals around their gold centers. Easy to grow and stands up to rain. 24–30"h
- Al 42 **Diablo** *C. sulphureus* —Semi-double red or orange petals are brushed with gold. Save the seeds for next year. 48-60"h 🍾

COSMOS CONTINUED ON PAGE 24





e have many houseplants for you this year and we've given them a new houseplant icon. This symbol marks plants we think will grow well indoors year-round in window light. You'll find houseplants throughout the catalog, many of them in the Outdoor/Indoor or Miniatures & Succulents sections.

Houseplants provide the obvious visual interest of foliage and flowers, but

with small plants.

Dish gardens are attractive for succulents. Again, choose plants that share the same needs-this time for dry conditions-as well as being proportionate in size and slow-growing. Houseplants can have quite long lifespans, becoming old friends and even being passed down as an inheritance, like grandma's tropical spiderwort or English ivy.

Indoors, these are happy in a bright but not sunny location. Plants that do need more sun, such as a Medusa hot pepper or a scented geranium, will appreciate as much light as you can give them. Herbs like creeping rosemary and chives can continue to provide snips for culinary use if given enough indoor sun (four hours).

Lantana, fuchsia, sweet potato vine, copperleaf, and many other sun-loving garden plants can be kept inside for the winter. An excellent source of information about overwintering these tender perennials is Steve Silk's article in *Fine Gardening* magazine: www.finegardening.com/article/overwinteringtender-plants When outdoor plants are brought into the house they should be thoroughly washed, including the pots, to eliminate bothersome insects.

Houseplants mentioned in the article

Aloe H001 Baby tears M025 Begonias A004–A007 Chinese money plant M026 Geraniums A196-A204, H0048-H054



Key

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Shade

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can also improve the indoor air quality in our homes. Plants such as English ivy, aloe vera, and tropical spiderwort are among the best for scrubbing indoor air.

Some houseplants are easy to grow, coping well with low-

er light levels and dry air indoors. Among the easiest we offer are snake plant, Chinese money plant, jade tree, Swiss cheese plant, begonias, and happy bean. Succulents in general are on the easy end of things as long as you don't over-water them.

Other houseplants are well worth a bit of extra care. Maidenhair ferns and baby tears need either diligent watering or to grow in terrariums, which satisfy their need for high humidity. If you're using a mixture of plants in a terrarium, be sure all have the same needs, only add water when soil is dry, and/or mist for moisture. Since space is limited, start

Thile we want to reserve the new houseplant symbol for plants that will be happy without ever needing to spend time outside or in a garden, some gardeners pot up favorite nonhardy plants from their garden to extend the joys of summer. These plants overwinter indoors and then return outside to the garden for another growing season. Many will look great as temporary houseplants and some will even bloom, while others' highest aspiration is to M w survive until they can return outdoors.

Container-grown plants are easy to transfer from garden to house and back to the garden again because their roots are already at home in a pot. Purple-leafed oxalis, miniature creeping figs, and fancyleafed rex begonias are among the part-shade plants to treat this way.

oing a little research or getting some advice from a houseplant-loving friend to see what plants will work best in your house is a good idea. Let us know how your plants do as we gather information about which of our plants make great houseplants and which over-winter indoors successfully.

Happy bean M033 Ivy collection A019 Jade tree M036–M038 Maidenhair fern A013-A014 Oxalis A336 Pepper, Medusa V158 Swiss cheese plant A034-A035 Snake plant A023 Spiderwort A024–A026 Succulents pages 41, 42

—by Nancy, Carol, and Pat

One cautionary note: Lists of plants toxic to pets are found at

ASPCA.org/apcc.



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Cosmos

Cosmos continued

- \$5.00—6 plants in a pack (continued):
- A143 Double Click Cranberries C. bipinnatus -Bred in France for cutting gardens. Deep carmine, ruffled, mostly double flowers with gold centers. 36-42"h
- A144 Double Click Mix C. bipinnatus Large, frilly, double and semi-double flowers in rosy red, pink, and white with golden centers. 48"h
- A145 Rosetta C. bipinnatus 🛲—Brushed and striped with shades of pink, many of these 4" flowers have an extra layer of short petals sprinkled around the center. 25-30"h by 18-20"w
- Al 46 Xanthos C. bipinnatus -Early-blooming 2.5" yellow daisies with lighter edges, a new color for cosmos. "Xanthos" means "yellow" in Greek. 20-25"h
- AI47 Xsenia C. bipinnatus 🕮—Rosy pink 2.5" daisies with peach tones in each petal that become more prominent in less light and as the flower ages. June-September. 18-24"h

A148 Cosmos, Chocolate 🖓 🕀 Cosmos Chocamocha

Chocolate-scented brownish red 1.5" daisies with dark gold centers. Late summer bloom. Known to gardeners since the 1880s. Tuberous roots can be over-wintered in a cool storage area. 10–18"h ○● 🎄 🕱 🍾 \$5.00-4" pot

A149 **Cotton, Red-Leaf** Gossypium hirsutum

Three- to five-lobed leaves emerge green, then become increasingly washed with burgundy. In late summer, deep pink and cream 2" flowers unroll from large, fringed burgundy buds on dark red stems. Whorled, hibiscus-like flowers may become fluffy cotton in fall if given lots of sun, heat, and rich soil. 24-48"h 🔾 🚱 \$5.00—4" pot

A150 Creeping Zinnia 🛲 🖽 Sanvitalia Queen of Sunlight

Penny-size yellow flowers with green centers. More mounded than spreading. Blooms June to frost. Minidaisies trail from a hanging basket or form mats when planted in the ground. 12–18"h ○● 🎄

\$3.00—4 plants in a pack

For Shade continued

For Sun \bigcirc

10–14"h

Allo Wizard Velvet Red -Burgundy red

AIII Black Dragon @—Large red, lobed

All 2 Copperhead III all Lightly ruffled

burgundy leaves have jagged yellow to

light green edges and long pointed tips.

14–26"h by 14–16"w **\$5.00–4" pot**

with darker markings and thin green mar-

gins. 10–14"h **\$3.00—4** plants in a pack

leaves with purple-black edges. Compact.

\$3.00—4 plants in a pack

Coleus Solenostemon scutellarioides

Coleus come in a wide variety of leaf colors and shapes. Easy to grow,

propagate from cuttings, and over-winter. Fun to mix and match with flowers and other coleus varieties. 💐 👉

For Shade **O**

Colorful leaves bring some excitement to a partly shady or shady corner.

Alol Fairway Mix @—Chartreuse, red, rusty orange, burgundy, and magenta in several patterns. 8-10"h

\$3.00—4 plants in a pack These varieties enjoy sun, often with more Al02 Kong Mosaic @—Each leaf flaunts a vivid colors with more sun.

- unique pattern of green, red, and cream. 22"h \$6.00-4.5" pot A103 Kong Red -Extremely large leaves.
- Performs best in full shade. 22"h \$6.00—4.5" pot A104 **Kong Rose** -Extremely large leaves.
- \$6.00-4.5" pot

Dahlia see box, page 25

A173 Daisy, Dahlberg 🛲

Thymophylla tenuiloba Shooting Star

Deeply divided, feathery leaves and a profusion of tiny yellow daisy flowers. The leaves have a pungent, lemony odor when crushed. Can be planted in rock gardens or in pockets among paving stones or patio blocks. It makes a great edging plant for well-drained sunny areas. Trailing. 6–12"h ⊖ & 🖒 \$6.00—6 plants in a pack

A174 Daisy, Gerbera Gerbera 🛲 🕀

Red, orange, pink, white, or yellow. Your choice of fun daisies that will be blooming at the sale, so they're great for Mothers Day. Picking the flowers encourages new growth, but twist the stems off at the base rather than cutting them. Fertilize regularly and don't over-water. 8"h $\bigcirc \mathbb{O}$ \$6.00—4" pot

A175 Daisy, Snowland

Snowland 🕮 A profusion of cute white daisies with bright yellow

centers. Good edging plant. 8–12"h ○☺

Didelta Silver Strand

Velvety silver leaves add texture and contrast. Drought-tolerant and deer-resistant. 6-8"h by 12–18"w ○

Dusty Miller

Classic garden edging with silver foliage. Excellent accent paired with dark foliage. $\bigcirc \mathbb{O} \mathbb{N}$

\$3.00—4 plants in a pack:

A177 Silver Dust Senecio cineraria @-Soft and finely cut foliage. 10–12"h 🕃

\$5.00—4" pot:

A178 Makana Silver Artemisia mauiensis 🕮 — Fastgrowing, drought-tolerant mounds of soft, feathery white plumes. Deer-resistant. From Hawaii. 24"h 🖌 🕃

For Sun continued

- All8 FlameThrower Salsa Roja 💷 🚚— Jagged narrow leaves are burgundy rust outlined in yellow-green. 12-18"h by 16–18"w \$5.00-4" pot
- AII9 Freckles @—Random patterns of yellow, copper, and orange on each scalloped leaf. \$5.00-4" pot 12-24"h
- Al 20 Gay's Delight @—Bright greenish yellow leaves with scalloped edges and purple-burgundy veins. 18-30"h \$5.00-4" pot
- A|2| Inferno @—Rusty orange leaves with a pinkish haze and undersides make an unusual color echo for orange or pink flowers. Edges are serrated and may acquire a fine yellow margin with age. Slow to bloom. Keeps its foliage color in part shade. 12–24"h \$5.00—4" pot

Al 22 Main Street Beale Street 💷 🐖—

Plant widths are similar to their heights unless noted otherwise.

A179 Elegant Feather 🚙

Eupatorium capillifolium

Narrow columns of wispy foliage grow quickly straight up from the base to full height in one short Minnesota season, but without any support or staking. Filamentlike leaves catch every breeze like a graceful ornamental grass. Both airy and architectural. Your garden visitors will want to know what this uncommonly silky "shrub" is. No need to tell them the wild species is a terrible weed in the South. This cultivar does not selfseed. In early fall, the stems redden and tiny pale pink flowers bloom so abundantly they resemble frost. 48–84"h ○ **●** 🎄 \$6.00-4.5" pot

A180 Firethorn Solanum pyracanthum

Yikes! Wicked, scary, and bizarre. Half-inch decorative orange thorns line the orange veins on both tops and undersides of the long, deeply lobed blue-green leaves. More thorns on the orange fuzzy stems. Star-shaped 1" lavender flowers in summer are just the plant's futile attempt to look cute. Fiercely beautiful in combination with orange flowers or copper foliage. From Madagascar and tropical Africa where it's twice the size and its protective prickles repel all sorts of wild beasts. Do you suppose our deer would leave this one alone? 36"h ○ ● 💐 🕃 \$3.00-3.5" pot

Flame Flower Celosia aregentea plumosa

Glowing plumes make great dried flowers. Leaves are edible like spinach. Drought-tolerant. 14–16"h 🔿 🖑 🐇

\$3.00—4 plants in a pack:

AI8I **Castle Mix** -Scarlet, pink, yellow, and orange. A182 Chinatown @—Scarlet flowers on dark green to bronze foliage. A knock-out.

