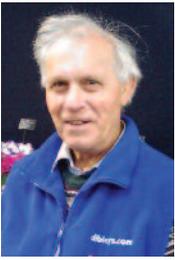


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THE SPECIALIST FOR
INDOOR PLANTS

MAIL ORDER CATALOGUE
& PLANT CARE (Pages 53-55)

2021



We are pleased once again to bring you our new catalogue and hope you find inspiration to colour your homes.

As we go to press the rules for exporting to the EU and N. Ireland are still to be finalised, it could be that we are unable to send plants into these areas without additional paperwork i.e. Phytosanitary Certificates - which cost in the region of £30-£50 per parcel.

During the pandemic we have kept both our shop and garden closed and have been unable to attend the large flower shows – hopefully as this pandemic recedes, we will get back to normal.

Check our website for all up to date information regarding our shop, garden, flower shows and new Brexit rules.

Our potted plants by post have become ever more popular – if you are nervous of growing from plugs or want instant colour then this is the size to choose – see pages 49 – 50. We are continuing to expand our range of rare and unusual plants on our website.

Despite the ongoing problems we hope things will get back to normal soon and we look forward to welcoming you again at our nursery or at our displays at flower shows.

Wishing you all a healthy year and a successful growing season.

Rex Dibley

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Plug Plants

(pages 3-43)

The plants we send are all individually labelled, well established young plants grown in 4cm jumbo plugs. Plants will be despatched with full growing instructions from the beginning of March until the end of October. Please allow up to 28 days for delivery.

In the event of a variety being sold out another of equal or greater value will be substituted, unless you have indicated alternatives acceptable to you or stated you do not want substitutes, in which case we will issue a refund or credit note. Please quote invoice number in any correspondence about your order.

STREPTOCARPUS

Plug Plants – pages 4-20
Potted Plants – page 49 &50

Be amazed at the profusion of blossom on our hybrid varieties in an assortment of colours, from purple, blue, red, pink, and white to the recently added bi-colours. Plug plants will be despatched from March until the end of October.



STREPTOCARPUS COLLECTIONS

FLEISCHLE STREPTOCARPUS

We are pleased to be the sole agents in the UK for these beautiful free flowering Streptocarpus from the German growers, Fleischle Gartenbau.

FLEISCHLE COLLECTION A The following 5 varieties £16.50



BIANCA

AMBIENTE 🏆

DENIM

ROULETTE AZUR 🏆

ROULETTE CHERRY

FLEISCHLE COLLECTION B The following 5 varieties £16.50



RUBINA

TARGA 🏆

RUBINA PINK 🏆

PINK LEYLA 🏆

LEYLA

FLEISCHLE COLLECTIONS A & B

ALL 10 VARIETIES £29.00

CRYSTAL COLLECTION

5 plants for £17.50 (inc p+p)



Crystal Beauty
Crystal Dawn
Crystal Ice
Crystal Snow
Crystal Wonder

This collection includes one plant each of the 5 'All Year Flowering' varieties listed above

HARLEQUIN COLLECTION

5 plants for £20.50 (inc p+p)



Harlequin Blue
Harlequin Dawn
Harlequin Delft
Harlequin Lace
Harlequin Purple

This collection includes one plant each of the 5 Harlequin varieties listed above



STARTER COLLECTION

6 plants for £19.00 (inc p+p)

Alissa
Bethan
Charlotte
Katie
Matilda
Ruby

This collection includes one plant each of the 6 varieties listed above



STREPTOCARPUS COLLECTIONS

We also offer collections of our selection of plants, all named, in a good range of colours; price includes post and packing (sent 1st Class).

4 plants, our selection all different.....	£13.50
8 plants, our selection all different.....	£20.00
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NEW STREPTOCARPUS 2021

All 3 varieties bred at Dibleys - all from our extensive breeding programme.



ISLA

Larger two-tone flowers: a halo of rose pink surrounds a soft yellow centre that has lines sprinkled in pink on the base of its throat.

