



Coleus Giant Exhibition™ Series *Coleus Blumei*



COLORS AVAILABLE: Limelight, Magma, Marble, Palisandra, Rustic Red, Formula Mix

GARDEN HEIGHT: Height: 20 inches, width: 10 – 14 inches

NOVELTY CHARACTERISTIC: Extra large leaves, adds texture and color to garden, thrives in partial sun and shade

MARKET USE: Patio, garden, house plant

CULTURAL RECOMMENDATIONS:

CONTAINER SIZE

SOWING: 288 plug tray

FINISH CONTAINER: Packs, 4 – 6 inch pots, gallon

PLUG STAGE

GERMINATION: Emergence 8 - 10 days; 70 - 75°F; cover seed lightly

EC (POUR THROUGH METHOD): 0.4 mS/cm - 0.6 mS/cm
Coleus is sensitive to high salt, particularly ammonium

PLUG FINISH TIME: 4 to 5 weeks from sow

FINISHING

WEEKS TO FINISH: 7 - 10 weeks after sowing

MOISTURE: Moderate

TEMPERATURE: 65 - 85°F day/65 - 72°F night — provide light shade to cool leaf temperature under high light and heat

EC (POUR THROUGH METHOD): 0.75 mS/cm

pH 5.8 - 6.0

COMMON DISEASE/PESTS: Downy mildew, powdery mildew / Aphids, whitefly, mealy bug

NOTES:

- Paclobutrazol, daminozide, and chlormequat PGRs are all effective

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