

Annual Flowers

Indoor/Outdoor Plants 🌡️

These taller plants, mostly in large pots, will not fit on our regular tables, so we locate them separately. They're meant to be brought indoors for the winter so you can bring them back outside again next year. Or they can be used as annuals for tropical effect if you don't have room to bring them indoors.

Heights are given when possible. Some are trees in their native habitats, but when grown here in pots and moved inside every winter, their height is limited.

African Milk Bush

Synadenium grantii

Large succulent from east central Africa with leathery leaves in apple green splashed with maroon. Inconspicuous flowers. Easy to take care of, but will drop its lower leaves to tell you it's being over or under-watered. Up to 20' tall in the tropics, and will grow several inches a month, but in a container with well-drained soil it will stay a manageable size here. Be very careful to avoid the caustic sap which does not blister right away, but hours later. 48–72" h ☺

A001 \$4.00—4.5" pot

A002 \$7.00—6" pot 🌱

A003 **Banana, Abyssinian** 🌱

Ensete ventricosum Maurelii

Dark green leaves flushed with burgundy-red, especially in the new growth and when in full sun. Winters well in the house. Does not like to dry out. 72–84" h ☺🌱

\$12.00—6" pot

A004 **Brush Cherry,**

Three-Sphere Topiary 🌱

Eugenia myrtifolia

If you ever wanted to have one of those topiaries that are made up of spheres of small leaves, here's your chance. Tall, slender, and elegant. 60" h ☺

\$39.00—3 gal. pot

A005 **Cactus, Smooth Green**

Nopalea cochenillifera

Smooth, paddle-shaped pads that cluster in every direction. They appear to have no spines, but do have tiny ones, so watch out. Red flowers winter to early spring. Makes a curious and spectacular ornamental with its multiple "ears." Grown for thousands of years as a fruit crop, as its tender young pads are also eaten. Gigantic where hardy, it is easy to grow in a container and bring inside for our winters. Propagates readily. ☺

\$17.00—2 gal. pot

A006 **Caladium Caladium** 🌱

Large leaves unfold in shades of red, pink, green, and white, providing color in shade. The hotter and more humid it gets, the better caladium looks, provided water is available. Varieties: Frieda Hemple (red), White Queen (white and pink), Candidum (white), Freida Halderman (pink), Florida Elise (pink). 24" h 🌱🌱☺

\$9.00—6" pot

A007 **Caribbean Copper Plant**

Euphorbia cotinifolia Burgundy Wine 🌱

Doesn't look like much at the sale, but grows into a smokebush-like plant with unusual dark red foliage. Useful for height in mixed containers. Bring it in for the winter; grows quickly into a small tree. May get as tall as 48" in the first season. 36" h ☺🌱☺

\$3.00—3.5" pot

Elephant Ears

Easy to grow in the garden and over-winter indoors. Thrives in full sun and moist soil, but does well in part sun, too. ☺🌱

\$10.00—6" pot:

A008 **Black Magic** *Colocasia* 🌱—Dramatic, dusty purplish black foliage. 36–72" h

A009 **Blue Hawaii** *Colocasia* 🌱—Vibrant blue-purple veins and margins on green leaves. Stems and the veins on the underside of the leaves are burgundy. 48" h ☺

A010 **Coffee Cups** *Colocasia* 🌱—Glossy olive green leaves with dark purple stems, beautifully cupped so that the leaves catch the rain. 36–60" h

Elephant Ears continued

\$10.00—6" pot (continued):

A011 **Heart of the Jungle** *Colocasia* 🌱**NEW** 🌱—Attractively wrinkled leaves with rippled edges are green brushed generously with bluish black. Deep purple stems. 30–60" h 🌱

\$15.00—5.25" pot:

A012 **Stingray** *Alocasia* 🌱**NEW** 🌱—Resembles the marine animal, not the car. Large, glossy, ribbed, leathery leaves with a long, pointed green tail. Makes a fast-growing container plant. Dappled or morning sun. 36–60" h 🌱

A013 **Hawaiian Ti** 🌱

Cordyline terminalis Red Sister

Broad leaves are plum and deep burgundy with neon pink. A variety of the plant that is traditionally used for grass skirts. Syn. *C. fruticosa*. 36–72" h ☺

\$22.00—3 gal. pot

A014 **Hibiscus** 🌱

Hibiscus Sunny City series

Three stems braided to form a small tree. Available in a range of colors, and they should be blooming at the sale, so you can choose the one you like. Large blooms with crepe-paper-like petals and glossy foliage. 36–48" h ☺

\$15.00—6" pot

A015 **Mandevilla** 🌱

Mandevilla Alice DuPont

Large pink trumpet-shaped blooms. On a 30" trellis. Best in a sunny position, but tolerates partial shade. 72" h ☺

\$15.00—6" pot

A016 **Prickly Pear Variegated**

Opuntia monacantha variegata

Multiple green and cream marbled flat pads. Prefers morning sun. 36–72" h ☺

\$9.00—6" pot

A017 **Rabbit Foot Fern** 🌱**NEW**

Davallia fejeensis

Carrot-like foliage. Named for the furry rhizomes that creep over the rim of the pot. Likes dry soil, so don't over-water. 12–24" h 🌱🌱

\$4.00—3.5" pot

A018 **Sky Flower** 🌱

Duranta erecta Sapphire Showers

Cascading branches with clusters of open-faced, tubular 1" flowers in summer. Each bloom has five bluish purple petals, each one frosted all around with white. Gold berries follow. Mild fragrance. Appreciates frequent deep watering. 144–180" h ☺🌱🌱☺

\$22.00—3 gal. pot

Spikes

Used as a vertical accent. Long, narrow leaves on upright plants. ☺

\$3.00—3.5" pot:

A019 **Green leaves** *Dracaena* 🌱—Traditionally potted with geraniums. 12–30" h 🌱

\$5.00—4" pot:

A020 **Cherry Sensation** *Cordyline* 🌱**NEW** 🌱—Pink leaves striped with bronze. 24–48" h 🌱

\$8.00—5.25" pot:

A021 **Green leaves** *Dracaena* 🌱—Larger plant, over-wintered from last year. A tough-as-nails container plant with an upright vase shape. 30–48" h 🌱

\$13.00—4.5" pot:

A022 **Red Sensation** *Cordyline australis* 🌱—Bronzy red leaves. 36" h 🌱

While this section is called Annual Flowers, the plants in it are not all true annuals, which grow from seed, flower, set new seed, and die all in a single year. Many plants are nonhardy (or "tender") perennials that cannot survive the winter in Minnesota.

In many cases, these tender perennials can be over-wintered as houseplants, under lights, in a cool room, or dormant in the basement.

This Fine Gardening article has details on over-wintering plants indoors: <http://tinyurl.com/hslsrj9>

Alyssum, Sweet *Lobularia maritima*

Forms a thick carpet of tiny flowers, so wonderfully fragrant that it is well worth stooping to smell them. Perfect for edging or overhanging a sunny wall. Good in containers. Easy to grow. ☺🌱

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

A023 **Aphrodite Red** 🌱—4" h by 10" w

A024 **Easter Basket Mix** 🌱—Pink, purple, and white. 3–5" h

A025 **Purple** 🌱—3–5" h

A026 **White** 🌱—3–5" h

\$5.00—4" pot:

Stream series: 2–3" clusters need no deadheading to bloom all summer into fall.

Vigorous, mounded, and semi-trailing

A027 **Purple** 🌱**NEW** 🌱—Deep, unfading purple. 4–8" h by 15" w

A028 **Raspberry** 🌱**NEW** 🌱—Bright rose-purple. 8–12" h by 15" w

A029 **Silver** 🌱**NEW** 🌱—White. 8–12" h by 15" w

A030 **Summer** 🌱**NEW** 🌱—Cream to green. 8" h by 15" w

A031 **Amaranth, Ornamental** 🌱

Amaranthus Tricolor Splendens Perfecta

Colorful leaves of red, yellow, and bright green. The seeds are highly nutritious (90 days) and the young leaves are tasty, as well. Height depends on soil and exposure. Drought-resistant. Reseeds. 36–72" h ☺🌱🌱☺

\$5.00—6 plants in a pack

See more AMARANTH, page 17

Angel Mist *Angelonia angustifolia*

Great garden performer, thriving in heat and wet or dry conditions. Beautiful 1" blooms like tiny orchids late spring to late summer. Excellent in containers and good for cut flowers. From Mexico and the West Indies. 10–14" h ☺

\$4.00—3.5" pot:

A032 **Serena Purple** 🌱—Purple and pink bicolor.

\$5.00—4" pot:

A033 **Archangel Dark Rose** 🌱—Spikes of rose to hot pink speckled with darker pink.

Angel's Trumpet *Datura*

Bushy plant covered with huge, upfacing trumpet-shaped blooms. Give it plenty of space. ☺🌱☺

\$5.00—3.5" pot:

A034 **Double Golden Yellow** *D. metel* 🌱—Fully double (or even triple!) ruffled gold 7" trumpets. Fragrant. 30–36" h ☺

\$6.00—4.5" pot:

A035 **Purple** 🌱—"Hose-in-hose" double purple blooms. (Hose-in-hose refers to its resemblance to the double stockings, with turned back tops, worn by Elizabethan men.) 36" h ☺

A036 **White** 🌱—Single blooms. Self-sows.

36" h ☺

A037 Artichoke

Cynara scolymus Imperial Star

A special variety for northern gardens. Don't harvest the bud (which is edible): let them bloom. The otherworldly purple flowers are worth the sacrifice. Striking architectural plants. 48" h ☺🌱

\$3.00—3.5" pot

A038 Aster, Pot and Patio Mix

Aster hybrids 🌱

Frisly double flowers in a mix of colors. Will bloom all summer, but best early and then again from August to frost. 8" h ☺🌱☺

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack

See more ASTERS, pages 6 and 51

Baby Blue Eyes *Nemophila*

Bouncy, dainty, cupped flowers with five petals. Appreciates afternoon shade or dappled shade: its botanical name means it loves the woodland. Grows quickly and blooms profusely in spring. Reseeds. West coast native. ☺☺

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

A039—**Five Spot** *N. maculata* 🌱—Delicate purple veins and a large purple spot at the tip of each petal. 4–8" h

A040—**Penny Black** *N. menziesii* 🌱—Penny-sized, these saucer-shaped, deep purple to black flowers have scalloped silver-white edges. From spring to August, blooms cover the compact, feathery foliage. Fun to plant in a container with Five Spot. 4–8" h

Bachelor's Buttons *Centaurea cyanus*

Long strong stems ideal for cut flowers. Easy to grow, it makes a beautiful contrast to brighter hued plants. Only the petals are edible. ☺🌱☺

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

A041 **Blue Boy** 🌱—Double blooms in a stunning shade of blue. 30" h

\$5.00—6 plants in a pack:

A042 **Midnight** 🌱—Nearly black, fluffy double blooms. 36" h

Bacopa *Sutera cordata*

Many simple, five-petaled flowers. Trailing, great for containers. Drought-tolerant. ☺

\$3.00—3.5" pot:

A043 **White** 🌱—Tiny white flowers. 12" h

\$5.00—4" pot:

A044 **Bahia Purple Sand** 🌱—Blue-violet flowers. 6–10" h

A045 **Great Dark Pink** 🌱—Dark pink flowers. 4–8" h

A046 **Great Pink Ring** 🌱—Light pink flowers with purple centers. 5" h

A047 **Gulliver Blue Sensation** 🌱—Lavender-blue flowers. 12" h

A048 **Gulliver White** 🌱—Extra large white flowers. Vigorous grower. 6–10" h

Community



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Plant widths are similar to their heights unless noted otherwise.

A049 **Balloon Cotton**

Asclepias physocarpa Oscar

Beloved for its seedpods more than its blooms, even though the flowers are quite pretty in the summer: creamy or greenish white and pink half-inch blooms dangling in loose umbels. But, oh, those seedpods. Funny-looking 2–3" pale green globes look like semi-sheer balloons covered with soft green bristles. Good for flower arrangements. Fast growing. 72"h ○●☺☺
\$5.00—6 plants in a pack

A050 **Balsam**

Impatiens balsamina Camellia Mix

Old-fashioned double flowers in shades of white, pink, red, salmon and violet. Easy to grow and fun to plant for children's gardens because of the exploding seed pods. Likes plentiful moisture. Will reseed. 18"h ○☺☺
\$5.00—6 plants in a pack

A051 **Bear's Breeches**

Acanthus spinosus
Handsome deeply divided leaves with spiny points. The leaves of Greece's Corinthian columns are modeled after these leaves. Can be over-wintered indoors as a beautiful houseplant. If it blooms, the flowers are soft mauve. 48"h ○●
\$7.00—4.5" pot

A052a **Bee Balm**

Monarda hybrida Bergamo

Long-blooming lilac and rose-violet florets in clustered tiers around the stem. Minty-lemony scent. Tangy edible petals can be used for garnishing desserts and salads, or to make tea. Terrific as a cut flower, too. Blooms June until frost. Plant some and see why it won awards in Europe's trial gardens. Mildew resistant and easy to grow. 16–28"h ○☺☺☺
\$5.00—6 plants in a pack

See more BEE BALM, pages 6 and 51

A052b **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. One of the 20 flowers most used in honey production, it's native to the deserts of the Southwest and northern Mexico. ○☺☺☺☺☺
\$2.50—4 plants in a pack

A053 **Begonia, Belleconia**

Begonia Soft Orange

Light peachy orange double flowers with yellow centers. Great for baskets, with cascading leaves reaching 48" in a summer. 10"h ○
\$5.00—4.5" pot

Begonia, Big

Begonia x benariensis
Clusters of 2" flowers held above glossy, pointed foliage. Unfussy and robust, it blooms constantly until frost. Also makes a good houseplant. 12–20"h ○●☺
\$5.00—4" pot:

A054 **Red with Green Leaf** ☺—Fire-engine red.