£4.50



LUCILLE

This is an elegant variety with a bold, upright habit and straight, narrow leaves. The two white flashes in the throat are a contrast to the deep blue centre. The violet/blue lobes are rounded with an open flat face. Exceptionally free flowering. **£4.50**



MABEL

Delicate is the adjective that best describes the colour of the flowers on this variety, but the growth is quick. This plant will reward you with a mass of medium sized, star shaped flowers and will bloom continuously for an exceptionally long season.

£4.50

STREPTOCARPUS VARIETIES A - Z



ABIGAIL. The numerous, flat faced flowers are a gentle, subtle hyacinth blue and held on strong stems above the compact foliage. A long flowering season is to be expected from this beautiful plant. **£4.50**



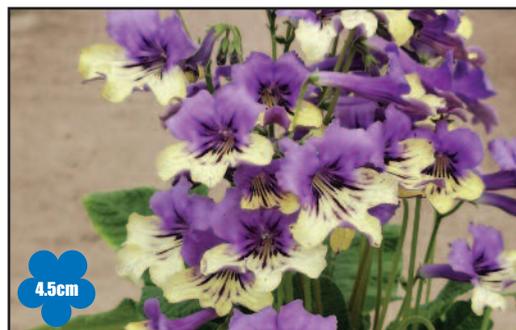
ADELE. A large flowering variety, with shocking red-purple blooms, the lower 3 lobes have a central yellow shadow, the throat is a golden yellow. Very free flowering. **£3.60**



ALANA. A compact variety with rich ruby pink rounded flowers, the surface is suffused with darker pink freckles. This is a very free flowering variety which produces flowers for up to eight months, the flowers forming a tight ball. (Introduced 2016) **£3.60**



ALBATROSS. A strong plant with pure white flowers and a yellow eye. A very beautiful plant, the flowers are ideal for cutting. **£3.60**



ALEXIS. A taller growing variety with strong upright flower stems. The bi-coloured flowers are divided by deep purple lined. Free flowering from early spring through into late autumn. **£3.90**



ALISSA
Wonderful primrose yellow on all 5 lobes of the flower with faint lines in the throat. Multi branching and very free flowering. It can flower for 10 months. **£3.60**



AMBIENTE

The flowers are burgundy-red in colour and have an upturned habit; a striking plant with a good balanced habit. **£3.60**



ANNE.

Deepest purple and fully double; a very beautiful and distinctive flower. **£3.60**



BETHAN. One of the best varieties bred at our nursery. Sky blue upper lobes, lower lobes having a tracery of purple overlying the blue. Masses of tightly clustered flowers above smallish leaves forming a nice neat plant. **£3.60**



4.4cm

CARIAD. This variety produces up to ten blooms per inflorescence; overall the proportions of the plant are very pleasing with compact leaves and medium length flower stalks. The plant will flower from early April to late October each year. **£3.60**



4.8cm

CARNIVAL. Crystal white upper lobes are a sharp contrast to the deep, violet-blue edges to the lower lobes; the flower edges are ruffled but overall the flower is flat faced showing off its attractive markings. A free flowering variety over a long season. **£4.50**



5cm

CELEBRATION. Very early flowering, it will bloom continuously from March to November; this variety has strong stems with a multi-flowering habit and a neat rosette of leaves. **£3.60**



4.8cm

CARYS. This plant has flowers with striking pale blue upper lobes with rich pansy purple veining over the lower lobes. A neat upright plant with a tidy rosette of leaves. An excellent multi-flowering variety. **£3.60**



6.5cm

CHARLOTTE. These flowers are pale cornflower blue around the edge with a very large yellow eye. The flowers are held on short stems over compact leaves. A very attractive variety. **£3.60**

THE ALL YEAR FLOWERING 'CRYSTAL' SERIES



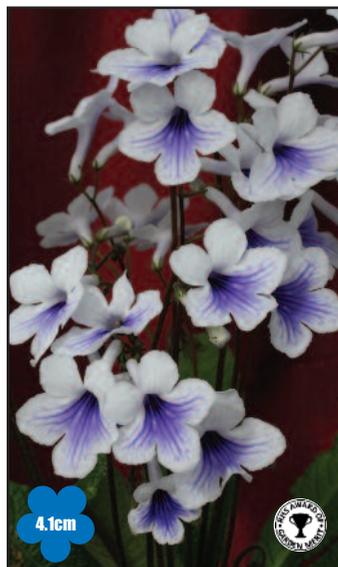
CRYSTAL BEAUTY

£3.60



CRYSTAL DAWN

£3.60



CRYSTAL ICE

£3.60

CRYSTAL COLLECTION

5 plants for £17.50 (inc p+p)

This collection includes one plant each of the 5 varieties on this page.