A183 Flamingo Flower 🛲

For Sun continued

15–20"h

A127 Peter's Wonder @—Frilly, deeply

toothed green and cream leaves with

violet with magenta veins. An upright

A128 Shiny Shoes 💷 🛲—Small near-black

plant that looks really nice with hostas.

leaves are thick and almost heart-shaped

loped edges. Looks very much like a dark

with a pebbly, glossy surface and scal-

purple shiso (Perilla frutescens). Rarely

blooms. Also known as patent leather

A129 Smallwood's Driveway—Happy-looking

peach, burgundy, gold, and green leaves

are deeply scalloped. And it really was

coleus. 22-24"h by 6-8"w

magenta outlining. The base of each leaf

has a splash of magenta and the reverse is

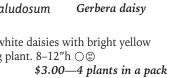
Celosia spicata Cramer's Amazon Purple and green variegated leaves with plume-like burgundy-rose flowers. Good cut flowers on troublefree plants. Dries well; drought- and heat-tolerant. Peru native. Leaves are edible like spinach. 48"h \$5.00—6 plants in a pack ○∰-%⊮

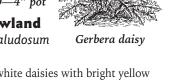


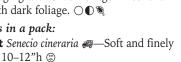
A176 Didelta 🖓 🔍

\$5.00-4" pot

Chrysanthemum paludosum Gerbera daisy







- A105 Tidbits Tammy @—Ruffled columns of small burgundy leaves with lobed chartreuse margins. Bring it indoors for the winter to see its full height. Well-behaved and compact, its small leaves can make a colorful tree or shrub in the miniature garden. 8–18"h \$5.00-4" pot
- Allo Trailing Queen One of the best trailing coleus, in deep purple with a lacy green border and a shock of hot pink in the center of the textured leaf. Heirloom variety that has been popular since the Victorian era. 8"h by 24"w \$6.00-4.5" pot
- Al07 Wizard Jade Aleart-shaped leaves are ivory with green margins. 12-14"h \$3.00—4 plants in a pack A108 Wizard Scarlet @—Red with yellow edges. 12-14"h \$3.00—4 plants in a pack
- A109 Wizard Sunset @—Large apricot-red leaves, heart-shaped with gold scalloped edges. 12-14"h

\$3.00—4 plants in a pack

- AII3 Dark Heart III @—Somewhat heartshaped leaves are burgundy-purple with yellow-green margins. 18-24"h by 12-15"w \$5.00—4" pot
- A114 Electric Lime -Yellowish green puckered leaves with scalloped edges and many near-yellow veins. Holds color well in full sun, but appreciates a bit of shade in the afternoon. 14–20"h \$5.00—4" pot
- A115 Electric Slide Cheerful yellow leaves emerge with a scalloped apple green edge, then a network of lacy red veins spreads over the yellow background. 23"h by \$5.00-4" pot 36"w
- All6 Fancy Feathers Black Dark purple with magenta and green splashes. Long, narrow leaves grow quickly into a lively little mop of foliage. 4-8"h \$5.00-4" pot
- All7 Fancy Feathers Copper -Blended shades of apricot, gold, and rust. Like most of the "copper" coleus, it's purple-pink at the base of the leaf, so it looks great with hot pink flowers. 4"h by 8"w

\$5.00—4" pot

- Deep red leaves with toothed edges on a bushy upright plant. Slow to bloom. Became the first coleus AAS ornamental winner in 2020. 24–36"h \$5.00–4" pot
- A123 Main Street Le Freak 💷 🐖—Narrow burgundy leaves with randomly toothed yellow-green edges. In more shade, leaves are purplish and green. Forms a shaggy mound. 12–18"h \$5.00-4" pot
- A124 Main Street Orchard Road 💷 🛲-Purple-burgundy leaves have lacy, spotty green margins and a magenta central blaze. Scalloped edges. 18-24"h
- A125 Mainstreet Sunset Boulevard 🛲 Bronze leaves with hot pink centers, magenta veins, and scalloped green edges. 20-30"h \$5.00-4" pot
- Al 26 Orange King 💷 🛲—Wide yellowgreen leaves whose veins, toothed edges, and undersides are burgundy-magenta. New growth is orangish. From a distance the plant's color is amber or vellow ochre. Leaves are greener in shade. Also known as Gold Giant. 18–30"h \$5.00—4" pot

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A130 Stained Glassworks Crown Jewel # -Large red leaves outlined in yellow. 8–14"h \$5.00-4" pot

discovered in a driveway. 12–18"h

- **AI3I Stained Glassworks Trailing Monarch** Small, saw-toothed burgundy leaves with apple green margins. Trailing stems work well in hanging baskets and mixed \$5.00-4" pot containers. 12"h
- AI32 Trailing Plum @—Rich purple-burgundy in center of leaf surrounded by bright rose with golden edge. Trails. 6-8"h by \$5.00-4" pot 18–24"w
- \$5.00—4" pot AI33 Vino—Serrated, pointed, deep burgundypurple leaves (darkest in full sun) outlined with fine lime green. Vigorous and \$5.00-4" pot upright. 18-30"h

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Annuals

Floss Flower Ageratum

Fuzzy flower heads in attractive clusters. Easy to grow. Seeds eaten by finches. $\bigcirc \bigcirc \bigstar$

\$5.00—4" pot:

Al 84 Ariella Blue 💷 🛲—Lavender. 10–14"h A185 **Bumble Rose (ED)** APink with deeper pink centers. 8-12"h

Four O'Clocks Mirabilis

Trumpet flowers open daily. Blooms from late spring to early fall. Tender perennial that can be dug and stored over the winter, or may survive next to a heated foundation. 24"h ○●▲₩₩₩₩ 🕾

\$5.00—6 plants in a pack:

Al86 Harlequin Mix @—Stripes and streaks on showy flowers.

A187 Limelight -Vivid fuchsia flowers and bright chartreuse foliage speckled with deep green flecks.

Fuchsia Fuchsia

Bright colors for low-light areas. Can be over-wintered indoors, where they bloom well. $\bigcirc \bigcirc \checkmark$

\$5.00—4" pot:

- A188 Aurea F. magellanica 🛲—Small, pointed leaves on arching stems begin gold-yellow, turning chartreuse with age and more shade. Experiment to find the exposure that keeps foliage the color you want. Stems and leaf veins become increasingly magenta-red. From early summer through fall, 2" red-magenta and purple flowers dangle along the stems. Plant it where it can cascade. 6-18"h by 24–36"w
- A189 Autumnale -Red and purple flowers and trailing golden leaves flushed with purple and orange. Blooms early and all summer long, keeping the hummingbirds happy. 6–18"h 🎕
- A190 BluTini F. arborescens—Clusters of starry, tubular pink flowers in late summer are followed by mildly sweet, edible, dark berries that resemble blueberries. Prefers filtered or morning sun, and cooler summers. Also called Mexican blueberry. 70"h by 60"w
- AI9I Marinka @—Magenta and dark magenta flowers, trailing and down-facing. Great for window boxes or the garden. 12"h

\$6.00—4.5" pot:

- Al92 Shadow Dancer Marcia @—Red and purple. 18-24"h
- \$6.00—5.25" pot:
- A193 Firecracker @—Foliage of green and cream with crimson veins and crimson undersides. Salmon orange flowers. 18–24"h 🖑- 🎕
- A194 Gartenmeister @—Dangling, continuous coralpink to salmon flowers. Upright plants with dark stems and purple-veined leaves. 18-24"h

A195 Gaura 🛲

Gaura lindheimeri Belleza Dark Pink

Neat, compact plant with red stems and buds that open to a waving display of beautiful pink flowers. Airy texture. Lovely mingling with traditional cottage garden flowers or in a container alongside burgundy or pinkish foliage. They look delicate, but are tough plants that continue blooming lightly if brought inside for the winter. 18"h \bigcirc \$5.00-4" pot

Geranium *Pelargonium*

Bushy plants with thick stems, often with multicolored leaves. Bring indoors for the winter. \bigcirc & \circledast

\$5.00—4" pot: Al96 Angel's Perfume -Petite, pansy-like flowers

Geranium continued

\$6.00—5.25" pot: A203 Calliope Medium Dark Red NEW #-Large velvety red double flowers are abundant throughout the summer. Semi-spreading mound. 12–18"h 🐭 A204 Vancouver Centennial 🛲-

Gold leaves with a brown center splotch and red-orange starry flowers. 10–14"h

Geranium, Ivy

Pelargonium peltatum Leaves are shiny and almost succulent. Trails from containers and window boxes. $\bigcirc \Bbbk \circledast$ \$6.00—5.25" pot:

A205 Sofie Cascade 🕮—Single, slender-petaled flowers are bright pink. Vigorous. 12"h by 24"w

A206 White 🕮 — 6–12"h by 24'w

leaves See also GERANIUM, SCENTED, page 9

A207 Gladiola, Abyssinian 🖓 Gladiolus murielae

Starry, fragrant 2–3" shiny white flowers with dark purple-burgundy at the center. Up to a dozen flowers open consecutively on graceful arching stems for three to four weeks in late summer over a fan of swordshaped leaves. Looks novel but grown in gardens since it was brought from the mountains of East Africa in 1896. Likes well-drained soil and regular feeding. Corms can be dug up in fall and stored dry. 12-36"h ○♣☺ \$5.00—4" pot

Dahlia 🕬

Did you know the more dahlia flowers you cut, the more you get? Tender perennials whose tubers can be dug and stored in a peat-free medium in a cool but frost-free basement $(40-45^{\circ})$.