A055 **Rose with Bronze Leaf** ☺—Rose-pink flowers and bronze-green foliage.

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, dry. Semi-trailing and compact, it can take more sun than the usual begonia. ○●☺
\$5.00—4" pot:

A056 **Crackling Fire Pink**—Glowing pink blooms. 12"h

A057 **Santa Cruz** ☺—Eye-catching profusion of red-orange flowers. 12–15"h

A058 **Sparks Will Fly** ☺—Warm tangerine-orange single flowers that mature to yellow in autumn. Dark green-bronze foliage with lighter veins. 12"h

A059 **Unstoppable Fire**—Brilliant orangey-red flowers are set off by dark, almost black-green leaves. 8"h

A060 **Begonia, Dwarf Trout-Leaf**

Begonia Medora

Speckled like a trout, the small elliptical angel-wing green leaves have a gray sheen and are heavily sprinkled with silver spots. Try planting it among your other shade plants, or in a hanging basket. Bright pink flowers. One of the very easiest begonias, it can be over-wintered indoors. 24–30"h ○●☺☺
\$3.00—3.5" pot

A061 **Begonia, Gryphon**

Begonia
Deeply cut black foliage is lined and marbled with shiny silver. Copper flower spikes. Enjoys being outside for the summer. 14–36"h ○●☺
\$5.00—4" pot

A062 **Begonia, Madame Queen**

Begonia Madame Queen

Glossy 8–10" olive green leaves have red undersides and such tightly and elaborately frilled edges that they appear to have red lace borders. From 1957 and named for the hybridizer's wife, who was called "Madame Queen" by her family. Vigorous. 18–24"h ○●☺☺
\$5.00—4" pot

A063 **Begonia, Rex**

Begonia Jurassic Silver Swirl

Purple-black leaves with a spiral of silvery mint green. Relatively inconspicuous flowers. Also makes an excellent houseplant. 10–16"h ○●☺☺
\$9.00—6" pot

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. ○●☺
\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

A064 **Super Olympia Pink** ☺—Pink flowers. 6–12"h

A065 **Super Olympia White** ☺—White flowers. 6–12"h

\$3.00—4 plants in a pack:

A066 **Bada Bing Scarlet** ☺—Red flowers. 8–10"h

A067 **Bada Boom Rose** ☺—Dark pink flowers. 8–10"h

A068 **Bada Boom White** ☺—Bronze leaves, white flowers. 8–10"h

Begonia, Whopper

Begonia x benariensis
Clusters of 2–3" flowers and glossy, sun-tolerant foliage. A good substitute for impatiens. Robust, and upright. Garden writer Marge Hols is a fan. ○●☺
24–32"h

\$5.00—4.5" pot:

A069 **Red Bronze** **NEW** ☺—Red flowers with bronze foliage.

A070 **Red Green** **NEW** ☺—Red flowers.

A071 **Rose Bronze** **NEW** ☺—Bright pink flowers with bronze foliage.

A072 **Rose Green** **NEW** ☺—Bright pink flowers.

See more BEGONIAS, pages 25 and 27

A073 **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-sows. 20–24"h ○●
\$2.50—4 plants in a pack

Bidens

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No longer plain yellow daisies, these new bidens come in other colors. A good mingler, trailing to 18". Easy. ○☺☺
\$5.00—4" pot:

A074 **Beedance Red Stripe** **NEW** ☺—Red stripes on the outer half of each yellow petal. Stripes are more prominent in spring and fall. 9–12"h by 36–48"w

A075 **Campfire Fireburst** **NEW** ☺—Changes color, from orange lightly brushed with red in spring and fall to orange-red flowers with golden-yellow halos around the centers in the heat of summer. 8–12"h by 18–24"w

A076 **Black Varnish** *Pseuderanthemum* ☺
This glossy foliage is the blackest we've seen. Pink flowers may peek from underneath the foliage. Bring inside for the winter. 18–24"h ○
\$5.00—4" pot

A077 **Cherry Brandy** ☺—The first red-flowered black-eyed Susan. Multiple stems produce 3–4" flowers in shades of an unusual muted cherry-red with a dark brown eye. 20–24"h

A078 **Sahara** **NEW** ☺—Caramel, copper, burgundy, and vintage rose semi-double to fully double blooms with dark centers July to frost. 18–22"h

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. ○●☺☺
\$5.00—6 plants in a pack:

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A079 **Red I. herbstii** ☺—Rounded bronze leaves with red veins and stems. Used by Hmong cooks. 36"h ☺

A080 **Blazin' Rose** ☺—Pointed bronze-burgundy leaves with hot pink veins. Looks great with pink flowers. 12–14"h ☺

A081 **Blue Woodruff** *Asperula orientalis* ☺
A fluffy carpet of lavender flowers will cover even shady areas in mid-summer. Reseeds. 6–12"h ○●☺
\$2.50—4 plants in a pack

A082 **Bush Violet** ☺
Browallia speciosa Starlight Blue
Star-shaped light blue to lavender flowers. Good for hanging baskets or pots. Easy to grow. Prefers light shade. Over-winter indoors. 6–10"h ○●☺
\$2.50—4 plants in a pack

A083 **Butterfly Bush** *Buddleia* Attraction ☺
The closest to red so far in butterfly bush. May come back after a mild winter (they emerge late in spring). Some of these survived for years near the heated foundation on the south side of Friends School. 55"h ○☺☺
\$3.00—3.5" pot

A084 **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:

A084 **Butterfly Flower** ☺—Clusters of orange, red, and gold small flowers.

A085 **Silky Gold**—Orangey yellow.

See also the native MILKWEED, page 54

Cabbage, Ornamental *Brassica oleracea*
Colorful, easy plants last into winter. Brightest color in full sun and when the nights are cool. Edible, too! ○●☺☺
\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

A086 **Glamour Red** ☺—Dark blue-green leaves with a magenta center. Glossy leaves instead of the usual waxy finish. Beautiful from spring on. 12"h

A087 **Victoria Pigeon** ☺—Variegated green and white outer leaves with a pale pink center. 12–18"h

Calendula *Calendula officinalis*
Daisies whose petals can be used in salads. Cold-tolerant, providing nonstop color from spring through first frost. May reseed. ○●
\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

A088 **Radio** ☺—Radiating orange-yellow quills pack each workhorse flower all season. 18–24"h ☺

\$5.00—6 plants in a pack:

A089 **Maya Orange** ☺—Orange petals are densely layered around a dark-brown center, resembling bird feathers. 18–20"h ☺☺

Canna *Canna*
Exotic blooms in summer and fall. Excellent planted in groups, in flower beds, or containers. Dig clumps in fall and store in a frost-free location until ready to replant in spring. ○●
\$4.00—3.5" pot:

Cannova series
Vigorous, multi-stemmed plants bred to grow in cooler temperatures and more shade, so they will bloom earlier, even in a container as small as 5". 30–48"h

A090 **Cannova Red** **NEW** ☺—Bright orange-red.

A091 **Cannova Rose** **NEW** ☺—Deep pink.

A092 **Cannova Scarlet Bronze** **NEW** ☺—Orange-red flowers with purple-green leaves and stems.
\$5.00—5.25" pot:

A093 **Achira** *C. edulis* ☺—An edible canna, once an essential crop of the Incas. Super-vigorous roots are still used as food in the Andes and are the source of arrowroot starch in Australia. Roots can be roasted like a potato. Peeled stems and young shoots can be stir-fried like bamboo shoots. Edible red and yellow-orange 2.5" flowers are attractive in salads. 48–72"h ☺☺

\$6.00—1 quart pot:

A094 **Australia** ☺—Shiny, burgundy-black foliage and orange-red flowers. Works well as a dark background that makes other garden flowers stand out. Over-winter inside in a pot. 60"h ☺

\$7.00—5.25" pot:

A095 **King Humbert, Yellow** ☺—Buttery yellow flowers with a splash of orange. Apple green foliage. a.k.a Florence Vaughn. 48–72"h

\$8.00—5.25" pot:

A096 **Wyoming** ☺—Bright but soft orange blossoms with extremely dark red foliage for striking contrast. 48–60"h ☺

\$13.00—1 gal. pot:

A097 **Pink Sunburst**—Large salmon flowers on a dwarf plant. Yellow-striped dark green leaves are brushed with pink, especially at the edges and on new growth. 24–36"h ☺

A098 **Pretoria**—Also called Bengal Tiger. Green, cream and yellow striped leaves, edged with red. Brilliant orange flowers. 48–72"h ☺

A099 **Cassia, Popcorn** ☺
Cassia didymobotrya
Fast-growing, graceful, feathery shrub from Africa with yellow flowers. It smells exactly like buttered popcorn if you rub the leaves or if a breeze blows through it. Rounded shape. 48"h by 36"w ○
\$9.00—6" pot

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- ☿ Bird food source
- ☺ Butterfly-friendly
- ☺ Hummingbird-friendly

- ☺ Attractive foliage
- ☺ Culinary
- ☺ Edible flowers
- ☺ Ground cover
- ☺ 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.



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Castor Bean *Ricinus communis*

Impressive tropical foliage. The entire plant is very poisonous, particularly the seeds, which should be removed before they ripen. Grow in fertile, well-drained 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! ○☠️

\$5.00—4" pot:

A100 **Carmencita** 🌿—Decorative 12–18" leaves are a deep red-bronze and the flowers are electric rose. 48–72" h ☺

A101 **New Zealand Purple** 🌿—Giant dark bronze-purple leaves with a metallic sheen. Cream-colored flowers develop into prickly purple seed pods that match the foliage. 72–96" h ☺

A102 **Zanzibar** 🌿—Largest of all the castor bean plants with green leaves up to 36" wide. You'll be amazed at how big this guy gets in one Minnesota summer. Can't be beat for cost per square inch. 120" h ☺

A103 **Chilean Bell Flower** 🌿
Nolana humifusa

Lavender-blue funnel-shaped 1" flowers from the Andes are painted with lilac-black streaks in the centers. Creeps and cascades. Blooms until frost. Likes well-drained soil. 12–18" h ○☺

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack

A105 **Cigar Flower** *Cuphea Vermillionaire* 🌿
Long-blooming, tubular orange flowers with red and yellow highlights along the flower tubes. Bred for vigorous flowering in a tidy mound for small spaces or containers. Especially attractive to hummingbirds. Very heat tolerant, and needs no dead-heading. 18–28" h ○🌿👤
\$5.00—4" pot

Cockscomb *Celosia*

Flowerheads that look like brains or brain coral. Drought-tolerant and easy to grow. ○🌿

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

A106 **Amigo Mix** *C. argentea cristata* 🌿—Velvety red, fuchsia, pink, or yellow. 6" h

\$5.00—4" pot:

A107 **Twisted** *C. cristata* 🌿—Many papery red-purple crests on multiple branches. Bred in the Netherlands. 10–24" h

Coleus see box, below

Coreopsis *Coreopsis*

Hard-to-beat displays of blooms throughout the summer. May reseed. ○

\$5.00—4" pot:

A151 **Lemonade Cherry** 🌿—Build a color scheme for a container or garden based on these acid green-yellow leaves and hot pink-red penny-sized flowers. Blooms June into fall. 8" h

A152 **Mercury Rising** *C. rosea* 🌿—Golden Gopher colors: maroon petals and bright gold centers on this new, spreading variety. Petals develop creamy streaks. 15–18" h 🌿👤

\$5.00—6 plants in a pack:

A153 **Mahogany Midget** *C. tinctoria* 🌿—Dark red blooms. 10–12" h

A154 **Roulette** *C. tinctoria* 🌿—Golden inner petals form tiger stripes on a deep mahogany daisy. 24–36" h

See more COREOPSIS, pages 8 and 52

Cosmos *Cosmos bipinnatus*

Daisy-like blooms all summer make excellent cut flowers. Lacy foliage. Great next to a hot alley, tolerating part shade, lean or sandy soil, and neglect. Easy and quick to flower from seed; may self-seed. ○🌿👤

\$1.50—seed packets:

A155 **Bright Lights** *C. sulphureus* 🌿—Semi-double 2–3" flowers in many shades of yellow, orange, and red. 36" h by 14–16" w

A156 **Sensation Mix**—Semi-double pink, dark magenta, or white 4–6" flowers. 36–48" h

\$2.50—seed packets:

A157 **Candy Stripe Mix** 🌿—White flowers with pink to crimson petal edges. Some blooms also have petals with splashes, stripes, and flecks of pink. 24–36" h by 18" w

A158 **Cosimo Collarette** 🌿—White 2" blooms tinted in various ways with pale pink. An extra circle of narrow inner petals around the yellow center looks pleasantly tousled. 16–24" h

A159 **Rubenza**—Deep red flowers that fade to rose red. 24–48" h

A160 **Sea Shells Mix**—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

A161 **Xanthos** 🌿—Early-flowering 2.5" yellow daisies with lighter edges, a new color for cosmos. *Xanthos* means yellow in Greek. 20–25" h

\$5.00—6 plants in a pack:

A162 **Double Click Cranberries** 🌿—Deep carmine, ruffled double flowers with gold centers. 36–42" h

A163 **Double Click Mix**—Bred in France for cutting gardens. Large, frilly double and semi-double flowers in rosy-red, pink, and white with golden centers. 48" h

A164 **Pink Popsicles** 🌿—Flowers from single to pompom and ranging from pink to plum. 14–18" h

Coleus *Solenostemon scutellarioides* 🌿👤

Coleus comes in a wide variety of leaf colors and shapes. Easy to grow. Also good as a houseplant and easily propagated from cuttings. Did you know it's also known as *Flame Nettle*?