CRYSTAL SNOW

£3.60



CRYSTAL WONDER

£3.60



DENIM. A very aptly named plant, the upper lobes are the colour of washed denim, whilst the lower section is a true indigo blue. Exceptionally free flowering on a medium sized plant. **£3.60**



DINAS. Strong, upright stems on a medium sized plant hold the blooms in an attractive cluster above the leaves. Each flower has an eye-catching, star-shaped shadow of deep purple in the centre of the flower. **£3.90**



ELSI. A really spectacular colour; large flowers of the deepest purple with a yellow throat and two small yellow flashes at the centre. **£3.60**



FAITH. Vibrant and intense are apt adjectives for the bright, red-purple flowers on this new variety. The white throat and picotee edging define each flower; a multi-flowering habit with over 9 months of blooms a season. **£4.50**



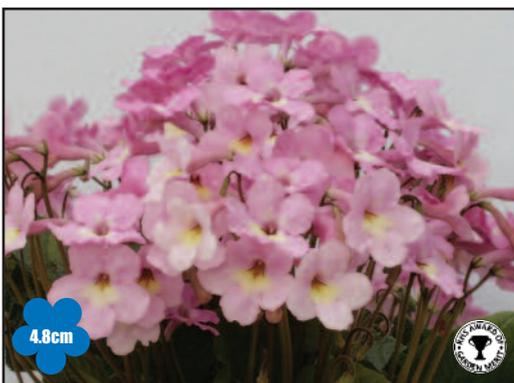
FALLING STARS. This produces vast numbers of small dainty sky blue flowers. Very spectacular, early flowering and easy to grow, making this introduction of ours one of the very best *Streptocarpus*. **£3.60**



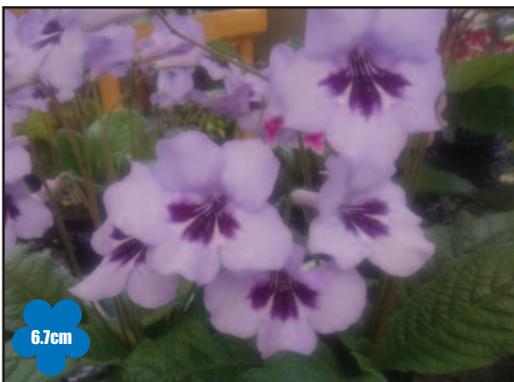
GLORIA. A pale pink sport of 'Falling Stars' with the same lovely flowering habit i.e., masses of small dainty flowers. **£3.60**



GWEN. This is a white sport of 'Bethan', retaining all the excellent growing properties. The plant produces a large head of flowers that almost smother the compact leaves. **£3.60**



HANNAH. The flowers are pale pink when they first open, darkening to a mid pink after a couple of days. The throat is a strong yellow which extends over the lower lobes, overlaid with 7 short purple lines. The habit is very similar to its sister plant 'Hope'. **£3.60**



HEIDI. A lovely clear blue with distinctive deep purple markings on the lower lobes. Upright habit. **£3.60**

THE BI-COLOURED 'HARLEQUIN' SERIES



HARLEQUIN BLUE

£4.30



HARLEQUIN DAWN

£4.30



HARLEQUIN DELFT

£4.30

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Harlequin varieties on this page.