Geranium

\$3.00—3.5" pot:

- AI5I Bishop's Children @—Single to semi-double bicolored or blended shades that can be red, pink, yellow, orange, peach, or fuchsia. Foliage and stems are dark purplish green. 28-36"h
- AI52 Collarette Dandy Mix (III) Interior ruffled petals are surrounded by larger, contrasting petals in shades of red, yellow, orange, and white. 18"h
- A153 Figaro Orange @—Orange doubles on mounded plants. 12–16"h
- \$3.00—4 plants in a pack:
- AI54 Figaro Mix 🕮—Yellow, orange, red, gold, white, violet doubles on mounded plants. 12-16"h

\$5.00—4" pot:

burgundy petals with magenta margins and tips. Dark foliage. 18–24"h 🕸 🕱

Globe Amaranth Gomphrena globosa

What looks like the flower is actually a tight bunch of bracts: brightly colored, papery leaves resembling petals. The many tiny flowers are mostly hidden within the bracts. Easy and long-blooming. Keeps indefinitely as a dried flower. $\bigcirc \bigcirc \Im$

\$3.00—4 plants in a pack:

- A208 Gnome Mix 💷 🛲—Mix of pink, magentapurple, and white flowers. 8"h 🖒
- A209 **Gnome Purple** Use this compact plant to tuck a little extra color into containers or the rock garden, 6"h 🔿
- A210 Strawberry Fields @—Pinkish red flowers that actually resemble strawberries. 24"h

A212 Gloxinia, Trailing 🖓 🔍

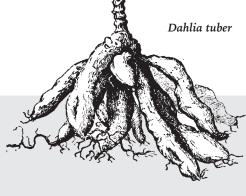
Lophospermum Lofos Compact White White with a yellow throat. Showy cascading plant. Large tubular blossoms with wide-flaring petals. 12–24"h 🔾 \$6.00-4" pot

A213 Golden Globes 🖓

Lysimachia congestiflora Midnight Sun Oval 2" dark green and burgundy leaves contrast with clusters of cup-shaped bright yellow flowers. Grown for its foliage color, which is best in sun. Will trail from a hanging basket or form a mat under other plants. Deer-resistant. Also known as chocolate \$5.00—4" pot moneywort. 2–4"h by 24–36"w ○

A214 Heliotrope 🖓

Heliotropium arborescens Mini Marine Blue This earliest blooming heliotrope stays compact. Beautiful, fragrant deep blue flowers for containers, baskets, or the garden. 12"h OWS \$3.00-3.5" pot



\$5.00—4" pot (continued):

- Al66 Hypnotica Tequila Sunrise ID III Double 3–4" flowers whose yellow petals have reddish orange tips. Informal decorative type. 18"h by 15"w
- Al67 Hypnotica Tropical Breeze -Double flowers have light yellow petals edged and tipped with bright pink. Formal decorative type. 10–12"h by 20"w
- Al68 Painter Berry Impressions I @—Double 4" flowers are splashed purple, crimson, and white. Informal decorative type from France. 18-24"h
- Al 69 Painter Sunfire III a Unruly, pointed yellow petals are streaked, striped, and dotted with red. 18-24"h

\$15.00—1 gal. pot:

A170 Crème de Cassis III —Burgundy buds open to 4–6" blossoms that have light lilac petals with magenta-plum undersides. Named for the burgundy-colored liqueur. Decorative waterlily type. 30–36"h



Globe Amaranth

- with two burgundy and magenta upper petals and three pink lower petals marked with magenta. Ruffled, lemon-scented leaves. A cross between regal and scented geraniums. Long-blooming. 12"h
- A197 Brocade Cherry Night -Semi-double deep rosy pink flowers in 5" clusters stand out against dark bronze leaves with bright green margins. 12–14"h
- A198 Caldera Salmon (III) @—Orangey pink flowers and dark foliage. 10-14"h by 20-24"w
- A199 Glitter Orange (III) @—Reddish orange petals are splashed and streaked with white and light orange. 18-24"h by 10-14"w
- A200 Mrs. Pollock @—Dramatic variegated yellow, deep red, and green foliage with coral red flowers. 12–18"h
- A201 Persian Queen -Gold leaves and hot pink flowers. 10-14"h
- A202 Rosalie Antique Salmon -Clusters of ivory buds resembling rosebuds open into light pinkish salmon rosettes with gathered inner petals. Each domed spray of flowers looks like a tussie mussie bouquet. An upright and compact novelty double. 12–16"h

- Al 56 City Lights Red () -True red 2" flowers are slightly fragrant. Dark foliage. 18–24"h 🕷
- AI57 Dalaya Pink Lemon -Pink-brushed cream flowers blending to soft yellow around the center. Formerly Dalaya Shari. 16–18"h
- AI58 Dalaya Pink Rose Eye Ameright lavender-pink turns to burgundy near the center. Formerly Dalaya Yogi. 18"h
- A159 Dalaya Yellow Red Eye @—Double yellow with orange-red toward the center. Formerly Dalaya Shiva. 16-20"h
- A160 **Dreamy Eyes** Peachy yellow with a red halo around the gold center. Single or semi-double 2.5" flowers. Bronzy green leaves. 16"h
- Al6| Dreamy Fantasy (Ruffled semi-double flowers are pink and yellow, blended and streaked along the petals. Dark foliage. 16"h 🕸 🕷
- Al62 **Dreamy Nights** Neon pink petals darken to burgundy near the yellow center. Single or semi-double 2.5" flowers. Bronzy green leaves. 16"h
- Al63 Electro Pink I 🦇 Neon pink 4" spiky cactus type. Dark foliage is near-black. Syn. Neon Star 24–36"h
- Al64 Grandalia Yellow (Double 3" yellow flowers. 14–16"h by 18–20"w 🕷
- Al65 Hypnotica Pink Bicolor @—Doubles in shades of bright pink. 12–18"h

- AI7I **Go Go Peach (ED**—Soft peach 4–6" double flowers with just a hint of very dark peach on the petal edges. Very strong stalks. Decorative waterlily type. 14-20"h 🕱
- A172 Happy Single Flame I Pollinator-attracting single 4" flowers with yellow-centered bright red petals and bronze leaves. Award of Garden Merit from RHS. 24-36"h & 🕷 🍾



Formal

decorative



Waterlily

Cactus





Ball or Pompom

Informal decorative

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Annuals

Key

○ Full sun ● Part sun/part shade

- Shade
- Attractive to bees
- Audubon-endorsed
- W Butterfly-friendly
- Y Hummingbird-friendly
- Attractive foliage
- **₩** Culinary
- **P** Edible flowers
- Ground cover
- 😤 Houseplant
- d Medicinal
- Minnesota native
- 🕑 Rock garden
- Cold-sensitive: keep above 40°F
- Toxic to humans
- 🕮 Saturday restock

A215 Hibiscus, Maple Leaf

Hibiscus acetosella Mahogany Splendor Resembles a Japanese maple with deep burgundy leaves. Dramatic in the garden and containers, but also flourishes as a pond plant. Bring indoors for the winter. Deer-resistant and drought- and heat-tolerant. 30–40"h by 24–36"w ⊖ \$5.00-4" pot

A216 Himalayan Honeysuckle 🛲

Leycesteria formosa Jealousy Handsome chartreuse leaves summer to fall. A shrub in warmer areas, grown here as an annual. Great for

height in a shade container. 24–48"h ●● \$5.00—4" pot

A217 Honey Bush Melianthus major

A giant, exotic fern-like plant with sharply saw-toothed metallic blue-green leaves, it's a great architectural statement in the garden and should be considered for late summer to fall containers. Plant in humus-rich soil and keep well-watered. We have seen it continue growing until mid-December. If you're south of I-90, it \$5.00—4" pot may bloom. 48–72"h $\bigcirc \bigcirc$

Hummingbird Mint Agastache

Great-smelling flower spikes. May survive the winter if grown in a well-drained, protected site. Also good for winter interest and bird food source. Excellent heat tolerance. Deer- and rabbit-resistant. ○●▲☆★

\$3.00—4 plants in a pack:

A218 **Pink Pop** *A. montana* —Spires of fragrant purplish pink flowers. 10-18"h

\$5.00—4" pot:

- A219 Kudos Ambrosia 🖏—Orange buds open to light orange 1" flowers that turn lavender-pink, early summer to late fall. The Kudos series is dwarf and resistant to downy mildew. 18"h
- A220 Kudos Coral @—Orange buds open to deep pinkish orange flowers. 18"h
- A221 Kudos Mandarin @—Orange flowers. 18"h

\$5.00—6 plants in a pack:

A222 Astello Indigo @—Root beer-scented purplish blue flowers. Bushy plant. 18–24"h

See more HUMMINGBIRD MINT, page 36, and HYSSOP, page 54

Impatiens see box, below

A243 Jewels of Opar 🚙

Talinum paniculatum Kingwood Gold Airy sprays of tiny bright pink flowers on branched, reddish, wiry 30" stems are held well above the chartreuse foliage. These become shiny, spherical, coppery seedpods that remain attractive for months. Edible leaves. Self-seeds. Drought-tolerant. 12"h 🔾 🖑 – \$5.00—6 plants in a pack

Joseph's Coat Alternanthera

Compact and heat-tolerant, these are excellent filler plants for containers and garden edges. Colors are deepest in full sun. Also known as joyweed and calico plant. 🔿 🗨 🕷 🛞

\$5.00—4" pot:

- A244 Burgundy Threadleaf III #Bushy mound of slender burgundy foliage. 6–10"h
- A245 **Purple Prince (III)** *A*-Burgundy-purple leaves have magenta-purple undersides. 10-16"h by 18-20"w

A246 Kiss-Me-Over-the-Garden-Gate Polygonum orientale 🖓

Buy it for the name alone. An old-fashioned annual with long tassels of bright pink flowers. Giant. Stems can be saved to use like bamboo canes for plant staking. Fragrant. May self-seed. 96"h O \$5.00-4" pot

Lantana Lantana camara

Excellent hummingbird and butterfly plants with dense flower clusters in bright colors. Drought- and heat-tolerant. 🔿 🕷 🍞 😂

\$5.00—4" pot:

- A247 Bandana Cherry -Multiple colors of dark cherry through pink to peach and even gold. Large flowers. 20–26"h
- A248 Bandana Yellow (III) -Bright yellow. 16–20"h by 20–24"w 為
- A249 Bandolero Pink I 🐨 🛲 Flower clusters are lavender-pink on the perimeter, pale pink towards the center, all with orange throats. 18-24"h
- A250 Hot Blooded Red @—Red, orange, and yellow 2" clusters. Vigorous. 15–18"h by 24–30"w
- A251 Shamrock Orange Flame I III Autor part of each flower cluster is orange, inner part is more gold. 12-16"h

A252 Larkspur 🖓

Delphinium consolida Blue Cloud

Blue-violet flowers. An airy open plant with feathery foliage and sprays of half-inch single flowers starting in summer. Self-seeds. 36–40"h ○●☺

\$5.00—6 plants in a pack **Licorice Plant** Helichrysum petiolare

Fuzzy oval leaves, trailing. One of the greatest spiller plants for containers. 24"h O 💐

\$4.00—3.5" pot:

A253 Golden 🖏—Golden leaves. A254 Silver @—Silver leaves.