For Shade

Colorful leaves bring some excitement to a shady corner. ○●

A108 **Carefree Mix** 🌿—Oak-leaf shape. 10–14" h **\$2.50—4 plants in a pack**

A109 **Kong Mosaic** 🌿—Each leaf flaunts a unique pattern of green, red and cream. 22" h **\$5.00—4.5" pot**

A110 **Kong Red** 🌿—Extremely large leaves. Performs best in full shade. 22" h **\$5.00—4.5" pot**

A111 **Kong Rose** 🌿—Extremely large leaves. 22" h **\$5.00—4.5" pot**

A112 **Tilt-a-Whirl** 🌿—Swirling petticoat leaves of red, purple and light green with frilly edges tipped in yellow. Named for the carnival ride made in Faribault, Minnesota. Similar to Hurricane Jenni. 10–14" h **\$3.00—3.5" pot**

A113 **Wizard Jade** 🌿—Heart-shaped leaves are ivory with green margins. 12–14" h **\$2.50—4 plants in a pack**

A114 **Wizard Sunset** 🌿—Large apricot-red leaves, heart-shaped with gold scalloped edges. 12–14" h **\$2.50—4 plants in a pack**

A115 **Wizard Velvet Red** 🌿—Burgundy red with darker markings and thin green margins. 10–14" h **\$2.50—4 plants in a pack**

For Sun

These coleus varieties enjoy full or part sun, and often have more vivid colors with more sun. ○○

A116 **Big Red Judy**—Screaming red, dappled with golden orange on its large leaves. Best in full sun, vigorous, and has great heat and humidity tolerance. 36" h **\$5.00—4" pot**

A117 **Black Dragon** 🌿—Large red, lobed leaves with purple-black edges. Compact. 10–14" h **\$2.50—4 plants in a pack**

A118 **Campfire** 🌿—Rounded, rusty red-orange leaves with gently serrated edges have a pink-purple haze, leaf reverses, and stems. Minimal flowering (a good thing for a coleus). 24–36" h **\$5.00—4" pot**

A119 **Cranberry Bog** 🌿—Slender, pointy, serrated burgundy leaves with chartreuse-gold edges. 18–24" h **\$5.00—4" pot**

A120 **Cuckoo** 🌿—Deep red, pointed, many-lobed leaves with gold-chartreuse edges. Mounding. 16" h by 24" w **\$5.00—4" pot**

A121 **Electric Lime** 🌿—Yellowish green puckered leaves with scalloped edges and numerous 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**

A122 **Flame Thrower Spiced Curry** 🌿—Irregularly toothed gold leaves with narrow dark red edges and central splashes. 18–24" h **\$5.00—4" pot**

A123 **Gnash Rambler** 🌿—Deeply scalloped, puckered, slightly twisted, brick red to rosy red leaves with purple centers and small flashes of yellow and orange. Compact upright. 18" h **\$5.00—4" pot**

A124 **Golden Dreams** 🌿—Chartreuse-gold scalloped leaves with a fine tracery of red veins. Sturdy and upright. 24–36" h **\$5.00—4" pot**

A125 **Grape Expectations** 🌿—Red-purple scalloped leaves with violet-pink hearts and veins. Few or no flowers. Upright mound. 12–18" h **\$5.00—4" pot**

A126 **Hurricane Jenni** 🌿—Spiraling burgundy and copper leaves with lime green centers and saw-toothed margins outlined with the same green. Similar to Tilt-a-Whirl. 8–24" h **\$5.00—4.5" pot**

A127 **Magilla** 🌿—Dark purple leaves with brilliant pink-purple tones. Formerly thought to be *Perilla* rather than a coleus. 24–36" h **\$5.00—4" pot**

A128 **Mainstreet Gran Via** 🌿—The narrow, lime green edge looks neatly stitched onto the serrated burgundy leaves. Gran Via ("Great Way") is a historic street lined with ornate buildings in Madrid. Vigorous and almost non-blooming (a good thing in a coleus). 16" h **\$5.00—4" pot**

A129 **Mainstreet Wall Street**—Serrated, bright orange-copper leaves with a haze of fuchsia and with fuchsia-purple undersides. Blooms very late, if at all. 16" h **\$5.00—4" pot**

A130 **Pink Chaos** 🌿—Narrow, weeping blazing pink leaves with ruffled green margins. Appreciates some afternoon shade. 6–8" h **\$3.00—3.5" pot**

A131 **Purple Haze**—The stem and underside of the leaf are dark purple and the top is green with darker hints showing through. The more light it gets, the darker it is. 18–36" h **\$3.00—3.5" pot**

A132 **Raspberry Tart** 🌿—Ruby red centers with wide gold margins and serrated edges. 12–18" h **\$5.00—4" pot**

A133 **Redhead**—Showy pink-red leaves. Fast-growing, late-flowering. 18–24" h **\$5.00—4" pot**

A134 **Ruby Jewels** 🌿—Deeply lobed, small leaves with red centers and lime green edges. Petite blue flowers are attractive. 12–15" h **\$5.00—4.5" pot**

A135 **Scarlet Poncho** 🌿—Large, heart-shaped leaves are red with chartreuse flecks and scalloped edges. Cascading. 10–12" h **\$2.50—4 plants in a pack**

A136 **Sedona** 🌿—Beautiful southwestern bronze and pink. 12–18" h **\$5.00—4" pot**

A137 **Smallwood's Driveway**—Multicolored purple and warm tones, with deeply scalloped leaves. (And it really was discovered in a driveway.) 12–18" h **\$5.00—4" pot**

A138 **Solar Flare** 🌿—Irregular purple-burgundy center surrounded by a band of bright green and then another band of the purple-burgundy (with possible flashes of fuchsia in it), and then a wide yellow scalloped edge. Colors will vary from one leaf to another, and also overall depending on the amount of sunlight. Upright. 24" h **\$3.00—3.5" pot**

A139 **Stained Glass** 🌿—Hot pink center, radiating out into a dark edge. 12–18" h **\$5.00—4" pot**

A140 **Trailing Queen** 🌿—Deep purple trailing coleus 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 **\$5.00—4" pot**

A141 **Versa Lime** 🌿—Chartreuse to pale green. 30" h **\$2.50—4 plants in a pack**

A142 **Vino**—Serrated, pointed, deep burgundy-purple leaves (darkest in full sun) outlined with fine lime green. Vigorous and upright. 18–30" h **\$5.00—4" pot**

A143 **Wasabi** 🌿—Large chartreuse leaves with serrated edges. Retains bright color throughout season. Upright. 18–28" h **\$5.00—4" pot**

Under the Sea

Fantastically complex and vividly colored foliage. Secondary leaflets resembling fingers or inkblots make each leaf look like a sea creature. This fun series was developed at the University of Saskatchewan by college students. "We have the world's weirdest coleus," brags their professor, Bob Bors. Royalties support the university's horticulture program. ○●

A144 **Bone Fish**—Like little fish skeletons. Deeply cut, long slender red-pink leaves with lime-gold tips. 15–18" h **\$6.00—4" deep pot**

A145 **Copper Coral** 🌿—Deeply lobed leaves are rusty orange and burgundy with yellow margins. 12–18" h **\$6.00—4" deep pot**

A146 **Gold Anemone**—Frilly burgundy-purple edges on large chartreuse leaves with "tails." 15–18" h **\$6.00—4" deep pot**

A147 **King Crab**—Huge red leaves with tiny leaflets crowding their margins, each resembling little claws. Darker red center and yellow edge. 18–24" h **\$6.00—4" deep pot**

A148 **Lime Shrimp**—Heavily scalloped, dramatic lime and dark purple leaves have an extra long tail at the tip. 15–18" h **\$6.00—4" deep pot**

A149 **Red Coral**—Petite fuchsia-red leaves that are practically all lobes have green and yellow edges. Could almost pass for a flower. 15–18" h **\$6.00—4" deep pot**

A150 **Sea Weed**—Elongated tear-drop leaves are dark burgundy-brown with bright yellow-green margins. 24" h **\$6.00—4" deep pot**

See also MINIATURE COLEUS, page 27

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A165 **Cosmos, Chocolate** *Cosmos atrosanguineus*

Velvety, maroon flowers with the scent of chocolate. Tuberos roots can be over-wintered in a cool storage area. 24–36”h ○●🌱🌿
\$2.50—2.5” pot

A166 **Cotton, Black** *Gossypium herbaceum*

Ultra-shiny, three-lobed black foliage with pointy tips and dark rose veins. In summer, deep rose-pink flowers unroll from large, spidery burgundy buds. White cotton. This plant, actually a shrub, is from Africa and the Arabian peninsula. 24–30”h by 18–24”w ○
\$5.00—4” pot

A167 **Creeping Zinnia** 🌱

Sanvitalia procumbens Mandarin Orange **NEW**

Gold mini-daisies with a brown center trail from a hanging basket or form mats when planted the ground. 6–12”h ○●
\$2.50—4 plants in a pack

Cupflower *Nierembergia*

Compact plants covered with starry blooms all summer. Spreading. Needs well-drained soil and hot sun. ○

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

A168 **Blue Mountain** 🌱—Lavender-blue. 6”h

A169 **Mont Blanc** 🌱—White. 6”h

A170 **Purple Robe** 🌱—Violet-blue 1” flowers with bright yellow eyes. 6”h

Dahlia see box at right

A184 **Daisy, Dahlberg** *Thymophylla tenuiloba* 🌱

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 ○🌱🌿
\$5.00—6 plants in a pack

Daisy, Gerbera *Gerbera*

Your choice of fun daisies that will be blooming at the sale, so they’re great for Mothers Day. Picking flowers encourages new growth, but twist the stems off at the base rather than cutting them. These varieties are bred to do well in the garden. Don’t over-water. ○●

\$5.00—4.5” pot:

A185 **Revolution** **NEW** 🌱—Early-blooming flowers in an assortment of pink, red, yellow, white, and apricot. May rest a bit in the heat of the summer, then bloom again until late fall. 12–16”h

\$13.00—6” pot:

A186 **Garvinea Sweet Mix** 🌱—Fuchsia, deep pink, red-orange, and orange-gold. 18”h

A187 **Daisy, Snowland** 🌱

Chrysanthemum paludosum Snowland

A profusion of cute white daisies with bright yellow centers. Good edging plant. 8–12”h ○●
\$2.50—4 plants in a pack

A188 **Dusty Miller** *Senecio cineraria* Silver Dust 🌱

Classic garden edging with furry silver foliage. 10–12”h ○●☺
\$2.50—4 plants in a pack

A189 **Elegant Feather** *Eupatorium capillifolium* 🌱 **NEW**

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. Filament-like 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 self-seed. In early fall, the stems redden and tiny pale pink flowers bloom so abundantly they resemble frost. 48–84”h ○●🌱
\$5.00—4” pot

Falling Stars *Crococsmia*

Arching stems lined with delicate, funnel-shaped blooms in fall. Sword-like foliage. Dig up and store the corms over the winter. Deer-resistant. ○●

\$3.00—3 bulbs:

A190 **Emily Mckenzie**—Orange 2” flowers with an irregular mahogany band around a paler orange center. 18–20”h 🌱🌿

A191 **George Davison** **NEW** 🌱—Starry bright yellow flowers. 24–36”h 🌱🌿

A192 **Lucifer**—Orange-red flowers. May survive the winter with a thick mulch. 36”h

A193 **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. 36”h ○●🌱☺
\$2.50—3.5” pot

Flame Flower *Celosia argentea plumosa*

Glowing plumes make great dried flowers. Drought-tolerant. ○🌱

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

A194 **Castle Mix** 🌱—Scarlet, pink, yellow, and orange. 15”h

A195 **Castle Yellow** 🌱—15”h

A196 **Chinatown** 🌱—Scarlet flowers on dark green to bronze foliage. A knock-out. 14–16”h