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and information



HARLEQUIN LACE

£4.30



HARLEQUIN PURPLE

£4.30

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HOPE. The flowers are a rich velvety red/purple with two strong yellow flashes in the throat. A medium/compact variety which is very free flowering over 10 months of the year. The leaves are mid green and reasonably compact. **£3.60**



KIM. An early flowering, compact variety with a multi-flowering head of velvety, inky-purple blooms. **£3.90**



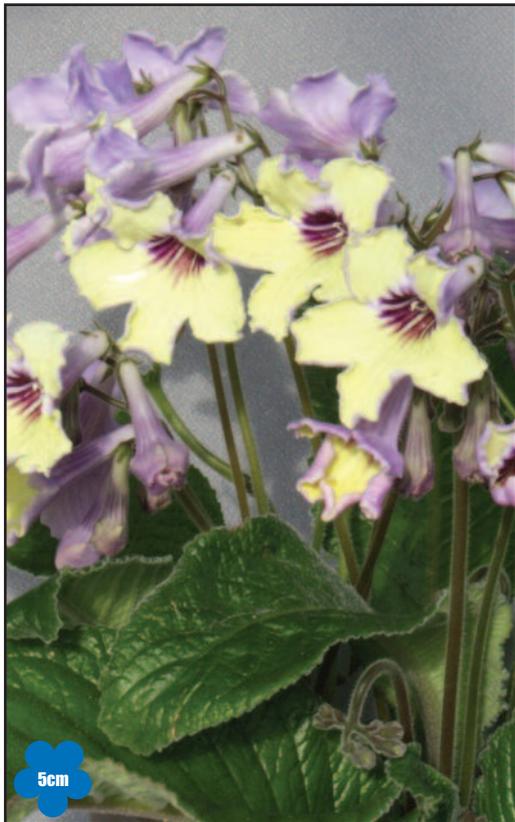
KATIE. A strong variety which is very free flowering with deep inky purple veins on a paler background. Very distinctly marked flowers with about 8 flowers per stem. **£3.60**



LAURA. Pale pink with distinct deep pink veins on the lower three lobes. A multi flowering variety with a similar habit to Gloria. **£3.60**



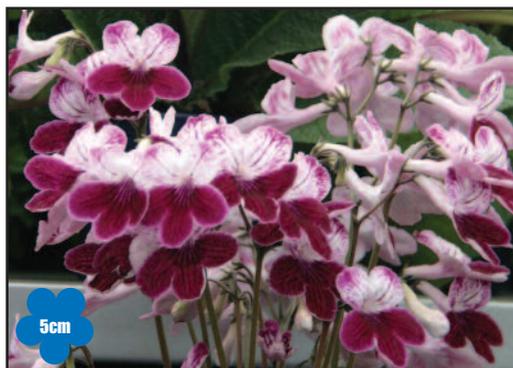
LEAH. Deepest velvety plum-red flowers with a beguiling white border. Very free flowering on a compact plant. Height 22 - 27cm. **£4.30**



LEMON SORBET The brightest, zingiest, yellow streptocarpus so far – the open face of these flowers sparkles in the sunshine. This variety is extremely floriferous with months of continuous blooms; compact growth. Height 17- 22cm. **£5.00**



LUCY. A very floriferous medium sized plant. The flowers are a strong mid pink with ruffled edges. The central strong ruby red lines emphasise the broad trumpet shaped flowers. **£3.60**



LYNDEE. A striking flower colour with intense veining and a contrasting edge to the lower lobes. A strong variety which is multi-flowering with a tall habit. Good for the show bench. **£3.60**



LOWRI. A medium sized variety that has a long blooming season, March until November. The open, rounded lobes are crystal-clear white with well-defined plum-pink veining on the lower three. **£4.50**



MANON. A multi-flowering variety, the ruffled edged upper lobes have a hint of violet-blue whilst the lower lobes are a deep violet. A medium sized plant with a long flowering season, providing blooms for almost 10 months annually. **£4.00**



MARION. This is a white and blue flowering sport from 'Katie' and has all the same excellent qualities as 'Katie'; an exceptionally long flowering season with a tidy habit. A great plant for the show bench.

£3.60



MATILDA. A violet-pink colour sport from 'Katie' which is very free flowering, one of the earliest varieties into bloom in the spring and then continues to flower into the late autumn. An excellent all-round plant.