Lisianthus Eustoma grandiflorum

Rose-shaped flowers beginning in early summer. Longlasting, with good vase life. Morning sun with afternoon shade is ideal. Remove spent flowers for extended blooming. Tall or double varieties may need staking or grow-through supports. \bigcirc

\$6.00—6 plants in a pack:

A255 **ABC 2 Purple** -Fully double deep purple. 30-45"h

- A256 **ABC 2 Rose** Rose shades to almost peach. Double. 36-45"h
- A257 Advantage Cherry Sorbet -Deep pink ruffled double flowers. 28-32"h
- A258 Arena Red 3 @—Fully double 2–3" flowers in shades of dark rose pink approaching red. Robust stems and petals mean they do extra well as cut flowers. Blooms later than other lisianthus. 30–40"h
- A259 **Corelli 3 Apricot** A259 **Corelli 3 Apricot** A259 **Corelli** or semi-double flowers with curling petals. Named for a baroque composer. 32–40"h
- A260 Excalibur Blue Picotee 💷 🐖—Double flowers are white with deep blue edges. 28–39"h A261 Mariachi Blue -Quadruple blossoms. Staking
- required. 20-24"h A262 Mariachi Lime Green A Quadruple blossoms.
- Staking required. 20-24"h
- A263 Mariachi Pink Picotee 💷 🛲—Large white flowers with pink edges. 30-38"h
- A264 Mariachi Yellow @—Soft yellow quadruple flowers. Staking required. 30-36"h
- A265 **Rosita 2 Sapphire** Deep purple doubles on strong stems. Each set of buds appears above existing flowers, resulting in a rising column of flowers. 14-18"h
- A266 Super Magic Champagne I Pouble flowers are cream to blush pink. 28-36"h

Lobelia, Compact Lobelia

Vigorous and unsurpassed for intense color and neat edging along sunny sidewalks. Originally from South Africa. Blooms until frost. 🛈 🍞 🛎

\$3.00—4 plants in a pack:

A267 Riviera Marine Blue 🖓 — 5"h

\$5.00—4" pot:

A268 Early Springs Sky Blue (E) -Early bloomer with white-edged light blue flowers. Heattolerant. 8–10"h

A269 **Techno Heat Electric Blue** —Cobalt blue flowers with small white eyes, even in the hottest summer. 6-12"h by 18-22"w

Lobelia, Trailing Lobelia pendula

Beautiful, intense color in window boxes and rock gardens. Blooms early and keeps blooming until frost. Easy. 5"h 🔿 🍾 😂 😂

\$3.00—4 plants in a pack:

- A270 Fountain Crimson 🚙
- A271 Regatta Marine Blue 🛲
- A272 Regatta Midnight Blue 🚙
- A273 Regatta White 🛲



Impatiens 🏶 🕊

Beacon

Impatiens x walleriana Say goodbye to the downy mildew that has plagued impatiens lovers for the last decade. The Beacon impatiens series, new in 2020,



mildew resistance. Summer-long color on shade-loving plants. 15–20"h by 12"w €

has the classic impatiens flower with high

\$3.00—4 plants in a pack: A223 Bright Red -Warm-toned red. A224 Coral @—Orangey pink. A225 **Rose (III)** A225 **Rose** (III) bluish undertone.

A226 Salmon 🕮—Warm pinkish orange. A227 Select Mix @—Mix of red, salmon, magenta, white, coral, and orange. A228 Violet Shades @—Purplish magenta. A229 White 🚙

Bounce

Bounces back without losing its buds or flowers if the plant dries out. Looks and blooms like traditional impatiens. Strong resistance to downy mildew. 14–20"h ●●

\$5.00—4" pot:

A230 Bright Coral @—Fluorescent reddish A235 Sonic White III @—White 3" orange.

A231 Pink Flame -Bright hot pink. A232 White -White with small magenta marks at the center.

Impatiens, New Guinea Impatiens x hawkeri

Large flowers on upright plants with dark, glossy foliage. Not susceptible to downy mildew. Quick to establish.

\$4.00—4" pot:

A233 Sonic Deep Purple 💵 🛲—Deep magenta 3" flowers. 10-14"h

A234 Sonic Sweet Red 💷 🛲—Red 3" flowers splashed with white. Looks almost tie-dyed. 10-14"h

flowers. 10-14"h

\$7.00—5.25" pot:

A237 Infinity Pink Frost @—Pink and lighter pink bicolors. 6–12"h

Impatiens, Sun

Here's the solution if you want to create an edging of impatiens in an area with mixed sun and shade: a hybrid impatiens that loves both. Profuse 3" flowers start early and bloom until frost. To date, has resisted downy mildew. ○● 🎄 🕱 🍾

\$6.00—4" pot:

A238 Sol Luna Candy Apple 💷 🛲— Pinkish red. 10–16"h

A239 Sol Luna Tropical Punch 💷 🛲—

Pink brushed with white. 10–16"h

A242 SunStanding Helios Flame Orange

(E) -Orange with magenta accents. 12-24"h

See also BALSAM, page 21

Love-in-a-Mist Nigella

Fine, feathery foliage and adorable fairy lantern-like seed pods. Cottage garden charm. Can be dried. Self-seeds. Needs well-drained soil. O

\$5.00—6 plants in a pack:

- A274 **Midnight** -Dark purple flowers with what looks like an upside-down black octopus in the center (this becomes an ornamental seed pod). Great for flower arranging. 36"h
- A275 **Moody Blues** *N*. damascena **(ED) #**—Flowers with layers of pointed petals in shades of blue. 24–30"h

Marigold see box, page 27

A296 Meadowfoam 🛲

Limnanthes douglasii Fried Eggs

Little flowers that look like sunny-side-up eggs, only cuter. Native to California. Fragrant; reseeds. Needs moist soil. 6-12"h \bigcirc \$ **3.00**—**4** plants in a pack

A297 Mexican Sunflower 🛲

Tithonia rotundifolia Torch

Reddish orange 3" daisy flowers. Velvety foliage. Blooms July to frost. Attracts monarchs. Great for hedges, tall flower beds, or cut flowers. May self-seed. 60–72"h ○☆☆☆ \$5.00—6 plants in a pack

A298 Milkweed, Blue-Flowered 🚜 Tweedia caerulea

Million Bells Calibrachoa

Small, petunia-like flowers are great for containers. Fast-growing in rich, well-drained soil. Self-cleaning and trailing. 🔿 🏨 🍾

\$5.00—4" pot:

- A299 **Bloomtastic Chili Pepper** (III) #——Slightly pinkish red-orange with a yellow throat. 6–12"h
- A300 **Bumblebee Orange** -Orange flowers with a large burgundy central area and a yellow star in the very center. 6–12"h by 12–24"w
- A301 **Cabaret Good Night Kiss** *€*—Bright pink and burgundy flowers with five yellow lines forming a star in the center. 6–10"h by 10–12"w
- A302 Calitastic Blood Orange (E) -Red-orange with a yellow throat. 6–12"h
- A303 **Cruze Control Dark Blue (Ⅲ)** *→*—Bluish purple with a darker center and yellow eye. 8–10"h by 27"w
- A304 **Cruze Control Pink Delicious** (ID) #—Pink with deeper pink around a yellow eye. 9"h by 27"w
- A305 **Eyeconic Purple** (TD) @—Light lavender with a purple center and yellow eye. 12–14"h by 12–18"w
- A306 **Rainbow Tiger Tail ()** A306 **Rainbow Tiger Tail ()** A306 **Rainbow Tiger Tail ()** A306 **Rainbow series** open in different colors and the flowers on the whole plant will also change color during the season. Shades of orange, pinkish orange, reddish orange, and yellow. 13"h by 28"w
- A307 **Uno Double Pinktastic** -Deep pink flowers edged with a lighter pink. 8–10"h

\$6.00—4" pot:

A308 **Superbells Evening Star** *∰*—Lavender flowers with a purple throat and a yellow star pattern. 6–10"h by 12–24"w

Million Bells, SuperCal Petchoa

A fabulous hybrid of petunias and million bells. Happy in the cool of spring and the cold (even light frosts) of late fall, and in between keeps its vibrant colors and vigor in summer heat. \bigcirc

\$5.00—4" pot:

- A309 **Blue** A309 **Blue**
- A310 Bordeaux @—Candy apple red. 14–22"h
- A311 **Caramel Yellow** Gold with a rusty orange center. 12"h
- A312 **Cinnamon** Rusty orange with a darker center and some coral touches. 14–20"h
- A313 Neon Rose @—Vibrant fuchsia-pink. 12"h 🕷
- A314 **Premium Sunset Orange** (ED) @—Flowers open orange and turn yellow brushed with orange. 14–28"h by 14–32"w
- A315 **Snowberry White** White with a deep fuchsia center. 12–14"h

A316 **Monkey Flower** R Mimulus Mystic Mix

Moss Rose Portulaca

Bright flowers and succulent leaves for hot and dry locations, rock gardens, or edging. Easy to grow. O

\$3.00—4 plants in a pack:

- A318 **Happy Hour Rosita** *P. grandiflora ख़*—Blooms early with dark pink semi-double flowers. 4"h by 10–12" w ♣
- A319 **Sundial Mix** *P. grandiflora* 4"h by 6-8"w A320 **Sundial Yellow** *P. grandiflora* —Double yellow flowers. 4–5"h by 6–8"w

\$5.00—4" pot:

- A321 **24-7 Orange** *P. grandiflora* (E) Light orange 2–3" flowers are too double to close. 4–6"h
- A323 **Colorblast Double Guava** *P. grandiflora* Hot pink and orange pompom in the center of five bright yellow petals. Not for the faint of heart. Semi-trailing and nice for mixed containers and hanging baskets. 8–12"h by 16–20"w
- A324 **Pazzaz Nano Fuchsia** *P. oleracea* Magenta flowers remain open on cloudy days. Semi-trailing, compact plant. 8"h by 12"w

Nasturtium *Tropaeolum majus*

Prolific bloomers with edible flowers and leaves that add spice and color to salads. Probably the easiest flower to grow from seed. Just poke each large seed into the ground. $\bigcirc *$

\$3.00—seed packets:

A325 **Organic Blend** (TET)—Yellow, orange, rose, and crimson flowers on trailing plants. 8–12"h (Market Compared to the second s

\$3.50—seed packets:

- A326 **Black Velvet**—Intense dark maroon flowers. Mounding. 8–12"h ⋎
- A327 **Empress of India**—Deep, velvety crimson flowers against dark blue-green foliage. Mounding. 8–12"h ⋎
- A328 **Milkmaid**—Lightest cream blossoms. 8–12"h by 6–16"w **Y**

\$5.00—6 plants in a pack:

- A329 Alaska Mix ∰—Gold, orange, apricot, cream, and dark red flowers in solids and bicolors. Leaves are marked with white wedges, stripes, and speckles. Mounding. 8–12"h ⋎
- A330 **Bloody Mary Mix** (III) -Mix of dark red, coral, cream, and bicolored flowers. Both mounding and trailing plants. 16–20"h by 12–24"w
- A331 **Gleam Lemon** @—Double and semi-double buttery yellow flowers sit above flat, round leaves. Great for hanging baskets. 8–12"h by 24–36"w
- A333 **Phoenix** *T. minus* Heirloom from 1904 with split petals and sawtooth tips in many shades of red, orange, and yellow. 12"h **Y**
- A334 **Purple Emperor** ← Muted rosy pink flowers with a yellow throat change pleasantly to lavender, giving the plant a vintage look. Vigorous, trailing, even climbing. 12–36"h by 12–16"w

A335 Oregano, Ornamental 🚙

Origanum Kent Beauty

Whorls of pink-petaled flowers inside papery purple and chartreuse bracts. Gray-green, silver-veined, nearly heart-shaped leaves. Coils of papery, hop-like bracts look best cascading over a raised bed, rock garden, or container. Aromatic, but usually not used in cooking. Needs good drainage. Drought-resistant. 6-12"h by 24"w $\bigcirc 43$ $\bigcirc 5.00-4"$ pot Plant widths are similar to their heights unless noted otherwise.

A338 **Painted Tongue** Salpiglossis Royale Mix

Red, yellow, orange, rose, or purple flowers on dwarf plants, ideal for containers. Trumpet-shaped flowers marked with colorful veins and contrasting throats. 10–12"h () \$3.00—4 plants in a pack

A339 Pepper, Ornamental

Capsicum annuum Black Pearl

Glossy jet black foliage is perfect for contrast. Round, shiny black fruit matures to dark red. Unusual annual that deserves a place in your flower garden or container. Tolerant of heat, humidity, and drought. Edible, but bred for looks, not taste. 18"h \bigcirc % \$ \$3.00-2.5" pot

A340 Persian Shield 🚙

Strobilanthes dyerianus

Grown for its large royal purple leaves with a metallic sheen. It's an upright plant, dramatic in containers. Beautiful foliage. 12-36"h $\bigcirc \bigcirc \$ \$6.00—5.25" pot

Petunias see box, page 28

Phlox, Annual Phlox drummondii

- \$3.00—4 plants in a pack:
- A372 **Twinkle Mix** (III) ← Mix of pink, red, purple, and blue starburst-shaped flowers edged in white. Eye-catching in the garden or in pots. 6–10"h by 10"w &

\$5.00—4" pot:

- A373 **Gisele Purple (IED)** *A*Purple flowers with red centers. 10–12"h
- A374 **Gisele White** Large white clusters of longblooming and weather-tolerant flowers. 10–12"h

\$5.00—6 plants in a pack:

A375 **Sugar Stars** @—Sprays of lavender-blue flowers with starry white centers. 18–24"h %



Marigolds Tagetes 🔿 🐲 🌮

Sunny flowers that bloom until frost. Excellent for butterflies and caterpillars. Cultivated in Mexico for more than 2,000 years.

\$3.00—4 plants in a pack:

- A276 **Disco Marietta** -Gold with mahogany brush marks at the base of the petals. Single flowers. 8–10"h ♣
- A277 **Disco Red** @—Dark red single flowers. 8–10"h &
- A278 **Durango Flame** —Mahogany with orange-gold edges. 6–12"h &
- A279 Inca Orange Double 4" flowers. 18–20"h
- A280 Inca Yellow @—12–14"h
 - A281 Little Hero Flame @—Redorange bicolor. Puts all its energy into masses of 2.5" flowers. 6–8"h
 - A282 Little Hero Mix @—Large
 - flowers on compact plants. 6–8"h A283 **Little Hero Yellow** @—Flowers

- \$3.00—4 plants in a pack (cont'd): A287 Super Hero Spry (III) #—
- Double, crested marigold with dark burgundy lower petals and gold upper petals. Blooms early. 10–12"h
- A288 **Vanilla** Dreamy white flowers. 12–24"h
- \$6.00—6 plants in a pack: A289 Alumia Vanilla Cream — Long-lasting, semi-double creamy yellow 2" flowers. Attractive to late-summer
- pollinators. 10–12"h 🎄 A290 **Big Duck Gold ()** Ag—Yellow 3" pompoms. 10–15"h
- A291 Crackerjack Mix Gracefully overlapping shades of tangerine, orange, gold, and lemon on 4" flowers. Petals have a slightly bitter, citrusy spice flavor. 24–36"h
 A292 Narai Orange Ruffled 4" flowers on tall stems. Firm and ball-shaped, like a mandarin orange made out of petals. Blooms continuously. 25–40"h
 A293 Sweet Cream Very showy 3" odorless blossoms. 18"h



Dwarf variety, good for cool spring weather. Does well in wet soil. Scarlet, yellow, orange, and white. Blooms until frost. 6-9"h $\bigcirc \bigcirc$ \$3.00—4 plants in a pack

A317 Morning Glory, Dwarf 🕮 **(ED)** Evolvulus Blue Daze

One-inch flowers. True blue five-petaled flowers bloom spring to frost. Enjoys summer heat. 9–18"h by 36"w O \$5.00—4" pot



Oxalis Oxalis

Colorful, clover-like foliage in low, mounding mats with small, bright flowers. Easy to grow: drought-tolerant, deer-resistant, no deadheading needed. Well-behaved filler and spiller for containers. \bigcirc

\$5.00—4" pot:

- A336 **Charmed Wine** *O. triangularis* ∰—White lilyshaped flowers on a mound of deep burgundy foliage with pale green stems. Don Engebretsen, the Renegade Gardener, has elected it to his "Perfect Plant Club" for its combination of pretty flowers and nice foliage. Over-winter indoors. 12–16"h 😤
- A337 **Sunset Velvet** *O. vulcanicola* Lime green foliage on pinkish red stems has hints of copper, plus in spring and fall turns many shades of gold, orange, and pink. Sunny yellow flowers in early summer with some rebloom through fall. Also known as butterfly shamrock because the fanshaped leaves fold down for the night. 8–12"h
- up to 2.5" across. 6–8"h A284 **Mr. Majestic** , —Red and gold alternate on the petals. Cheerful in the garden or in containers. 12"h ♣ A285 **New World Strawberry Blonde** , —Imagine one marigold plant displaying colors from dark pink to yellow. Each flower opens a deep rosy russet and then gradually changes through salmon into straw yellow at maturity. Colors
 - straw yellow at maturity. Colors change more quickly during the heat of summer and slow with cooler weather in fall. 8–10"h by 6–8"w
- A286 **Pinwheel** @—Single, heirloom variety dating back to 1791 with dark red and gold alternating on the petals. 24–36"h &

Marigold, Signet Tagetes tenuifolia

Lovely bright carpet of tiny single flowers. Feathery foliage has a pleasant, citrusy scent. The best for edible flowers. 9-12"h \clubsuit

\$6.00—6 plants in a pack:
A294 Lemon Gem , Yellow.
A295 Tangerine Gem , Orange.

See also TARRAGON, MEXICAN, page 10

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- 🙆 Rock garden
- Cold-sensitive: keep above 40°F
- S Toxic to humans
- 👜 Saturday restock

A376 Phlox, Night 🙉

- Zaluzianskya capensis Vanilla-like fragrance permeates the evening garden when the tiny maroon and white bell-shaped flowers open. Foliage forms a tidy low mat. All the rage in Britain thanks to its distinctive scent. 12"h \bigcirc
- \$3.00—4 plants in a pack Pincushion Flower Scabiosa atropurpurea
- Great cut flowers in summer: the more you cut, the more it blooms. Ow

\$3.00—4 plants in a pack:

A377 **Black Knight** — Honey-scented 2" flowers are such a dark burgundy they look almost black. Dotted with white stamens like sprinkles on a dark chocolate cupcake. 24–36"h

\$5.00—6 plants in a pack:

A378 **Summer Fruits** (III) @—Purple, purple-black, raspberry, and pink. 32–36"h *****

Polka Dot Hypoestes phyllostachya

Green foliage splashed and speckled with colors. Good for containers, in a terrarium, or in a miniature garden. $\bigcirc \bigcirc \textcircled{R}$

\$3.00—4 plants in a pack:

A379 Confetti Pink @— 6"h A380 Confetti White @— 6"h

\$5.00—4" pot:

A381 **Hippo Red** ∰—Speckled bright red and dark green foliage makes this plant an unusual and complementary companion in mixed containers. 16–22"h by 8–14"w

Petunias Petunia O 📽 🚱

Mounding Petunias

Ideal fillers for annual baskets and containers, or for sunny gardens.