Flamingo Flower *Celosia*

Good cut flowers on trouble-free plants. Dries well; drought- and heat-tolerant. Peru native. ○🌱

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

A197 **Flamingo Purple** *C. spicata* 🌱—28–40”h

\$5.00—4” pot:

A198 **Intenz Lipstick** *C. argentea* **NEW** 🌱—Bright raspberry clusters of cone-shaped, papery flowers. Blooms all season. 10–18”h

\$5.00—6 plants in a pack:

A199 **Cramer’s Amazon** *C. spicata* 🌱—Purple and green variegated leaves with plume-like burgundy-rose blooms. 48”h 🌱

A200 **Flax, Scarlet** *Linum rubrum* 🌱

Brilliant red flowers in profusion, and although each flower lasts only a day, the plant produces enough blossoms to last all summer. Heat- and drought-tolerant. 12–18”h ○
\$5.00—6 plants in a pack

Floss Flower *Ageratum*

Fuzzy flower heads in attractive clusters. Easy to grow. Seeds eaten by finches. ○●🌱🌿

\$5.00—4” pot:

A201 **Monarch Mediano Rose** **NEW** 🌱—Sunburst tufts of small pink flowers with deep rose centers. Bred by Minnesotan David Zlesak, from garden floss flower and a wild floss flower. A magnet for monarch butterflies. 10–14”h

A202 **Monarch Mediano Violet** **NEW** 🌱—Pinkish lavender flowers bloom from magenta buds. 10–14”h

A203 **Patina Purple** 🌱—Clusters of button flowers in shades of purple, especially a deep reddish purple. Buds and leaves also purplish. Good heat tolerance so blooms all summer. 10–12”h

\$5.00—6 plants in a pack:

A204—**Blue Horizon** 🌱—Lavender-blue. Tall, vigorous, and good for cutting. 20–30”h 🌿

Flowering Maple *Abutilon*

Blooms with small, dangling, bell flowers all summer. Makes a great flowering houseplant, too. Maple-shaped leaves. ○●🌿

\$5.00—4” pot:

A205 **Biltmore Ballgown** **NEW** 🌱—Elegant gold flowers have overlapping petals with intricate red veining and protruding red stamens. Best in morning sun and afternoon shade. Also known as Red Tiger, Tiger Eye, and Magic Lantern. 24–72”h

A206 **Fairy Coral Red** **NEW** 🌱—Brightest orange bells with red veins and protruding burgundy centers. Compact and self-cleaning. 12–24”h

A207 **Forget-Me-Nots, Alpine** 🌱

Eritrichium canum Baby Blues

Azure blue blossoms very much like forget-me-nots on dense flower spikes in summer. Well-drained or even gritty soil. 10–15”h ○●
\$5.00—4” pot

Four O’Clocks *Mirabilis*

Trumpet-shaped 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. ○●🌱🌿☺

\$5.00—6 plants in a pack:

A208 **Harlequin Mix** 🌱—Stripes and streaks on showy flowers. 24”h

A209 **Limelight** 🌱—Vivid fuchsia blooms and bright chartreuse foliage speckled with deep green flecks. 24”h

A210 **Salmon Sunset**—Fragrant salmon-orange flowers with a touch of pink. 24–36”h

A211 **Foxglove, Fire** 🌱

x *Digiplexis* Illumination Raspberry

A succession of spikes whose magenta-pink flowers have peach throats dotted with burgundy. A hybrid between the foxglove you know and a tropical foxglove. Blooms from spring through fall because it cannot produce seeds. Incredible as a cut flower. Over-winter dry in the basement. 24–36”h ○●
\$15.00—5.25” pot

Fuchsia *Fuchsia*

Can be over-wintered indoors, where they flower well. Bright colors for low-light areas. ○●🌿

\$5.00—4” pot:

A212 **Aurea (Gold)** *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. Semi-trailing to 24–36”, so grow it where it can cascade. 6–18”h

\$5.00—4.5” plantable pot:

A213 **Shadow Dancer Marcia** **NEW** 🌱—Red and purple flowers. 18–24”h

\$5.00—4.5” pot:

A214 **Barcelona** 🌱—Red and purple flowers. 18–24”h

A215 **Gartenmeister** 🌱—Dark green leaves with continuous coral-pink to salmon blooms. 18–24”h

A216 **Shadow Dancer Betty** 🌱—Red and white with magenta stamens. 18–24”h

See also the SMALL LEAF FUCHSIA, page 27

Plant widths are similar to their heights unless noted otherwise.

Gaura *Gaura lindheimeri*

Airy texture. Lovely mingling with traditional cottage garden flowers or in a container alongside burgundy or pinkish foliage. They look delicate, but are tough, easy plants that continue blooming lightly if brought inside for the winter. 16–18”h ○

\$5.00—4” pot:

A217 **Belleza Dark Pink** 🌱—Neat, compact plant with red stems and buds that open to a waving display of beautiful pink flowers.

A218 **Little Janie** 🌱—Bright pink petal tips blend to white at the center. Compact mound.



Dahlia

Tender perennial whose tubers can be dug and stored in a cool but frost-free basement (40–45°).

A171 **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 purple. 28–36”h ○
\$2.50—3.5” pot

Dahlinova

Dark purple to black foliage for contrast. ○
\$5.00—4” pot:

A172 **Hypnotica Dark Night** 🌱—Maroon (almost black) double blooms. 12–14”h

A173 **Hypnotica Sangria** **NEW** 🌱—Dome-shaped 4” blooms have orange-red petals with yellow tips. Mounding. 12–18”h

A174 **Mystic Haze** 🌱—Apricot-orange single flowers with a soft yellow halo and dark center. No staking required. 24–30”h

Dalaya

Spring-to-fall bloomers with bicolor flowers. ○

\$5.00—4” pot:

A175 **Raja** 🌱—Fuchsia-purple petals are darker where they meet the center. Double. 18”h

A176 **Shari** 🌱—Pink-brushed cream flowers blending to soft yellow around the center. 16–18”h

A177 **Shiva** 🌱—Double yellow with orange-red toward the center. 16–20”h

A178 **Yogi** 🌱—Bright lavender-pink turns to burgundy near the center. 18”h

A179 **Dreamy Nights** 🌱 **NEW**

Eye-catching neon-pink petals darken to burgundy near the center, surrounding bright yellow anthers. Dark gray-green leaves. 16”h ○
\$5.00—4” pot

Figaro

Double blooms on mounded plants. 12–16”h ○●

\$2.50—3.5” pot:

A180 **Orange** 🌱

A181 **Violet** 🌱

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

A182 **Mix** 🌱—Yellow, orange, red, gold, white, violet.

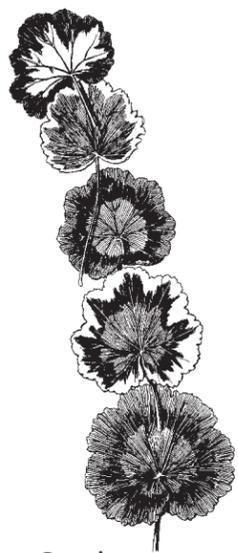
A183 **Fireworks** 🌱

Dahlia variabilis Fireworks

A surprise when it blooms. Streaky, stripy petals on daisy-like dahlias in different combinations of fuchsia, orange, yellow, red, cherry, or cream. Bushy and compact, blooming June to frost. 16”h ○
\$5.00—6 plants in a pack

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Geranium
leaves

A219 **Geranium, Angel** **NEW**
Pelargonium Angel's Perfume
Petite, pansy-like flowers with two burgundy and magenta upper petals and three pink lower petals marked with magenta. Ruffled, lemon-scented leaves. Angel geraniums are a cross between regal and scented geraniums. Long-blooming. 12" h ○ ● ☹️
\$3.00—3.5" pot

A220 **Geranium, Caliente Red**
Pelargonium
Deep red. Semi-trailing, mounding hybrids of the ivy and fancy leaf geraniums. Heat tolerant and great for containers or hanging baskets. 6–12" h by 24–36" w ○ ● ☹️
\$5.00—4" pot

Geranium, Fancy Leaf *Pelargonium*
Bushy plants with thick stems and multicolored leaves. Bring indoors for the winter. 10–14" h ○ ● ☹️
\$3.00—3.5" pot:

A221 **Fire Dancer** —Small dark green and bronze leaves with red flowers. Prolific bloomer.

A222 **Happy Thoughts** —Green and white leaves with red flowers.

Geranium, Fancy Leaf *continued*
\$3.00—3.5" pot (continued):

A223 **Roman's Tulip** —Salmon-pink tiny tulip blooms in clusters. 10–14" h

A224 **Tri-Color** —Green, bronze, and gold leaves with red flowers. 10–14" h

A225 **Vancouver Centennial** —Gold leaves with a brown center splotch and red-orange starry flowers. 10–14" h

A226 **Wilhelm Langguth** —Green and white leaves with red flowers. Will become a huge bush. 24–36" h

\$5.00—4" pot:

A227 **Glitterati Ice Queen** **NEW** —Boldly variegated green and white leaves with orange-red flowers. Will not scorch in full sun. 14" h ☹️

\$6.00—4.5" pot:

A228 **Allure Tangerine** —Lightly scented orange balls of semi-double flowers. Especially suitable for larger pots, baskets, and mixed containers. Vigorous. 14–16" h

Geranium, Ivy *Pelargonium peltatum*

Leaves are shiny and almost succulent. Trailing form is great for containers and window boxes. ○ ● ☹️

\$3.00—3.5" pot:

A229 **White Mesh** —Green leaves with showy white fishnet variegation and pink flowers. 18–24" h

\$5.00—4.5" pot:

A230 **White** —White flowers. 6–12" h

Geranium, Old-Fashioned *Pelargonium*

Green leaves with bright flowers. Compact, sun-loving, and colorful. ○ ● ☹️

\$3.00—3.5" pot:

A231 **Art's Red** —Red. Formerly called Mohawk. 12–18" h

A232 **Red Star** —Not the usual red geranium: many-petaled, divided blooms over two-tone green leaves. 12–18" h

\$5.00—4" pot:

A233 **First Yellow Improved** **NEW** —Abundant, butter yellow blooms. A rare color for a geranium (not so old-fashioned, in this case). 12" h

A234 **Geranium, Shade** **NEW**

Pelargonium Two in One Shadow Violet

A cross between Fancy Leaf and Ivy types, this geranium makes an unusual, nonhardy, flowering ground cover for shade. Large double violet flowers. Try it as a replacement for impatiens. Bred in Europe and trialed there for the last ten years. 18–30" h ○ ● ☹️

\$5.00—4" pot

See also SCENTED GERANIUM, page 29

A235 **Gladiolus, Abyssinian**
Gladiolus murielae

Starry, fragrant 2–3" shiny white blooms 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 sword-shaped leaves. Looks novel but grown in gardens since 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—6 plants in a pack

Globe Amaranth *Gomphrena globosa*

Easy and long-blooming, the round blooms are composed of many papery bracts and resemble clover blossoms. Keeps indefinitely as a dried flower. ○ ● ☹️

\$2.50—3.5" pot:

A236 **Fireworks** —Exploding bursts of 1" irregular rosettes in hot pink tipped with bright yellow stars. A conversation piece in the garden or in a bouquet. 36–48" h

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

A237 **Gnome Purple** —Use this compact plant to tuck a little extra color into containers or the rock garden. 6" h ☹️

A238 **Strawberry Fields** —Pinkish red flowers that actually resemble strawberries. 24" h

\$5.00—4" pot:

A239 **Pinball Purple** —Vibrant purple flowers you won't need to deadhead. Semi-mounding form. 12–18" h

\$5.00—5.25" pot:

A240 **Pink Zazzle** —Long-blooming hot pink to fuchsia 3" rosettes with gold stars between the bracts. Gradually lightens to mauve and white. Thick, partly cupped leaves are covered in white hairs. Prefers a drier soil. 8–16" h

\$5.00—6 plants in a pack:

A241 **QIS Orange**—A ball of papery, peachy-orange 1" bracts that protect tiny gold star flowers. Lasts two weeks as a cut flower. 24–26" h

A242 **Gloxinia, Trailing**

Lophospermum Lofos Compact Rose

Showy cascading plant with large rose-red tubular blossoms. 12–24" h ○ \$5.00—4" pot

A243 **Golden Globes**

Lysimachia congestiflora Superstition

Oval 2" ruby-bronze and burgundy leaves with green veins contrast with dense clusters of cup-shaped bright yellow flowers. Grown for its foliage color, which is best in sun. Deer-resistant. 2–4" h by 18–36" w ○ \$5.00—4" pot

A244 **Goldfish Plant** *Hypocyrta glabra*

Waxy, almost succulent leaves with small flowers that look like goldfish. Great for hanging baskets or as a houseplant. Makes a good shrub in a miniature garden, too. Trailing. 6–12" h ○ ● \$3.00—3.5" pot