£3.60



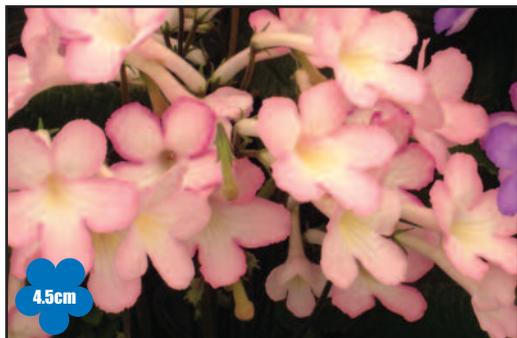
MINNIE. A compact plant with rich purple flowers suffused with deeper purple veining; two yellow 'fangs' define the lower throat. The many flat faced flowers make a short mound, up to 6 blooms on each inflorescence. (Introduced 2018)

£4.00



NATALIE. A large flowered variety with a beautiful combination of colours; pale violet-blue lobes, a yellow throat and rich violet lines in the centre. Very free flowering.

£3.60



NIA. The flowers appear pale pink with a yellow eye but the pink gradually gets darker around the edge. This gives an attractive picotee edge and a mixture of colour tones on the head of flowers.

£3.60



PEARL. One of the most free flowering white streptocarpus we have ever seen, with up to 10 flowers on each stocky upright stem. This is also a variety which flowers over a long season, about 10 months of the year. A clear white flower with a yellow eye.

£3.60



5.8cm



POLKA-DOT PURPLE. The quantity and quality of blossom on this variety is probably the finest we have ever seen; combining this with the beautiful and unusual markings on the flowers leads us to believe this plant to be one of the best ever bred on our nursery. **£5.00**

Also available as a potted plant (see page 52)



4.8cm

RUBINA. A medium sized plant which produces a good head of velvety red blooms from March through to the autumn. **£3.60**



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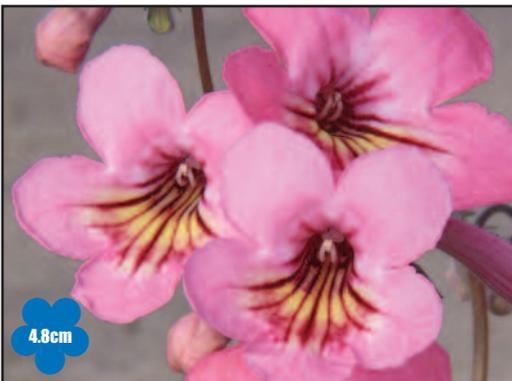
6cm

RACHAEL. A medium sized plant with a tight head of flowers. The gentle, pale pink blooms have deeper pink veining on a flat face. A prolific bloomer on a long season. **£4.50**



6cm

RUBY. Beautiful rich red flowers, freely borne, forming a nice head on a medium/large sized plant. **£3.60**



4.8cm

SADIE. The shell pink flowers have short red lines in their throat, and from a distance give an overall appearance of soft peach in colour. A medium sized plant with a free flowering habit. **£4.00**



4.4cm

SEREN. This is a new colour break. A strong yellow background with inky blue veins and violet-blue edging. A plant of compact habit which flowers freely for 10 months. **£3.60**



7.5cm

SUSAN. A well rounded plant of short habit. Many intense magenta flowers with golden yellow centres produced on each stalk, very spectacular. **£3.60**



5.1cm

SPHINX. A strong upright growing variety with lavender blooms which are heavily veined with deep purple. Free flowering with medium sized leaves. **£3.90**



5cm

TANYA. A compact variety with intense, deep lavender-purple, flat faced flowers; a very free flowering plant which will give continuous blossom for well over eight months a year. **£3.60**



4.7cm

TEXAS HOT CHILI. This is a compact variety with unusual deep red flowers with a yellow eye. Small flat-faced flowers. **£3.60**



TARGA [STELLA] PBR

A rich deep purple with a velvet sheen on flat faced flowers. A medium sized plant. **£3.60**



TITANIA. The upper lobes on the flowers of this small, ruffled edged variety are creamy white, whilst the lower three lobes are a rich cherry pink with two distinct yellow fangs dissecting the lobes. An excellent free flowering variety that will bloom for over eight months a year. **£4.00**



THREE SISTERS.