\$3.00—4 plants in a pack:

- A341 **Carpet Mix** @—Compact plants with many 2" flowers. The heaviest bloomers. 6–12"h
- A342 Carpet Pink 🕮—6–12"h
- A343 **Carpet Plum** @—Deep fuchsia with burgundy whiskers. 6–12"h
- A344 Carpet Sky Blue 🕮—6–12"h
- A345 Carpet White #-6-12"h
- A346 **Dreams Midnight** @ Deep purple 3–4" flowers that hold up well in rain. 8–12"h
- A347 Dreams Red 🕮—8–12"h
- A348 **Hula Hoop Blue** A—Ruffled and early-blooming dark purple with a wide white ring. Compact and uniform. 12"h
- A349 **Hula Hoop Rose** Magenta with a wide white ring. 12"h
- A350 **Merlin Morn Blue (ED)** —Dense display of 2.5" purple flowers with deep white throats on compact plants. Good weather tolerance. 8–12"h by 12–14"w
- A351 **Prism Sunshine** *€* Flowers up to 4" in shades of dark yellow at the center to cream at the edge. 12–14"h
- A352 **Supercascade Burgundy** *P. grandiflora #*—Dark-eyed 4.5" flowers. Good drought tolerance. 10"h

A382 **Poppy** and Papaver somniferun

Papaver somniferum

Lauren's Grape Plum with an almost white center, silvery foliage. Cheerful flowers in a range of colors, shapes, and petal styles. Interesting seed pods follow. May self-seed. 27"h O (2)

\$3.00—6 plants in a pack

See more POPPY, page 38

Poppy, California *Eschscholzia californica* Tough and drought-tolerant. Prefers low-fertility soils and good drainage. Can be cut back for rebloom. May self-seed. ○●

\$3.00—seed packets:

A383 **Orange**—A carpet of orange with fine foliage. 12–16"h & Orank

\$3.50—seed packets:

A384 **Mix**—Red, pink, orange, yellow, and white flowers. 12–16"h

A385 Sage, Canary Island 🚙

Salvia canariensis Lancelot

Summer spikes of lavender flowers with papery magenta-purple bracts that remain colorful when the flowers are done blooming. Fuzzy, wrinkled, spearshaped silver foliage on thick stems that are densely covered in wooly white hairs. Deer- and rabbitresistant. Easy, but provide good drainage. 36–42"h by 24–30"w 🔿 \$5.00—6 plants in a pack

A386 Sage, Hummingbird 🕮

Salvia subrotunda

Red-orange flowers that bloom all summer until frost. Hummingbirds love it. Attractive heart-shaped leaves. From Brazil. 48"h Or \$6.00—6 plants in a pack

Trailing Petunias

These spreading varieties are great in baskets and containers. They can also be trained to a trellis or obelisk.

\$3.00—4 plants in a pack:

A361 **Violet-Flowered** *P. integrifolia* —Small, dark magenta blossoms. Trailing, self-cleaning; good for mass plantings. A spectacular wildflower from Argentina that blooms from spring until frost. Self-seeds pleasantly. 12–18"h by 20–30"w

\$5.00—4" pot:

- A362 **ColorRush Pink (Ⅲ)** ← Bubblegum pink 2–3" flowers with deep pink veins and a dark throat. Blooms heavily. Fertilize weekly. 10–12"h by 24–36"w
- A363 **Itsy Magenta** ← All of the 1" electric purple-pink flowers you could possibly want. The centers are darker. One of the U of M's Top Ten annuals for 2021. 4–6"h by 18–24"w

A364 Itsy White Im Im Simple white flowers with a yellow-green center are about the size of a silver dollar, but cover the plant as it spreads out. Blooms and blooms from spring until frost. 4–6"h by 18–27"w

A365 **Midnight Gold** —Double 2" flowers have dark purple (almost black) petals with narrow cream margins. 8–10"h by 20–26"w

A366 **Pink Diamond (Ⅲ)** *#*—Large, double flowers have pink petals with white margins. 8–10"h by 20–26"w



A biennial grown for its fabulous fuzzy leaves in large silver rosettes, flat on the ground. A spike of white flowers will develop in the second year. Plant it where people can bend over to pet it. $12^{"h} \bigcirc 0^{"m} \Im$ \$5.00-4" pot

Salvia Salvia

California

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Garden favorites with aromatic foliage. Very heat-tolerant and generally upright. $\bigcirc {f O}$

\$3.00—4 plants in a pack:

- A388 **Evolution Violet** *S. farinacea* → Crowded with violet 6" flower spikes that keep blooming. 18"h **W**
- A389 **Forest Fire** *S. coccinea ♣*—Scarlet flowers well above the foliage. 18"h ‰ Y
- A390 **Summer Jewel Pink** *S. coccinea* Spikes of light pink flowers. Long bloom season. Highly rated in the U of M pollinator trials. 18"h & W
- A391 **Summer Jewel Red** *S. coccinea* ← Half-inch red flowers pack the flower spikes. Blooms two weeks earlier than other salvias and then continues to bloom through fall. Bounces back after wind and rain. Highly rated in the U of M pollinator trials. 20"h by 16"w 🌋 🍸
- A392 **Victoria Blue** *S. farinacea* , Deep blue flower spikes. Blooms late spring into fall. Tolerates shade better than many salvias. 15–24"h by 9–18'w & ★ ★
- \$5.00—4" pot:
- A393 **Amistad** Deep purple flowers bloom spring to frost on tall, dark stems. Dense, shrub-like plant. Good in a large container. The name means "friendship" in Spanish. 36–48"h ▲ 🐨 🔭
- A394 **Black and Bloom** *S. guaranitica* ∰—The stems and backs of the tubular 1–2" flowers are nearly black. Licorice-scented leaves. Prefers some shade in the afternoon. An improvement on the classic Black and Blue salvia. 36–48"h ♣₩**★**
- A396 **Bodacious Smokey Jazz (III)** -Black bud cases with magenta-purple flowers. 18–36"h **Y**
- A397 Mystic Spires Blue Purplish blue spikes bloom spring to frost. 24"h 🕸 🍸
- A398 Mysty S. farinacea (IEI) ← Purple-blue flowers on a more compact version of Mystic Spires that won't over-run other plants in mixed containers. 12–18"h by 28" w & S
- A399 **Roman Red** *S. splendens* () → Wibrant red flowers emerge from burgundy bud cases. Blooms early summer to frost with light deadheading. 28–34"h & %
- A400 **Skyscraper Orange** Spikes of fiery orange flowers are a genetic breakthrough in salvia color. Matching orange-tinged bud cases. Blooms from late spring into fall. 14–28"h
- \$6.00—5.25" pot:
- A401 Mirage Cherry Red S. greggii (ED) -Intensely red tubular flowers all summer. Red + tubular = hummingbirds. 12–14"h
- \$6.00—6 plants in a pack:

pink flowers. It should become quite bushy. Can

be brought indoors for the winter. Formerly

A403 Peach S. splendens -Wild form with peach-

A353 **Supercascade Salmon** *P. grandiflora* —Pink to salmon-pink 4.5" flowers. 10"h

\$5.00—4" pot:

- A354 **Bee's Knees** ADD Colorfast bright pastel yellow with lighter edges. 8–10"h by 16–22"w
- A355 **CannonBall Blue** (TD) @—Large flowers are deep bluepurple. 6–10"h by 8–12"w
- A356 **Crazytunia Black Mamba (Ⅲ)** *@*—Star-shaped flowers, black to dark purple, with light purple near the center. Blooms late spring to early autumn. One of the blackest petunias. 10–12"h by 12–18"w
- A357 **Crazytunia Mayan Sunset** (III) @—Flowers in shades of pink and orange with yellow throats. 12–14"h by 18–24"w
- A358 **Crazytunia Ultra Violet** @—Magenta flower with pink edges and a starburst center of darkest purple. A tough, small petunia that's not bothered by bad weather. 10–12"h
- A359 Littletunia Pink Frills (Ⅲ) → Small pink flowers with scalloped edges are pale pink toward yellow throats. Blooms summer into fall. 6–8"h by 10–12"w
- A360 **Ray Pistachio Cream** American Ame



A367 **Sanguna Mango Punch** (E) #— Flowers open light apricot, then turn watermelon pink. All colors on plant at once.

Petunia

Dark blue flowers sprinkled with white. It's like having a starry night during the day. 10–12"h by 18–24"w

- A369 **Tidal Wave Cherry (III)** @—Dark magenta. Vigorous. 16–22"h by 30–60"w
- A370 **Tidal Wave Silver** # White flowers with a purple throat and veining. 6–8"h by 36–48"w

A371 Wild Red Petunia Petunia exserta 🕬

Star-faced crimson 2.5" flowers with long nectar tubes and prominent stamens and stigma. It's the only petunia pollinated by hummingbirds, and the only red wild petunia. Let us know if your hummingbirds like it. In 2007, only 14 plants were found growing in Brazil in shaded cracks on sandstone towers. Said to bloom sooner when root bound. Blooms early summer to fall. An upright plant, more like a flowering tobacco plant. 24"h \$5.00—4" pot

See also MILLION BELLS, SUPERCAL, page 27

See also SAGE above and pages 10 and 39

A404 Silver Nickel Vine 🛲

called Pink. 48–60"h 🕸 🐨 🍾

Dichondra argentea Silver Falls

Rounded, fan-shaped silver foliage that trails; great for hanging baskets. Heat- and drought-tolerant. 2–4"h by 36-72"w $\bigcirc \bigcirc$ \$3.00–2.5" pot

Snapdragon Antirrhinum

Garden classic for great cut flowers early summer to fall. Deer-resistant. \bigcirc

\$3.00—4 plants in a pack:

- A405 Madam Butterfly Mix @—Double azalea-type flowers in a wide range of colors. 24–30"h A406 Rocket Mix @—Tall, great for cut flowers. 36"h A407 Speedy Sonnet Pink @—Lightly scented pink flowers with a small yellow or peachy lip. The Speedy Sonnet series blooms extra early and needs a bit less sunlight than the Sonnet series. 18–24"h by 6"w
- A408 **Speedy Sonnet Purple** Agenta purple. 18–24"h by 6"w
- A409 **Speedy Sonnet Yellow** @—Butter yellow flower with cream margins. 18–24"h by 6"w

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Annuals

Snapdragon continued

\$5.00—6 plants in a pack:

- A410 **Potomac Appleblossom** White dusted with dark pink on the lower petal. 40–60"h
- A411 **Potomac Dark Orange** -Orange with hints of yellow and pink. 40–60"h
- A412 **Rocket Bronze** Shades of pink, yellow, and peach. 30–36"h by 16–18"w
- A413 **Rocket Cherry** #—Medium red with a pinkish cast. 36"h by 16–18"w