A245 **Green Ball**

Dianthus barbatus 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. Fragrant, too. Blooms spring into fall. 10–14" h ○ \$5.00—4" pot

A246 **Helen's Flower**

Helenium amarum Dakota Gold

Neatly mounded plants are covered with 1" sunny yellow, daisy-like blooms and finely textured foliage. No deadheading needed. Wider than it is tall. 15" h by 24–28" w ○ ☹️ ☹️ \$2.50—4 plants in a pack

See more HELEN'S FLOWER, pages 11 and 53

A247 **Heliotrope**

Heliotropium arborescens Mini Marine Blue

The earliest flowering heliotrope, it maintains a compact habit and terrific uniformity. Deep blue flowers. Beautiful, fragrant umbels for containers, baskets or the garden. 12" h ○ ☹️ ☹️ \$2.50—3.5" pot

Hibiscus, Maple Leaf *Hibiscus*

Bring indoors for the winter. Deer- and drought-resistant and heat-tolerant. ○

\$5.00—4" pot:

A248 **Little Zin** **NEW** —Foliage matches the red wine of its name. Compact size for a manageable container or garden accent. 18–24" h

A249 **Mahogany Splendor** *H. acetosella*—Resembles a Japanese maple with deep burgundy leaves. Dramatic in the garden and containers, but also flourishes as a pond plant. 36–60" h by 12–18" w

Hummingbird Mint *Agastache*

Great-smelling flower spikes. Likely to 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. ○ ● ☹️ ☹️

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

A250 **Pink Pop** *A. montana* —Spires of fragrant purplish pink flowers. 10–18" h

\$5.00—4" pot:

A251 **Acapulco Orange** *A. mexicana* —Orange flowers, pinkening with age, and dusky purple bud cases. The Acapulco series is compact, with a long flowering period and lemon-scented foliage. 14–20" h

A252 **Acapulco Rose** *A. mexicana* —Rose-pink flowers. 14–20" h

A253 **Acapulco Salmon** *A. mexicana* —Bicolored orange and pink blooms. 14–20" h

\$5.00—6 plants in a pack:

A254 **Astello Indigo** —Deep blue, rootbeer-scented flower spikes. Bushy habit. 18–24" h

Impatiens see box at left

A283 **Ivy, English**

Hedera helix Gold Child

Three-pointed leaves variegated with light yellow. Vigorous grower. Good for shade. 36–72" h ○ ● ☹️ ☹️ \$3.00—3.5" pot

A284 **Ivy, German**

Senecio macroglossus Variegatus

Red stems with green and cream variegated leaves. Actually native to South Africa. Often grown as a houseplant. 60–96" h ○ ● ☹️ ☹️ \$3.00—3.5" pot

A285 **Jamaican Forget-Me-Nots**

Browallia americana Sky Blue

Deep lilac-blue 2" blooms with a white eye have a flat face like a pansy and the delicate casual charm of a forget-me-not. June until frost. 24" h ○ ● ● \$5.00—6 plants in a pack

Impatiens

Impatiens

Impatiens x walleriana

Summer-long color on shade-loving, compact plants. 8–12" h ○ ●

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

A255 **Super Elfin Bright Orange**

A256 **Super Elfin Lipstick** —Magenta blooms.

A257 **Super Elfin Paradise Mix** —Brilliant tropical lavender, magenta, violet, and melon.

A258 **Super Elfin Seaside Mix** —Lilac blue, lilac, violet, and white.

A259 **Super Elfin XP Blue Pearl** —Lilac blue with pale eye.

A260 **Super Elfin XP Formula Mix** —Colors include melon, salmon, fuchsia, white, red, pink, and watermelon. Some with paler eyes.

A261 **Super Elfin XP Pink**

A262 **Super Elfin XP Red**

A263 **Super Elfin XP Salmon**

A264 **Super Elfin XP Violet**

A265 **Super Elfin XP White**

A266 **Bounce, Pink Flame**

Impatiens x hybrida

Bright hot pink. Given the name because if the plant dries out, it bounces back without even losing its buds or flowers. Strong resistance to downy mildew, and with the spreading, low, flower-filled habit of traditional Impatiens. Can take filtered sun. 14–18" h ○ ● \$5.00—4" pot

A267 **Butterfly Cherry**

A vigorous grower covered with graceful cherry-colored blooms held above the foliage until frost. It will brighten any shady bed, and its semi-trailing form makes it ideal for containers, hanging baskets and window boxes. 8" h ○ ● ● \$5.00—4" pot

Double Fiesta

Impatiens x walleriana

Looks like a miniature rose, but much easier to take care of. Early, compact and well-branched. 8–12" h ○ ●

\$5.00—4.5" pot:

A268 **Bonita Salmon** —Salmon with lighter splashes.

A269 **Lavender Orchid**

A271 **Ole Stardust Pink** —Bright pink with some white markings.

Fusion

Impatiens x hybrida

Unusual flower shape and strong, tall stems. According to *Northern Gardener*, "Watch them glow in the shade!" 8–18" h ○ ●

\$5.00—4.5" pot:

A272 **Glow Yellow** —Yellow with an orange throat.

A273 **Heat Coral** —Coral to pink with a yellow throat.

New Guinea

Impatiens x hawkeri

Large flowers on upright plants with dark foliage. Not susceptible to downy mildew. 6–12" h ○ ●

\$3.00—3.5" pot:

A274 **Petticoat Mandarin Star** **NEW** —Apricot flowers with a central orange stripe on each petal.

\$5.00—4.5" pot:

A275 **Electric Rose** —Hot pink.

A276 **White**

\$5.00—5.25" pot:

A277 **Infinity Pink Frost** —Pink and lighter pink bicolors.

Sun Harmony

Impatiens hybrids

Happy in sun and heat, vigorous, resistant to downy mildew. Floriferous and tightly mounded hybrid Impatiens with weather-beating 2" flowers. ○

\$5.00—4" pot:

A278 **Compact Lavender**—Recently awarded the RHS Award of Garden Merit. Great planted in the ground, and works well in mixed containers, too. 12–16" h

A279 **Magenta** —18–20" h

A280 **Orange** —18–20" h

SunPatiens

Impatiens hybrids

Here's the solution if you want to create an edging of impatiens in an area with mixed sun and shade: an impatiens that loves both. Profuse 3" flowers start early and bloom until frost. To date, has resisted downy mildew. 18–24" h ○ ●

\$5.00—4" pot:

A281 **Compact Red** —True red.

A282 **Variegated Spreading White** —Gold leaves with wide green edges. White flowers. ☹️

See also BALSAM, page 33, and POOR MAN'S ORCHID, page 38

We've posted an article about the downy mildew that is affecting some impatiens varieties, including suggestions for alternatives:
www.FriendsSchoolPlantSale.com/impatiens

Annual Flowers

Plant widths are similar to their heights unless noted otherwise.

A286 **Jewels of Opar** 🌸

Talinum paniculatum Kingwood Gold

Airy sprays of tiny bright pink blooms on branched, reddish, wiry 30" stems are held well above the chartreuse foliage. These become shiny spherical coppery seedpods that remain attractive for months. Reseeds. Drought-tolerant. 12"h ○ **\$5.00—6 plants in a pack**

Joseph's Coat *Alternanthera*

Who needs flowers when you've got leaves like these? ○ 🌿 ☺

\$3.00—3.5" pot:

A287 **Old-Fashioned**—The classic color-changing foliage plant. 12–24"h 🌿

A288 **Red Threads** 🌸—Slender burgundy leaves. Excellent filler plant in mixed containers. 8"h by 15"w

A290 **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 reseed. 96"h ○ **\$5.00—4" pot**

A291 **Laceflower** *Ammi majus* Graceland 🌸

Dainty-looking, lacy clusters of white flowers open from green buds in summer. Long, straight stems and extended vase life make it a good cut flower. Easier to grow than Queen Anne's Lace, which it resembles. Ferny foliage. Originally from the Nile River Valley. 55"h by 20"w ○ 🌿 ☺ **\$5.00—6 plants in a pack**

Lantana *Lantana camara*

Excellent hummingbird and butterfly plants with dense flower clusters in bright colors. Drought- and heat-tolerant. ○ 🌿 ☺

\$3.00—2.5" pot:

A292 **Samantha**—Cheerful yellow flowers and chartreuse-edged variegated foliage. Sterile cultivar that does not set seed, so its energy goes into blooming. 15"h by 36"w 🌿

\$5.00—4" pot:

A293 **Bandana Cherry** 🌸—Multiple colors of dark cherry through pink to peach and even gold. Large flowers. 20–26"h by 36"w

A294 **Lucky Red Flame** 🌸—Profuse bright red and orange flower clusters on neat, upright mounds of foliage. 12–16"h by 36"w

A295 **Luscious Grape** 🌸—Fragrant purple blossoms with white eyes. 10–16"h by 36"w

A296 **Luscious Marmalade** (NEW) 🌸—Orange with yellow highlights. 12–18"h by 36"w

A297 **Larkspur** 🌸

Delphinium consolida Blue Cloud

An airy open plant with sprays of half-inch single blue flowers. Self sows. 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. ○

\$4.00—3.5" pot:

A298 **Golden** 🌸—Golden leaves. 24"h 🌿

A299 **Silver** 🌸—Silver leaves. 24"h

Lisianthus *Eustoma grandiflorum*

Stunning, almost rose-like flowers beginning in early summer. Long-lasting blooms. Morning sun with afternoon shade is ideal. Remove spent blooms for extended flowering. Varieties with slender stems of tall or double varieties may need staking or grow-through supports. ○

\$5.00—6 plants in a pack:

A300a **ABC Blue Rim** 🌸—Purple and white double bicolor. 30–45"h

A300b **ABC Purple** 🌸—Fully double blue-purple. Mid-season. 30–45"h

A301 **ABC Rose** 🌸—Rose shades to almost peach. Double. 36–45"h

A302 **Arena Champagne** 🌸—Fully double blooms in pale peachy pink. Robust stems and petals mean they do extra well as cut flowers. Blooms later than other lisianthus. 30–40"h

A303 **Arena Red** 🌸—Fully double 2–3" flowers are shades of dark rose-pink that approach being red. 30–40"h

A304 **Doublini Blue** (NEW) 🌸—Bred to be extra small and dainty, 1.5–2" double blue-purple flowers emerge from nicely contrasting chartreuse buds on many-branched stems. 24–36"h

A305 **Echo Lavender** 🌸—Double lavender. 12–14"h

A306 **Flare White** 🌸—Double flowers bunch together at the top of each stem, looking like a ready-made bouquet. 36–45"h

A307 **Mariachi Blue** 🌸—Quadruple blossoms. Staking required. 20–24"h

Lisianthus continued

\$5.00—6 plants in a pack:

A308 **Mariachi Lime Green** 🌸—Quadruple blossoms. Staking required. 20–24"h

A309 **Mariachi Yellow** 🌸—Soft yellow quadruple blossoms. 30–36"h

Lobelia, Compact *Lobelia*

Vigorous and unsurpassed for intense color and neat edging along sunny sidewalks. Originally from South Africa. Flowers through frost. ○ 🌿 ☺

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

A311 **Cambridge Blue** 🌸—Dainty light blue flowers. 4–6"h 🌿 ☺

A312 **Riviera Marine Blue** 🌸—5"h

A313 **Riviera Midnight Blue** 🌸—5"h

\$5.00—4" pot:

A314 **Early Springs Dark Blue** 🌸—Electric blue with white splash at the center. Tidy-looking. 6–8"h

A315 **Heat Electric Blue** 🌸—Cobalt blue blooms even in the hottest summer. 6–12"h by 12"w

Lobelia, Trailing *Lobelia pendula*

Easy. Beautiful, intense color in window boxes and rock gardens. Flowers through frost. Very early to bloom. 5"h ○ 🌿 ☺

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

A316 **Fountain Crimson** 🌸

A317 **Regatta Marine Blue** 🌸

A318 **Regatta Midnight Blue** 🌸

A319 **Regatta White** 🌸

A320 **Love Lies Bleeding** 🌸

Amaranthus caudatus Red Tails

An old favorite, common in American gardens a century ago. Drooping red blooms up to 24" long. Dries well. 48"h ○ 🌿 ☺ **\$5.00—6 plants in a pack**

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. ○

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

A321 **Spanish** *N. hispanica* 🌸—Faintly scented, deep blue 2.5" flowers with a cluster of bright red stems at the center. Good for cutting. 24"h

\$5.00—6 plants in a pack:

A322 **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

A323 **Mulberry Rose** 🌸—Dainty blend of pink and white bicolor blossoms. Blooms in early summer. 18–24"h

Marigolds see box at right

A340 **Mexican Heather** 🌸

Cuphea rosea Lavender Lace

Shiny green leaves with fine lacy texture and tiny lavender-orchid blooms. Drought-tolerant.

10–12"h ○ 🌿 **\$5.00—4.5" pot**

A341 **Mexican Sunflower** 🌸

Tithonia rotundifolia Torch

Daisy-like 3" scarlet-orange blooms. Great for hedges, tall flower beds, or cut flowers. Velvety foliage. Blooms July to frost. Attracts monarchs. May reseed. 60–72"h ○ 🌿 🌿 **\$5.00—6 plants in a pack**

A342 **Milkweed, Blue-Flowered** 🌸

Tweedia caerulea

Furry 4" heart-shaped gray-green leaves and loose clusters of 1" star-shaped pale to sky-blue flowers with darker turquoise centers in summer. Boat-shaped seed pods. From Brazil and Uruguay. 12–36"h ○

\$2.50—3.5" pot

Million Bells *Calibrachoa*

Small petunia-like blooms for baskets or window boxes. Fast-growing (when happy with conditions) and self-cleaning. Trailing. ○

\$5.00—4" pot:

A343 **Blackberry Punch** 🌸—Deep purple flowers with a much darker throat bloom from early spring to frost on trailing branches. Part of the Superbells series. 6–10"h

A344 **Evening Star** (NEW) 🌸—Lavender flowers with a purple throat and a yellow star pattern. Part of the Superbells series. Trails to 24". 6–10"h

A345 **Frostfire** 🌸—In the center of each white flower is a distinct yellow star radiating scarlet-burgundy rays. Pale gray veins make the petals look subtly quilted. Part of the Superbells series. 6–10"h

Million Bells continued

\$5.00—4" pot:

A346 **Hula Godiva** (NEW) 🌸—Terracotta-apricot flowers with dark chocolate-purple centers. 8–10"h

A347 **Minifamous Double Apricot** (NEW) 🌸—Pastel salmon with faint red veins and center. 6–10"h

A348 **Tequila Sunrise** 🌸—Gold with a red eye. Part of the Superbells series. 4–6"h

A349 **Monkey Flower** 🌸

Mimulus Mystic Mix

Clear colors of scarlet, yellow, orange, and white, flowering all season. Dwarf variety, good for cool spring weather. Does well in wet soil. 6–9"h ○ 🌿

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack

A350 **Morning Glory, Dwarf** 🌸

Evolvulus Blue My Mind

True blue five-petaled flowers bloom spring to frost. Trails to 24". Enjoys summer heat. 6–12"h ○

\$5.00—4" pot

Moss Rose *Portulaca grandiflora*

Flowers resemble wild roses on low-growing, succulent plants. Bright colors with enormous appeal. For hot and dry locations, rock gardens, edging. Easy to grow. ○ 🌿

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

A351 **Happy Hour Banana** 🌸—Gold yellow. 4"h by 10–12"w

A352 **Happy Hour Mix** 🌸—4"h by 10–12"w

A353 **Happy Hour Rosita** 🌸—Blooms early with dark pink semi-double flowers. 4"h by 10–12"w

A354 **Sundial Mix** 🌸—4"h by 6–8"w



Love in a Mist

Marigolds *Tagetes* ○ 🌸 🦋

Marigolds like full sun and provide sunny flowers until frost. Excellent for butterflies and caterpillars. Whether called "French" or "African," they are actually native to Mexico.

Bicolor

Alternating red and gold petals.

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

A324 **Mr. Majestic** 🌸—Cheerful in the garden or in containers. 12"h

A325 **Pinwheel** 🌸—Single, heirloom variety dating back to 1791. 24–36"h

Disco

French marigolds with single flowers. 8–10"h 🌿

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

A326 **Marietta** 🌸—Gold with mahogany blotches at the base of the petals.

A327 **Red** 🌸

A328 **Durango**

Flame 🌸

Mahogany with orange-gold edges. 6–12"h 🌿

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack

A329 **Garland Orange** 🌸

Giant ruffled yellow-orange flowers with long, tough stems, used to make temple garlands in India or for parade floats and decorations. 28–60"h

\$5.00—6 plants in a pack

See also TARRAGON, MEXICAN, page 31



Inca

Double 4" blooms. 18–20"h

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

A330 **Orange** 🌸

A331 **Yellow** 🌸

Little Hero

A French crested type with large flowers on compact plants. Puts all its energy into masses of flowers up to 2.5" across. 6–8"h

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

A332 **Flame** 🌸—Red-orange bicolor.

A333 **Mix** 🌸

A334 **Yellow** 🌸

Signet *Tagetes tenuifolia*

Lovely bright carpet of tiny single blooms, very compact. Feathery foliage has a pleasant, citrusy scent. Best for edible flowers. 9–12"h 🌿

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

A335 **Lemon Gem**—Bright yellow.

A336 **Paprika** 🌸—Mahogany with gold centers.

A337 **Tangerine Gem** 🌸—Orange.

White

Unusual white marigolds.

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

A338 **Vanilla** 🌸—Dreamy white flowers. 12–24"h

\$5.00—6 plants in a pack:

A339 **Sweet Cream** 🌸—Very showy 3" odorless blossoms. 18"h

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Annual Flowers

Key

- Full sun
- ◐ Part sun/part shade
- Shade
- 🐝 Attractive to bees
- 🐦 Bird food source
- 🦋 Butterfly-friendly
- 👤 Hummingbird-friendly
- 🌿 Attractive foliage
- 🍷 Culinary
- 🌸 Edible flowers
- 🌱 Ground cover
- 🏠 Medicinal
- 🇺🇸 Minnesota native
- 🪨 Rock garden
- ❄️ Cold-sensitive: keep above 40°F
- ☠️ Toxic to humans
- 🔄 Saturday restock



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for bees



Bring your own wagon if you can, and be sure to keep track of your plant purchases. See page 3 for details and page 45 for where to buy folding wagons that fit in your car.

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—literally, a child can do it. Just poke each large seed into the ground. ○🦋👤🌿

\$1.50—seed packets:

A355 **Dwarf Jewel Mix** (NEW) —Flower power from the 1960s. Apricot, yellow, orange, rose, red, and mahogany flowers held above the blue-green foliage. Some blooms have darker marks or stripes. 12–18”h

\$2.50—seed packets:

A356 **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

A357 **Alaska Red Shades** (NEW) —Red to mahogany single flowers. Mounding. 8”h

A358 **Empress of India**—Deep, velvety crimson flowers against dark blue-green foliage. 8–12”h

A359 **Globe of Fire** (NEW) —Semi-double scarlet, spurred blooms. Compact, non-trailing. 10–12”h

A360 **Ladybird**—Orange-yellow blossoms with deep red centers. 8–12”h

A361 **Milkmaid**—Lightest cream blossoms. 8–12”h

\$5.00—4” pot:

A362 **Duckalicious** —A new flower form for an old favorite, each bloom like a bouquet of tiny yellow ducks’ feet. Even the leaves are lobed rather than the usual round shape. Trailing. 6–12”h

A363 **Flame Thrower Burgundy** (NEW) —Two-tone wine with short, narrow yellow-orange inner petals. Mildly fragrant with separated petals with ragged edges and irregularly lobed leaves. Once-popular 1903 heirloom recently reintroduced. Can trail or scramble. 12”h by 36–48”w

A364 **Flame Thrower Ochre** (NEW) —Yellow-orange with red-orange brushmarks. 12”h by 24–36”w

Nemesia *Nemesia*

Very fragrant, as well as heat- and cold-tolerant, with cute little faces. Another South African beauty. Great for containers. ○

\$5.00—4” pot:

A365 **Nesia Magenta** (NEW) —Red-purple with a dark purple or burgundy throat. 6–12”h

A366 **Opal Innocence**—Extremely fragrant with blooms that change from iridescent pink to light purple. 8–10”h

A367 **Sunsatia Blood Orange** (NEW) —Blooms brushed with orange, red, and yellow. 10–14”h

\$5.00—4.5” pot:

A369 **Nesia Lemon** (NEW) —Cream-yellow. 6–12”h

A370 **Oregano, Hop-Flowered**

Origanum Kent Beauty

Whorls of pink-petaled flowers inside papery purple and chartreuse bracts. Gray-green, silver-veined, nearly heart-shaped leaves. Vigorous, trailing plant with hop-like bracts through the summer and fall. Looks 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 ○🐝🦋👤🌿

\$3.00—2.5” pot

A371 **Oyster Plant**

Tradescantia spathacea Variegated

Clump of shiny green spears with purple backs. Three-petaled, white flowers in boat-shaped bracts are why another common name is Moses-in-a-basket. 12–24”h ○

\$3.00—3.5” pot

Painted Tongue *Salpiglossis*

Trumpet-shaped blooms marked with colorful veins and contrasting throats. ○

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

A372 **Kew Blue** —Deep blue-purple blossoms with a dark center and gold streaks. If deadheaded, blooms spring through summer. Attractive cut flower. 32”h

A373 **Royal Mix** —Red, yellow, orange, rose or purple flowers on dwarf plants, ideal for containers. 10–12”h

Pentas *Pentas lanceolata*

Named for its clusters of five-petaled blooms. Best seller at the Chicago Botanic Garden’s plant sale. Good for butterflies. ○🦋🌿

\$5.00—4” pot:

A374 **Appleblossom Pink** —14–24”h

A375 **Butterfly White** —Dome-shaped 3” clusters of star shaped flowers that love hot weather. 12–22”h

A376 **Carmine** —True red. 30–36”h

A377 **Neon Magenta** —14–24”h

A378 **Pepper, Ornamental**

Capsicum annuum Black Pearl

Round, shiny black fruit, maturing to dark red. Glossy jet-black foliage is perfect for containers. Heat, humidity and drought tolerant. Unusual annual that deserves a place in your flower garden or container. Edible, but bred for looks, not taste. 18”h ○🌿👤\$2.50—2.5” pot

See more HOT PEPPERS, page 20

A379 **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! 12–24”h ○🌿👤\$5.00—5.25” pot

Petunias see box on page 39

A415 **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 the U.K. thanks to its distinctive scent. 12”h ○

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack

A416 **Pincushion Flower**

Scabiosa atropurpurea Chat Noir

Dark red (almost black), white-tipped fully double flowers with a pleasant fragrance. Great cut flowers: the more you cut, the more it blooms. Flowers resemble delicate pincushions. Early to late summer bloomer. 24”h ○🌿👤\$2.50—4 plants in a pack

Pinks *Dianthus*

Annual pinks are early flowering, staying smothered in a perpetual riot of fringed blossoms until frost. May reseed or survive the winter. ○🌿👤

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

A417 **Super Parfait Raspberry** —Early bloomer. 6–8”h

\$5.00—4” pot:

A418 **Jolt Cherry** (NEW) —Vibrant cherry-red flowers all summer. Stunning in a container. 16–20”h

See also more PINKS, pages 14 and 26

Polka Dot *Hypoestes phyllostachya*

Green foliage splashed and speckled with colors. Good for containers, bedding or as a house plant. Some like it in miniature gardens, too. ○🌿👤

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

A419 **Confetti Pink** —6”h

A420 **Confetti White** —6”h

A421 **Poor Man’s Orchid** *Impatiens balfourii*

Pink and white showy flowers summer through fall. Will reseed but can easily be removed if in the wrong place. 24–30”h ○🌿👤🌿👤\$6.00—3.5” pot

Poppy *Papaver*

Cheerful flowers in a range of colors, shapes, and petal styles. May reseed. ○🌿👤

\$2.00—2.5” pot:

A422 **Lauren’s Grape** *P. somniferum* —Plum with an almost white center, silvery foliage. Reseeds. 27”h

\$2.50—seed packets:

A423 **Black Swan** *P. laciniatum*—A profusion of sassy cut petals in burgundy and almost black. A showy addition to the early summer garden. Self-sows. 24–36”h

A424 **Danish Flag** *P. somniferum*—A dead ringer for Denmark’s flag. Feathered red petals marked with a white cross. Intriguing seed pods make ideal holiday arrangements or leave them to add winter interest. Prolific reseeder. 24–36”h 🌿

A425 **Florist Pepperbox** *P. somniferum* (NEW) —Red, purple, or pink 5” flowers. Flower arrangers like the large seedpods. 36”h 🌿

A426 **Peony-Flowered Rose** *P. somniferum* (NEW) —Pompom 4–5” blooms with unruly pink petals. 24–36”h 🌿

\$5.00—6 plants in a pack:

A427 **Ladybird** *P. commutatum* —Nirvana for poppy lovers! Bushy plants produce 15+ blooms simultaneously for at least a month and a half. Red with black markings inside. May reseed. Best in rich soil. 12–18”h

See more POPPIES, pages 14, 15, and 30

Plant widths are similar to their heights unless noted otherwise.