Snapdragon, Chantilly Antirrhinum

Open-faced, jumbo flowers cluster on strong stems in spring and fall. Longer-lasting in the garden and in the vase than traditional snapdragons. \bigcirc

- \$3.00—4 plants in a pack:
- A414 **Deep Orange** Aunomous Balmon flowers. 30–40"h
- A415 **Light Salmon** @—Light gold to peach flowers. 30–40"h
- A416 **Purple** Orchid. 36–40"h

Snapdragon, Dwarf Antirrhinum

A snapdragon for edging. Heat- and frost-tolerant. $\bigcirc \mathbb{O}$

- \$3.00—4 plants in a pack:
- A417 **Chimes Mix** @—Mix of reds, pinks, purples, yellow, and white. Early. 6–8"h
- A418 **Twinny Peach** Looking more like butterflies than dragons, these are double flowers. Peach is shorthand for shades of melon, peach, yellow, and light orange blended together, a unique range of colors for a snapdragon. Plant with blues and purples, especially purple foliage. 12"h 💥

Spiderflower Cleome hassleriana

Whiskery, fragrant flower clusters on robust yet airy plants. Performs well through heat and drought. Self-seeds for next year. Useful for backgrounds and large beds; a cottage garden classic. Seeds are eaten by finches and juncos. $\bigcirc \bigcirc \& \checkmark$

- \$3.00—4 plants in a pack:
- A419 **Rose Queen @**—5–6" flower clusters. 36–60"h A420 **Violet Queen @**—36–60"h
- A42| White Queen @—36-60"h

\$5.00—4" pot:

- A422 **Clio Magenta** -4-6" flower clusters. Does not produce seed so it just keeps blooming. No thorns or sticky foliage. 18-36"h
- \$5.00—6 plants in a pack:
- A423 **Cherry Queen** Bright pink 3–8" flower heads look tropical. 36–48"h

Spurge, Annual Euphorbia

Such useful, trouble-free plants. Deer- and rabbitresistant. Avoid the irritating sap common to all *Euphorbia*. $\bigcirc \mathbb{Q}$

\$5.00—4" pot:

- A424 **Ascot Rainbow** @—In summer, narrow 2" bluish green leaves with yellow edges encircle the upright stems. The edges, stems, and new growth redden to shades of coral and burgundy in fall. Although the foliage is the big show, in spring many long-lasting yellow-green and sage green flower-like cups with red centers (where the nectar is) appear above the foliage. Each cup holds the actual tiny flower parts. Could survive our winters if given excellent drainage. 18–36"h ♣ 🗑
- A425 **Flame Leaf**—Small, delicate-looking purple-black leaves with fine chartreuse margins on wiry stems. Tough bushy plant from the Amazon can be a houseplant, but is at its best as a filler in

A429 Strawflower 🙉

Xerochrysum bracteatum Monster Rose

Abundant 2.5" daisies in summer have glossy deep pink petal-like bracts that are densely packed and cupped around a large yellow center. These stiff bracts actually move to hide and reveal the center in response to light levels. Stems may need some support. Longlasting papery flowers in the garden, for arrangements, and for dried flowers. Also known as everlasting flower and paper daisy. Formerly *Helichrysum*. 48"h by 36"w \$3.00—4 plants in a pack

Sun Daisy Osteospermum

Cheerful 3" daisies. Excellent for cutting. Colors are most vibrant in sun. \bigcirc

\$6.00—4" pot:

- A430 **4D Berry White** Auge, central burgundyviolet pompom composed of petals keeps the purple-tipped white outer petals open even on cloudy days. 8–12"h
- A431 **FlowerPower Spider Purple** The middle third of each pinkish violet petal is tightly rolled, creating a spoon at the tip. The unusual flower looks like a strange sea creature. 10–14"h
- A432 FlowerPower Spider White (E) @—White petals start out daisy-like at center, narrow and curl in on themselves midway, and finish with little "spoons" at the tips. Trim after spring bloom to encourage fall blossoms. 10–14"h %
- A433 **Margarita Orange Flare** —Orange petals blend to gold towards a dark center. Our grower thinks it looks like a solar eclipse. 10–12"h
- A434 **Zion Copper Amethyst** @ —Petals have orange tips blending to pinkish purple around dark blue centers. Named for the colors found in Zion National Park in Utah. 10–16"h by 12–20"w
- A435 **Zion Purple Sun** @—Gold-orange petals blend to deep pink to purple around a yellow-dotted center. 16–20"h

Sunflower Helianthus annuus

Late summer and fall bloomers, sunflowers are the sentinels of the garden, loved by children and birds alike. Cultivated by southwestern Native peoples as early as 3000 B.C., then taken to Europe by the Spanish around 1500 A.D. It's likely that they will self-seed next year if left in the garden over winter. \bigcirc

\$3.00—seed packets:

- A436 **Evening Colors Blend** (TD)—Flowers on each plant vary from gold to pale yellow with dusty rose to pink rings. Large brown centers. Long stems make for great bouquets. 96"h & COMM
- A437 **Hella Sonnenblume (TED**—Dwarf plant with numerous 4" gold flowers on sturdy straight stems. Perfect for bouquets. Long vase life. 24–36"h
- A438 **Hopi Black Dye**—Yellow 5–12" flowers with edible purple-black seeds that will color your fingers purple. The Hopi people use this dye for fabric and baskets. With different treatments, dye colors include blues, purples, maroons, and even black. 72–132"h MARK
- A439 Mammoth Russian (ED)—Giant stems hold up 12" yellow flowers. Abundant gray-striped seeds. A real kid-pleaser and popular in gardens since the 1800s. (90 days for seeds.) 144–168"h - Grant
- A440 **Red Blend** (NEW)—A range of reds and bicolors. 4–8" flowers, good for cutting. 60–72"h (Market

\$3.50—seed packets:

A441 **Autumn Beauty** (TED)—A fall palette of 6–8" red, gold, rust, and burgundy flowers on multiple branches. Many bicolored, with deep chocolate

Sweet William Dianthus barbatus

Old-fashioned beauty and fragrance. Clove-scented. $\bigcirc \P \circledast$

\$3.00—4 plants in a pack:

A449 Wee Willie @—Mix of scented red, pink, and white bicolors. Self-seeds. 6"h

\$5.00—4" pot:

A450 **Green Ball** ——Soft, mossy-looking, spherical flowers are light green. Floral arrangers love them for their weirdness and how long they last after being cut. Blooms spring into fall. 10–14"h

Tobacco, Flowering Nicotiana

Fragrant, long-blooming trumpets. Most are outfacing. Excellent nectar source for hummingbirds and moths (including the hummingbird-like sphinx moth). Seeds for finches and juncos. May self-seed. $\bigcirc \bigcirc \Im$

\$3.00—4 plants in a pack:

A45| Saratoga Red @—Dark red flowers. 12–18"h

\$5.00—6 plants in a pack:

- A452 **Cranberry Isle (19)** *@*—White, pink, mauve, lilac, violet, and dark purple flowers, some with darker veining. A reintroduced heirloom hybrid. 36–48"h by 30"w **Y**
- A453 **Lime** *N. alata* Light chartreuse 1" trumpets bloom profusely for three months. Looks especially great with blue flowers. 24–36"h
- A454 Whisper Deep Mix—Flowers in white and shades of pink. A nice addition to a moon garden since its evening scent attracts nocturnal moths. 36–48"h
- A455 White to Rose *N. mutabilis*—Each flower starts out white and changes to pink then rose, all colors at once. Hummingbird favorite. 36–60"h 🍾
- A456 **Woodland** *N. sylvestris* Very elongated, drooping white flowers form fountains on tall stems. Huge leaves. Sweetly scented. More shadetolerant than other tobaccos. 48–60"h

Tuberose Polianthes tuberosa

Fragrant, star-faced trumpets used in the best Hawaiian leis. A single flower from a spike of successive blossoms is enough to perfume a whole room. This tender perennial is usually grown here as an annual, but you can dig up and store the bulb dry for the winter. $\bigcirc \bigcirc \Im$

\$9.00—5.25" pot:

- A457 Single 🖏—White. 36"h
- A458 **The Pearl** @—White 2" double flowers bloom in summer from pinkish buds. 15–36"h

\$13.00—5.25" pot:

A459 **Cinderella** — Lavender-pink single. 18–30"h

Verbena Verbena

Trailing brilliant colors. Heat- and drought-tolerant. \bigcirc

\$3.00—4 plants in a pack:

- A460 **Imagination** *V. tenuisecta* ——Large clusters of deep blue-violet flowers. Feathery foliage. One of garden writer Marge Hols's all-time favorites. Self-seeds. 12"h by 20"w
- A461 **Obsession Blue with Eye** Surple and white. 6–12"h
- A462 **Obsession Coral with Eye (Ⅲ)** @—Orangey pink with a white eye. 6–8"h by 10–12"w

\$5.00—4" pot:

- A463 **Lanai Bright Eye (TED)** -Light pink with a deep pink eyes. 6–10"h by 20–24"w
- A464 Mango Orange I a A464 Mango Orange with an



unless noted otherwise.