Poppy, California *Eschscholzia californica*

Satiny flowers. Tough and drought-tolerant. Prefers low-fertility soils and good drainage. Can be cut back for rebloom. May self-seed. ○🌿

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

A428 **Mikado** —Deep orange petals with scarlet backs on four-petaled 2–3” flowers. 12–18”h 🌿

A429 **Rosa Romantica** —Ivory double flowers streaked with salmon pink. Long-blooming. 8–10”h

\$2.50—seed packets:

A430 **Ballerina Double Mix** (NEW) —Mix of gold, pink, yellow, and white ruffled 2” semi-double flowers. Blue-green leaves. 10–14”h

A431 **Mission Bells**—Flat-faced poppy blooms in white to yellow to dark orange. 12”h 🌿

A432 **Sage, Gentian**

Salvia patens Blue Angel

Graceful periwinkle to dark blue tubular blooms on upright stems early July through frost. Loose spikes above mounds of velvety foliage. Good cut flower. 24–30”h ○🦋🌿\$5.00—6 plants in a pack

A433 **Sage, Hummingbird**

Salvia subrotunda

Red-orange flowers that bloom all summer until frost. Hummingbirds love it. Attractive bright green, heart-shaped leaves. From Brazil. 48”h ○🦋🌿

\$5.00—6 plants in a pack

Salvia *Salvia*

Garden favorites. Very heat-tolerant. ○🌿🌿

\$2.50—2.5” pot:

A434 **Purple Majesty** *S. guarantica*—Deep blue-purple tubular flowers bloom June to frost. 48–60”h

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

A435 **Evolution Deep Violet** *S. farinacea* —Crowded with violet 6” flower spikes that keep blooming. 18”h

A436 **Forest Fire** *S. coccinea* —Scarlet blooms well above the foliage. 18”h

A437 **Nymph Coral** *S. coccinea* —Airy salmon to almost white blooms. 10”h

A438 **Sizzler Purple** *S. splendens* —Short and great for bedding. 10–12”h 🌿

A439 **Sizzler Red** *S. splendens* —The classic red salvia for bedding. 10–12”h

A440 **Yvonne’s** *S. splendens* —Seldom offered for sale, this tall red is named for the woman who developed it after selecting seed from the tallest plants growing in her garden. She then shared the seed with other gardeners. Very attractive to hummingbirds. 48–60”h

\$5.00—4” pot:

A441 **Amistad** *S. splendens* (NEW) —Deep purple flowers bloom spring to frost on tall, dark stems. Dense, shrub-like plant. Good in a large container. 36–48”h 🌿

A442 **Black and Bloom** *S. guaranitica* (NEW) —The stems and backs of the tubular 1–2” blooms are nearly black. Licorice-scented leaves. Prefers some shade in the afternoon. An improvement on the classic Black and Blue salvia. 36–48”h 🌿

A443 **Dyson’s Joy** *S. greggii* (NEW) —Small but plentiful flowers have large pale pink lower petals and bright rose-pink upper petals. The buds, bud cases, and upper stems are burgundy. 24”h 🌿

A444 **Little Kiss** *S. microphylla* (NEW) —Blooms with red tips and white lips. Compact and well behaved. 18”h

A445 **Love and Wishes** (NEW) —Striking magenta flowers that bloom all season. Burgundy to plum bud cases and stems. A cousin to Wendy’s Wish salvia. 32”h 🌿

A446 **Maraschino** *S. greggii*—Tubular cherry-red flowers and dense dark leaves make this effective massed or as a single specimen. Drought-tolerant. 30–36”h

A447 **Wendy’s Wish** *S. buchananii* —Phenomenal fuchsia flowers with fluted tips on sturdy maroon stems. Long white stamens add even more charm. 30–40”h

\$5.00—5.25” pot:

A448 **Dancing Flame** *S. splendens* —Resembling an unusually vibrant coleus until its scarlet flowers appear in late summer, this sage has dark green leaves liberally splashed with bright gold. Looks best with some light afternoon shade. 36”h

\$5.00—6 plants in a pack:

A449 **Pink** *S. splendens* —Wild form with peach-pink flowers. It should become quite bushy. Can be brought indoors for the winter. 48–60”h 🌿

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Shamrock *Oxalis vulcanicola*

Colorful, clover-like foliage in low, mounding mats with small, bright flowers. Easy to grow: drought-tolerant, deer-resistant, no deadheading needed. Also a great houseplant. ☉☼

\$5.00—4" pot:

A450 **Charmed Wine** 🌱—White lily-shaped 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" due to its combination of pretty flowers and nice foliage. 12–16"h

A451 **Molten Lava** 🌱—Leaves range in color from chartreuse to orange-maroon depending on the light conditions. Dainty yellow flowers all season long. 6–10"h by 18–24"w

A452 **Plum Crazy** 🌱—Dappled pink, green, and white foliage with yellow flowers. Exciting new look in the shade. 3–8"h by 12"w

A453 **Silver Nickel Vine** 🌱

Dichondra Silver Falls

Rounded, fan-shaped silver foliage with a cascading habit. Heat and drought-tolerant in sun and shade, great for containers. Grows 36–72" long. 2–4"h ☉☼

\$2.00—2.5" pot

Snapdragon *Antirrhinum*

Old-fashioned favorites for great cut flowers early summer to fall. Deer-resistant. ☉

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

A454 **Black Prince** 🌱—Velvety dark crimson flowers. Dark foliage. 18"h

A455 **Madam Butterfly Mix** 🌱—Double azalea-type blooms in wide range of colors. 24–30"h

A456 **Rocket Mix** 🌱—Tall, great for cut flowers. 36"h

A457 **Rocket Redstone** 🌱—Bronzy red foliage.

Cherry red flowers. 30–36"h

A458 **Sonnet White** 🌱—18–21"h

A459 **Speedy Sonnet Yellow** *A. nanum* 🌱—Bicolor sassy yellow blooms with a red-purple lip. 18–24"h

\$5.00—6 plants in a pack:

A460 **Purple Twist** 🌱—Purple and white striped flowers all summer. Cooler temperatures bring out the purple stripes. Lightly fragrant. 24–48"h

A461 **Red Delilah** 🌱—Attention-grabbing crimson blossoms with a white tube. Sturdy stems. 30–60"h

A462 **Snapdragon, Chantilly** 🌱

Antirrhinum Deep Orange

Dark salmon flowers. Flat-faced, jumbo blooms cluster on strong 4.5" spikes in spring and fall. Longer-lasting in the garden and in the vase than traditional snapdragons. 36–48"h ☉ \$5.00—6 plants in a pack

Snapdragon, Dwarf *Antirrhinum*

A snapdragon for edging. Heat- and frost-tolerant.

☉☼🌱

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

A463 **Chimes Mix** 🌱—Early, well-branched. 6–8"h

A464 **Twinnny 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

A465 **Snapdragon, Trailing** 🌱 **NEW**

Antirrhinum Fruit Salad Cranberry

Vibrant deep pink petals with a brushstroke of gold. Semi-trailing. Most vigorous of the trailing snapdragons. Very easy to grow. Heat- and cold-tolerant. 4–8"h ☉☼ \$5.00—4" pot

Spiderflower *Cleome hassleriana*

Spiderflower performs well through heat and drought. Self-sows for next year. Useful for backgrounds and large beds. Nectar is excellent for bees and fair for hummingbirds. Seeds are eaten by finches and juncos. ☉☼🌱

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

A466 **Rose Queen** 🌱—36–48"h

A467 **Violet Queen** 🌱—36–48"h

A468 **White Queen** 🌱—36–48"h

\$5.00—4" pot:

A469 **Clio Magenta** 🌱—Upright 4–6" whiskery flowers on a full, well-branched plant. Does not produce seed so it just keeps blooming. No thorns or sticky foliage. 18–36"h

\$5.00—6 plants in a pack:

A470 **Cherry Queen** 🌱—Intense, bright rose 3–8" blooms fit equally well in cottage or tropical gardens. 36–48"h

A471 **Spurge, Baby's Breath** 🌱 **NEW**

Euphorbia graminea Glamour

Snowflakes of tiny, airy 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. 15–20"h ☉☼ \$5.00—4" pot

A472 **Star Flower** 🌱

Laurentia axillaris Beth's Blue

Mounds of fragrant 1" violet-blue star-shaped flowers that bloom until frost. Leaves have irregularly spiky edges. Good along paths. 12–14"h ☉☼

\$5.00—4" pot

A473 **Stocks Matthiola incana Katz Purple** 🌱

Tall cutting variety with a lovely fragrance, double rose blossoms over silvery gray foliage. A heat-tolerant, fragrant flower from old-fashioned gardens. 12–32"h ☉☼ \$5.00—6 plants in a pack

Sun Daisy *Osteospermum*

Cheerful 3" daisy-like blooms. Excellent for cutting. ☉

\$5.00—4.5" pot:

A474 **Akila Purple** 🌱—Flowers open silver and turn vibrant purple. Compact and well-branched. 16–20"h

A475 **Summertime Sweet White** 🌱—White with purple eye. 16"h

A476 **Symphony Orange** 🌱—The best orange yet. 8–12"h

A477 **Sundrops** 🌱 **NEW**

Oenothera kunthiana Glowing Magenta

Pink, four-petaled 1.5" flowers bloom from furry buds. Forms a mound of narrow, lance-shaped leaves. Native to hot, dry areas of Mexico and the southern parts of Texas and Arizona. 7"h 🌱 \$2.00—2.5" pot

Single-flowered plants, as opposed to showy doubles, make it easier for pollinators to access nectar.



Petunias *Petunia* ☉🌱🌡️

Carpet

Compact plants with many medium-sized blooms. The heaviest bloomers. 6–12"h

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

A380 **Blue** 🌱

A381 **Mix** 🌱

A382 **Pink** 🌱

A383 **Plum** 🌱—Purple with deeper purple veins.

A384 **Red** 🌱

A385 **Sky Blue** 🌱

A386 **Velvet** 🌱—Burgundy-purple.

A387 **White** 🌱

Dreams

3–4" flowers that hold up well in rain. 8–12"h

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

A388 **Midnight** 🌱—Deep blue.

A389 **Pink** 🌱—Pastel pink.

A390 **Red** 🌱

A391 **White** 🌱

Easy Wave

Spreading variety, also great in baskets and containers. 6–8"h by 36"w

\$3.00—3.5" pot:

A392 **Misty Lilac** 🌱—Recommended by Master Gardener Nancy Rose in the *Star Tribune*.

A393 **Tidal Wave Silver** 🌱—White flowers with a purple throat and veining.

\$5.00—4.5" pot:

A394 **Blue** 🌱

A395 **Pink** 🌱

A396 **Hells Bells** 🌱

Trailing reddish orange fragrant flowers. 8"h ☉☼ \$5.00—4" pot

Hula Hoop

Ruffled and early-blooming with a wide white ring. Compact and uniform. 12"h ☉☼

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

A397 **Blue** 🌱

A398 **Rose** 🌱

A399 **Hummingbird Red** 🌱

Petunia exserta

Hard to find? In 2007, only 14 plants were found growing in Brazil in "shaded cracks on sandstone towers" (Wikipedia). Unique? It's the only petunia pollinated by hummingbirds, and the only red wild petunia. Star-faced crimson 2.5" flowers with long nectar tubes and prominent stamens and stigma. Said to bloom sooner when root bound. Blooms early summer to fall. 24"h 🌱 \$4.00—3.5" pot

Multicolor

Innovations in petunia breeding have led to a range of color combinations on each blossom.

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

A400 **Can Can Harlequin Burgundy** 🌱—Deep red 3–4" blooms marked with white flares. Petals have jagged edges with white margins. Perfect for a red, white, and blue planting. 13–16"h

Multicolor continued

\$5.00—4" pot:

A401 **ColorWorks Homare** **NEW** 🌱—White bloom with a windmill pattern of lilac. Magenta brushmarks toward the edges and a small yellow center. From a creative Japanese plant breeding company, the name means "praise" or "honor" and is pronounced "HOE-mar-aye" like the Japanese soccer star. A favorite of our grower. 10–14"h

A402 **Crazytunia Pulse**—Dark burgundy-purple flowers with a bright yellow central star and hot pink edges that do seem to flicker. Semi-trailing. Compact and sturdy. 10–12"h

A403 **Night Sky** **NEW** 🌱—Dark violet flowers sprinkled with white spots of different sizes. Easy. 10–16"h by 24–36"w

A404 **Picasso in Pink** 🌱—A deep violet throat surrounded by a rim of brilliant chartreuse makes this new Supertunia a real show-stopper. Strong trailer that blooms all summer. 8–12"h 🌱

A405 **Panache Double Trouble** 🌱 **NEW**

A pink outer ruff of petals lightens toward a clustered twist of pink petals in the center. Trailing. 15–18"h \$5.00—4" pot

A406 **Prism Sunshine** 🌱

Yellow center with a cream edge. 12–14"h \$2.50—4 plants in a pack

A407 **Sophistica Blue Morn** 🌱

Deep blue-purple turning pale towards the center. 10–15"h \$2.50—4 plants in a pack

SuperCal *Petchoa* (*Petunia* x *Calibrachoa*)

A fabulous hybrid that delivers the best characteristics of petunias and million bells: vigorous, with exceptional flower power, lush foliage, dependable performance, and beautiful color. No deadheading needed.

\$5.00—4" pot:

A408 **Cherry Improved** **NEW** 🌱—Hard to see how a SuperCal could be improved unless it planted and watered itself. Pinkish red blooms on trailing stems to 18". 12"h

A409 **Light Yellow** **NEW** 🌱—Warm pastel yellow. 12"h

A410 **Neon Rose** 🌱—Vibrant fuchsia-pink. 12"h 🌱

A411 **Velvet** 🌱—Deep rose-red with darker eye and veins and slight yellow throat. 12–16"h by 24–30"w

Supercascade

Trailer with 3.5" flowers. Excellent for baskets and with good drought tolerance.