Flowering tobacco

> Plants marked with

outdoor containers. 8–12"h 😤

- A426 **Star Dust Super Flash** @—Snowflakes of tiny white flowers look delicate but the plant is weather-resistant and low-maintenance. Will mound on its own or can mingle with vigorous annuals like petunias. Blooms until frost without deadheading. A great filler plant. Heat and drought tolerant, and deer-resistant. 8–18"h by 18–24"w
- A427 **Walberton's Ruby Glow** *E. amygdaloides* (MD) *Compared Compared Com*

A428 Star Flower 🙉 🔍

Isotoma axillaris Fizz 'n' Pop Glowing Violet Nectar-rich purple flowers have a small white and chartreuse center. Mounds of fragrant 1" star-shaped flowers that bloom until frost. Leaves have irregular, spiky edges. Good along paths. Formerly *Laurentia*. 8-12"h $\bigcirc \oplus$ \$5.00—4" pot centers. May produce two dozen flowers per plant. Good cut flower. You will attract chickadees and goldfinches to your garden as the seed heads mature. 60–84"h & Mark

A442 **Tarahumara (NEW)**—Single 8–10" yellow flowers produce delicious plump white seeds. Heads droop down when mature. Cover heads with netting if you want the seed for yourself. (80 days for seeds.) 72–108"h ₩ — **Drawk**

Sweet Potato Vine Ipomoea batatus

Vigorous trailing vine can romp among your flowers or cascade from baskets or containers. $\bigcirc \bigcirc \circledast \$

\$4.00—3.5" pot:

A443 Blackie , Dark purple. 6–10"h by 24–36"w
A444 Bright Ideas Rusty Red Geometry Greenish yellow leaves flushed with pinkish red. Red veins. From a short distance, foliage appears light cinnamon. More bushy than trailing. 8–12"h by 18–24"w
A445 Marguerite , Chartreuse. 6–10"h by 24–36'w

\$6.00—4" pot:

- A446 Illusion Emerald Lace @—Almost spidery chartreuse leaves. 6–10"h by 24–36"w
- A448 **Spotlight Black** (E) @—Lacy purplish black leaves. Mounds rather than trails. 8–10"h by 16–20"w

A465 **Vampire (IE)** *A*—Blood red with a dark eye that turns blue in low light—spooky! Did you know that verbena was thought to be poisonous to vampires? 12–14"h

especially good for bees

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unless noted otherwise.

Plant widths are similar to their heights

Annuals

Key

- Full sun● Part sun/part shade
- Shade

Attractive to bees

- Audubon-endorsed
- W Butterfly-friendly
- Y Hummingbird-friendly
- Attractive foliage
- 🖑 Culinary
- A Edible flowers
- Ground cover
- 😤 Houseplant
- dedicinal Medicinal
- ☆ Minnesota native☆ Rock garden
- Cold-sensitive: keep above 40°F
- Toxic to humans
- 🕮 Saturday restock



The little truck means we'll be restocking this plant on Saturday morning.



A466 Verbena, Brazilian 🕬

Verbena bonariensis

Looks particularly nice with grasses and butterfly flower (*Asclepias curassavica*). Self-seeds. Tiny, tubular lilac flowers in fragrant 2" pompoms held on stiff, almost leafless silvery stems. Blooms summer to early fall and makes a good cut flower. Deer-resistant, drought-tolerant, and easy. It's no wonder many gardeners consider it indispensable. 48"h by 24"w $\bigcirc \bigcirc$ \$5.00—6 plants in a pack

A467 Verbena, Slender 🕮 🕀

Verbena rigida Dazzling Nights

Rounded clusters of magenta-purple flowers. Similar to Brazilian verbena, but shorter and with bigger, brighter flowers. Long bloom period and nectar-rich. Heat, drought, deer, and rabbits do not bother it. Also known as sandpaper verbena because of its rough-textured leaves. 14-18"h \bigcirc \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ 5.00-6 plants in a pack

Vinca Catharanthus

Ever-blooming, open-faced flowers in abundance. Thrives in summer heat. Low maintenance and stays neat until frost. Glossy, mounding foliage. $\bigcirc \bigcirc \clubsuit \otimes$

\$3.00—4 plants in a pack:

- A468 **Cooler Mix** *C. roseus #* 14"h \leq A469 **Cooler Peppermint** *C. roseus #*—White with red eve. 6–12"h \leq
- A470 **Pacifica Red** *C. roseus* # — True red. 16"h 🚽
- A472 **Tattoo Raspberry CED** *Composition* Pink petals brushed with purple
- around a purple eye. 12"h by 8"w % ***** \$5.00-4" pot:
- A473 Quasar Red Target (III) @—Deep pink. 12"h by 18"w
- A474 Quasar Salmon Target (E) @—Pinkish orange with a dark eye. 12"h by 18"w

Vinca

A475 Vinca Vine 🖓

Vinca major Expoflora Long trailing vine holds green foliage with wide, irregular white edges. Blue blossoms may occur in full sun. Great for containers. 6-12"h $\bigcirc \bigcirc \circledast$

\$5.00—4" pot

Wishbone Flower Torenia

A treasure for shaded beds and pots. Colorful 1" flowers. Look for the little "wishbones" hidden inside the flower. Deer-resistant. \bigcirc

\$3.00—4 plants in a pack:

A476 **Clown Blue** *T. fournieri @*—Light and dark blue. 8–10"h

- A477 Clown Lemon T. fournieri 🛲 —8–10"h
- A478 Clown Mix T. fournieri 🕮—8–10"h
- \$5.00—4" pot:
- A480 **Summer Wave Large Blue** —From our grower: "One of our favorite local designers has to have this elegant, easy-to-grow shade beauty in her clients' gardens and containers." Almost 2" flowers are two shades of blue, with little or no white. One of the 2010 U of M Best Performers. 8–10"h by 10–20"w

Zinnia Zinnia elegans (exceptions noted)

Bright colors and continuous bloom, especially with deadheading. Long-lasting cut flowers. Make sure they have adequate air circulation to reduce mildew. Easy from seed. Deer-resistant. \bigcirc

\$3.00—4 plants in a pack:

- A482 Lilliput Mix @—This zinnia series is a particular magnet for butterflies. 18–24"h 🕱
- A483 **Mazurkia** Scarlet petals with cream tips on double and semi-double 3" flowers. Blooms earlier in the season than other zinnias of this type. Ideal cut flowers. 24–30"h 😿
- A484 **Pop Art Red & White** (ID) #—Double 2–3" flowers have white petals that are striped, splashed, and speckled with red. 24"h by 12"w
- A485 **Red Super Cactus** Fully double 4–6" red flowers with curled and quilled petals. 20–30"h
- A486 **State Fair Mix** @—Huge flowers up to 6" across. Good for cutting. 36–48"h 💥
- A487 Swizzle Cherry Ivory @-3.5" bicolor. 6-12"h
- \$3.50—seed packets:
- A488 Jazzy Mix Z. haageana—A kaleidoscope of color and pattern. Semi-double to double burgundy, chestnut, yellow, and orange with cream, red, or yellow tips. 24–36"h ₩
- A489 **Persian Carpet Mix** *Z. haageana*—A sparkly mix of 2" double to semi-double flowers in yellow, orange, mahogany, gold, and burgundy with a few cream and red flowers thrown in. Most flowers are bicolor with contrasting centers or petal tips. A tough plant that thrives despite heat, drought, and wind. Best to direct sow since it does not enjoy being transplanted. Blooms steadily midsummer to frost. A different species than garden zinnias, it has narrower leaves and is bushier. 1952 All-American Selections winner. 16"h ♣ ₩
- A490 Whirlygig Mix—Bright 3–4.5" flowers, most with contrasting color on serrated petal tips. Colors include cream, pink, deep rose, scarlet, yellow, and orange. Single to semi-double daisies on bushy plants. 20"h & ∰ ★
- \$6.00—6 plants in a pack:
- A491 **Benary's Giant Lime** *c*Fully double chartreuse 4–5" flowers. 40–50"h
- A492 **Benary's Giant Mix** Fully double 4–5" flowers in a rainbow of colors. 40–50"h
- A493 **Benary's Giant Wine ∰**—Fully double burgundy 4–5" flowers resembling double dahlias. 36"h
- A494 **Cupcakes Deep Orange** —Intense reddish orange 2" double flowers with a sprinkling of gold around the center. The many layers of petals do look the way an overly enthusiastic cupcake decorator might make a frosting flower. There will be a few semi-double and single flowers, too. Great cut flower and dries well. 24–30"h

Zinnia continued

\$6.00—6 plants in a pack (continued):

- A495 **Cupcakes Rose** Hot pink with a light sprinkling of orange. The many layers of petals do look the way an overly enthusiastic cupcake decorator might make a frosting flower. There will be a few semi-double and single flowers, too. Great cut flower and dries well. 24–30"h
- A496 **Inca** —Sun-worshipping fiery orange 5" double flowers. Looks great with blue salvia. 36–40"h
- A497 **Pinca** Fully double peachy pink 6" flowers. Great as a cut flower or just massed in your garden bed. 36"h
- A498 Queen Lime Orange A 3" globe of deeply fluted petals that shade from salmon or coral through peach to slightly greenish yellow, then lighten as the blossom develops. Rosy red center. Mostly double and semi-double. Lasts about three weeks as a cut flower. 24–40"h 5%
- A499 **Queen Lime Red** A—Muted burgundy outer petals grade to lime around the center with shades of rose, mauve, and soft chartreuse. Each flower a little different. Double or semi-double. 40–50"h 😿
- A500 **Zowie Yellow Flame** —Each flower opens as a single 3–5" yellow daisy with magenta near the center, then day by day adds more petal layers while changing to orange-red with gold tips. The dark red central cone is quite prominent at first and then it retreats under the additional petals, but always with a ring of starry yellow mini-flowers (florets) like a crown. Lasts up to two weeks as a cut flower. Monarchs love this variety and goldfinches enjoy the seeds. AAS Winner 2006 and many gardeners' favorite zinnia. 24–36"h 🗑

Zinnia, Dwarf Zinnia

Compact with bright, clear colors. Easy to grow and blooms until frost. \bigcirc

- \$3.00—4 plants in a pack:
- A501 **Profusion Cherry** -Mound-forming and mildew-resistant. 12"h
- A502 **Profusion Double Cherry** Saturated rosy pink. 12"h
- A503 Profusion Mix @—12"h
- A504 Profusion Orange @—12"h
- A505 Profusion White @—12"h
- A506 **Zahara Double Raspberry Ripple** -Semidouble 2.5" flowers are pink and white striped. The white petal margins are tinged with pink in cooler weather, becoming whiter in hot weather. 16–20"h
- A507 **Zahara Starlight Rose** @—2.5" bicolor, white with a rose starburst in the center. 8–12"h
- A508 **Zahara Sunburst** Large, vibrant yellow blossoms reveal dark central stripes that widen later in summer and fall. 12–18"h

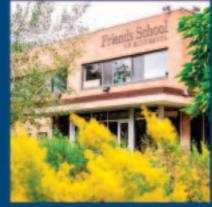
\$6.00—6 plants in a pack:

- A510 Zahara Double Salmon Rose -Bright, slightly orangey pink. 16–20"h

Wishbone flower A481 **Summer Wave Silver (ID)** @—Very pale lilac with a purple throat. 8–10"h by 20–36"w **Y**







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