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

A412 **Burgundy** 🌱—10"h

A413 **Salmon** 🌱—10"h

A414 **Sweetunia Johnny Flame** 🌱 **NEW**

Exploding with pink, magenta, and darkest purple blooms. Ideal for mixed baskets and flower boxes because it won't overwhelm its neighbors. 8"h by 18"w ☉🌱 \$5.00—4" pot



Petunia



Spiderflower

Annual Flowers

Key

- Full sun
- ◐ Part sun/part shade
- Shade
- 🍯 Attractive to bees
- 🐦 Bird food source
- 🦋 Butterfly-friendly
- 👤 Hummingbird-friendly
- 🌿 Attractive foliage
- 🍷 Culinary
- 🌸 Edible flowers
- 🌱 Ground cover
- 🏠 Medicinal
- 🇺🇸 Minnesota native
- 🪨 Rock garden
- ❄️ Cold-sensitive: keep above 40°F
- ☠️ Toxic to humans
- 🔄 Saturday restock

Sunflower *Helianthus annuus*

Friendly late summer and fall bloomers, sunflowers are the sentinels of the garden, beloved by children and birds alike. Sunflowers were cultivated by Native Americans in the Southwest as early as 3000 B.C., then taken to Europe by the Spanish around 1500 A.D. The flowers were grown all over Europe, mainly as an ornamental. It's likely that they will reseed next year. ○🍷

\$1.50—seed packets:

- A478 **Black Russian** **NEW**—Heirloom variety with black seeds and yellow 18" flowers. 144"h
- A479 **Indian Blanket** **NEW**—Branching variety with many mahogany-red 4" flowers tipped with yellow. Blooms tend to have fluffy extra petals around the center. 48–60"h
- A480 **Mammoth Grey** **NEW**—Large 12" flowerheads with edible grey seeds. 144"h

\$2.50—seed packets:

- A481 **Evening Sun** **NEW**—Bicolor 3–5" flowers in shades of burgundy, red, rust, and gold. 72–96"h
- A482 **Hopi Black Dye** **NEW**—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
- A483 **Valentine** **NEW**—Yellow 5–6" flowers with a brown to black center. Blooms last a week or more in a vase. 60"h

Sweet Potato Vine *Ipomoea batatas*

Vigorous trailing vine can romp among your flowers or cascade from baskets or containers. Trails up to 48". 6–10"h by 24–36"w ○🍷🌿👤

\$5.00—4" pot:

- A484 **Illusion Emerald Lace** 🌿—Almost spidery chartreuse leaves.
- A485 **Illusion Midnight Lace** 🌿—Dramatic, graceful, deeply cut black-maroon foliage.
- A486 **Jade Masquerade** **NEW** 🌿—Heart-shaped burgundy leaves splashed with green.
- A487 **South of the Border Guacamole** **NEW** 🌿—Leaves have one large central spearhead-shaped lobe and several pointed side lobes with fine red-dish veins.
- A488 **Sweet Caroline Bronze** 🌿—Light cinnamon deeply lobed leaves.
- A489 **Sweet Caroline Green and Yellow** 🌿—Variegated.
- A490 **Sweet Caroline Raven** **NEW** 🌿—Shiny purple-black leaves with three long, pointed lobes.
- A491 **Sweet Caroline Sweetheart Lime** **NEW** 🌿—Elongated chartreuse hearts with fine red outlines. Well-behaved and compact in a mixed container, only trailing to 20".

Sweet William *Dianthus barbatus*

Old-fashioned beauty and fragrance. Easy to grow biennial in colors from white to pink to red. Blooms in spring and reseeds. Clove-scented. ○🍷

\$2.00—2.5" pot:

- A492 **Noverna Mix** 🌿—15–24"h 🦋🌿

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

- A493 **Wee Willie** 🌿—Mix of scented red, pink, and white bicolors. 6"h

A494 Tassel Flower 🌿

Emilia javanica Irish Poet

Fluffy, little orange flowers are fun to imagine as the ruffled redhead of its variety name. Easy, long-blooming heirloom that may gently self-sow. 20"h ○

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack

Tobacco, Flowering *Nicotiana*

Easy and fragrant in the evening. Excellent nectar source for hummingbirds and moths (including the hummingbird-like sphinx moth). Seeds for finches and juncos. May reseed. ○🍷🌿👤

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

- A495 **Hot Chocolate** 🌿—Pendulous green tubes opening to starry petals of ruby red to maroon. Best color with morning sun. 48"h
- A496 **Red** 🌿—Dark red tubular flowers. 12–18"h
- A497 **Starmaker Lime** 🌿—Lime-green 2" tubular flowers. 12–18"h

\$5.00—6 plants in a pack:

- A498 **Big Mouth** *N. glutinosa* 🌿—Charming spikes of peachy-rose, wide-open, bell-like flowers with a pale yellow throat. Felted, heart-shaped gray leaves. Easy to grow, long-blooming, and good for cutting. Reseeds freely. 24–36"h
- A499 **Fragrant Delight Mix** *N. alata*—Star-shaped blooms in shades of fuchsia, white, salmon, purple, lavender, rust and bronze. 48–72"h
- A500 **Grand Old White** *N. alata grandiflora* 🌿—Fragrant, old-fashioned white. 32"h
- A501 **Lime** *N. alata*—Check out these 1" lime green trumpets opening to beautiful five-pointed stars that bloom profusely for three months. Looks especially great with blue flowers. 24–36"h
- A502 **Whisper Deep Pink**—Blooms prolifically in varying shades of white to pink from May until frost. All colors present at once. 36"h
- A503 **White to Rose** *N. mutabilis* 🌿—This hummingbird favorite has been written up in Martha Stewart Living. 36–60"h
- A504 **Woodland** *N. sylvestris* 🌿—Elongated, tubular, star-shaped white flowers form fountains atop tall stems. Huge leaves. Sweetly scented. More shade tolerant than other tobaccos. 48–60"h

Verbena *Verbena*

Trailing brilliant colors. Heat- and drought-tolerant. ○🍷🌿

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

- A506 **Imagination** *V. tenuisecta* 🌿—Large flower clusters in deep blue-violet. Feathery foliage. One of garden writer Marge Hols's all-time favorites. Self-seeds. 12"h by 20"w
- A507 **Obsession Blue with Eye** 🌿—6–12"h
- A508 **Peaches and Cream** 🌿—8"h
- A509 **Quartz Red with Eye** 🌿—Cherry-red with a white eye. 10–12"h

A510 Verbena, Brazilian 🌿

Verbena bonariensis

Many gardeners consider it indispensable, with its tall and airy purple umbels on many slender stalks. Particularly nice with butterfly flower (*Asclepias curassavica*). Self-seeds. A good cut flower. 48"h ○🍷🌿

\$5.00—6 plants in a pack

Vinca *Catharanthus roseus*

Ever-bloomer for beds in summer and pots in winter. Waxy, open flowers are abundantly produced. Thrives in summer heat. Low maintenance and stays neat right up to frost. Mounded habit. ○🍷🌿👤

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

- A511 **Cooler Mix** 🌿—14"h
- A512 **Pacifica Red** 🌿—True red. 16"h
- A513 **Peppermint** 🌿—White with red eye. 6–12"h

A514 Vinca Vines *Vinca major* Expoflora 🌿

Long trailing vines hold green foliage with wide, irregular white edges. Blue blossoms may occur in full sun. Great for containers. 6–12"h ○🍷🌿👤

\$5.00—4.5" pot

Plant widths are similar to their heights unless noted otherwise.

Wishbone Flower *Torenia fournieri*

A treasure for shaded beds and pots. Colorful 1" blooms. Look for the little "wishbones" hidden inside the flower. Deer-resistant. 🍷●

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

- A515—**Clown Blue** 🌿—Light and dark blue. 8–10"h
- A516—**Clown Burgundy** 🌿—8–10"h
- A517—**Clown Lemon** 🌿—8–10"h
- A518—**Clown Mix** 🌿—8–10"h

\$5.00—4" pot:

- A519—**Summer Wave Bouquet Gold** **NEW** 🌿—Not for Gopher fans only: yellow-gold flowers with a dark maroon throat. No deadheading. 6–8"h 🌿👤
- A520—**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 University of Minnesota Best Performers. Trails up to 36". 8–10"h

Zinnia *Zinnia elegans*

Quick growers for bright, clear color. Easy to grow with blooms all summer. Make sure they have adequate air circulation to reduce mildew. Deer-resistant. 🍷🌿

\$1.50—seed packets:

- A521 **California Giant Mix** **NEW**—Heirloom rainbow mix of pink, cherry, red, scarlet, orange, apricot, light yellow, yellow, gold, purple, lavender, and white 4–5" double and semi-double flowers. Reliable, easy from seed, and sturdy. 48"h 🌿

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

- A522 **Lilliput Mix** 🌿—This zinnia series is a particular magnet for butterflies. 16–18"h
- A523 **Lilliput Orange** 🌿—16–18"h
- A524 **Lilliput Pink** 🌿—16–18"h
- A525 **State Fair Mix** 🌿—Huge blooms up to 6" across. Good for cutting. 36–48"h
- A526 **Swizzle Cherry-Ivory** 🌿—3.5" bicolor blooms. 6–12"h
- A527 **Swizzle Scarlet-Yellow** 🌿—3.5" bicolor blooms. 6–12"h

\$5.00—6 plants in a pack:

- A528 **Benary's Giant Lime** 🌿—Fully double chartreuse 4–5" flowers. 40–50"h
- A529 **Benary's Giant Mix** 🌿—Fully double 4–5" flowers in a rainbow of colors. 40–50"h
- A530 **Benary's Giant Wine** 🌿—Burgundy 4–5" fully double blooms resembling dahlias. 36"h
- A531 **Inca** 🌿—Sun-worshipping fiery orange 5" double blooms. Would look great with any blue salvia. 36–40"h
- A532 **Pinca** 🌿—Fully double peachy pink 6" flowers. Great as a cut flower or just massed in your garden bed. 36"h
- A533 **Queen Red Lime** 🌿—Maroon outer petals grade to lime centers with shades of rose, mauve, and soft chartreuse. Double or semi-double. 40–50"h
- A534 **Zinderella Lilac** 🌿—A fat, fuzzy 2.5" dome of lilac-pink petals with a skirt of extra petals. Maroon centers. Fleuroselect winner. 24–31"h
- A535 **Zinderella Peach** 🌿—Blended salmon, light orange, terracotta, and pink with a rose center. 24–31"h

Zinnia, Dwarf *Zinnia*

More compact than the tall flowers we usually think of as zinnias. Bright, clear colors. Easy to grow with blooms until frost. 🍷

\$2.50—4 plants in a pack:

Profusion series 12"h

Compact, mound-forming, mildew resistant.

- A536 **Cherry** 🌿
- A537 **Double Cherry** 🌿—Saturated rosy-pink.
- A538 **Mix** 🌿
- A539 **Orange** 🌿
- A540 **White** 🌿

Zahara series, *Z. marylandica* 12–18"h

Planted for the Beijing Olympics because it performs wonderfully in hot, sunny, dry places.

- A541 **Coral Rose** 🌿
- A542 **Fire** 🌿—Reddish orange.
- A543 **Starlight Rose** 🌿—2.5" bicolor, white with a rose starburst in the center. 8–12"h
- A544 **Sunburst** 🌿—Large, vibrant yellow blossoms reveal dark central stripes that widen through the season.

\$5.00—6 plants in a pack:

- A545 **Double Salmon Rose** **NEW** 🌿—Bright slightly orange pink. 16–20"h

Hanging Baskets

This year, all our hanging baskets are cold-tolerant enough to withstand temperatures down to 40°. Look for them outside near the Bulbs & Bareroots shelves.

EDIBLES

Strawberry, Toscana

Fragaria
Dark pink flowers, red fruit. Ever-bearing. ○🍷🌿
12" fiber basket \$29.00

Herb Mix

Organic mix with thyme, sage, oregano, flatleaf parsley, and one other cold-hardy herb. ○🍷🌿👤
10" basket \$25.00

12" BASKETS \$25.00

Alyssum—(*Lobularia*) in white, purple, or a combination. ○🍷

Lobelia—(*Lobelia*) in blue. ○🍷🌿👤

Million Bells—(*Calibrachoa*) a variety of mixed color baskets. ○

Nasturtiums—(*Tropaeolum*) in a range of colors from dark red to orange to cream, some with variegated foliage. ○🍷🌿👤

Nodding Violet—(*Streptocarpella*) large violets with dark stems. ○🍷

Petunias—(*Petunia*) in purple, yellow, or a mix of colors. ○

Twinspur—(*Diascia*) in pink, orange, or a mix of colors. ○🍷

Verbena—(*Verbena*) purple with a white star marking. ○🍷

Wishbone Flower—(*Torenia*) in yellow or purple 🍷●

NOTE: Baskets are not included in our website's plant listings.