This beautiful plant has a combination of white, pink, blue and purple flowers. The three plants which make up this plug are genetically identical except for the flower colour – they bloom at the same time and over the same long period. This is a very free flowering specimen, which will continue to bloom for over 8 months a year. **£5.50**



ZOE. A very unusual combination of violet-blue flowers fading into a white- yellow throat with a hint of orange at its base. Strong, upright stems hold the multi-flowering blooms in a tight bunch. Height 17 – 23cm. **£4.30**



TINA. Upper lobes pale pink, lower bright magenta, with distinct veins. A compact free flowering plant. Highly recommended, still one of the best varieties. **£3.60**

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STREPTOCARPUS SPECIES & STREPTOCARPELLA



S. SAXORUM (Compact).

A small free flowering species. Ideal for the smaller space. Well worth growing, makes a good hanging plant. **£3.50**



'WHITE BUTTERFLY'.

An upright stemmed Streptocarpus very similar in habit to *S. saxorum*. Very prolific, flowering throughout the year. **£3.60**



S. KENTANIENSIS.

A very unusual and desirable species as this is the only winter flowering species. Under good growing conditions this will flower all year, being particularly floriferous during the winter. The leaves are narrow (12mm) and lance shaped (up to 20cm in length) **£5.00**

STREPTOCARPUS F₁ DRAGON SEED



Medium sized blue, purple and pink flowers

(70 seeds per packet)

£4.50 (inc p+p)

STREPTOCARPUS F₁ PINK BOUQUET SEED



Medium/small sized red, pink and white flowers

(70 seeds per packet)

£4.50 (inc p+p)

STREPTOCARPUS SPECIES SEED



A range of wild species including rosette, unifoliolate and streptocarpella

(50 seeds per packet)

£4.00 (inc p+p)

SAINTPAULIA (African Violets)

SAINTPAULIA COLLECTION

**5 plants for
£15.50**
(inc. p+p)

**10 plants for
£26.00**
(inc. p+p)

All collections are our selection and cannot be varied to your requirements. We will include a good range of varieties, from flower colour to style of plant.

Check out our website
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for up to date information regarding limited numbers of unusual and rare varieties for sale.

Botanically, Saintpaulia are now known as Streptocarpus.

MINIATURE

A single crown plant of these varieties will measure less than 15cms across when full grown. All the trailing varieties are multi-crowned. **All miniatures £3.60 each.**



Chantaspring

One of the elusive saintpaulia that has truly buttery-yellow flowers. Tiny bells over very tiny, pointed, semi-trailing foliage.



Dawn Michelle

Single bright pink flowers and dark green foliage.



Indigo Ruffles

Semi-double or double dark blue flowers that have a green frilled edge; the foliage is dark green and quilted with a red back.



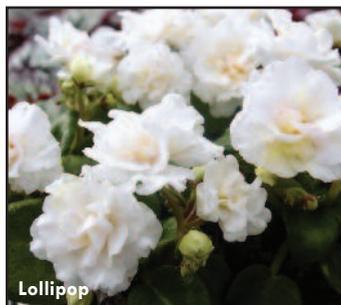
Jolly Gala

Single pink stars present themselves proudly over dark green and pointed foliage.



Jolly Orchid

A miniature that bewitches with its double orchid and white flowers.



Lollipop

Double white flowers with a yellow eye. Medium green, plain foliage.

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Mac's Black Jack

A variety with single dark red pansy-shaped flowers and dark green, pointed and serrated leaves which have a red back.



Midget Silver Fox

An extraordinary combination: Double dark blue flowers and dark green and silver mosaic variegated foliage.



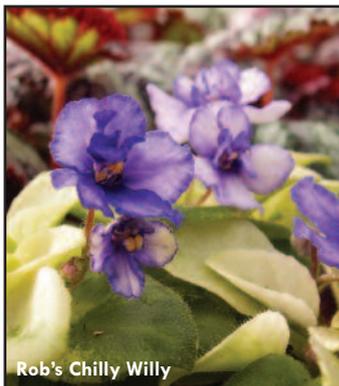
Mikinda Girl

Single cerise flowers and crown variegated girl foliage: green and cream.



Pixie Blue

Single purple-blue flowers with a darker centre. Plain, ovate leaves. Trailing.



Rob's Chilly Willy

An extremely pretty miniature with crown variegated leaves and double silver-white star like flowers that show a medium blue edge.



Rob's Jitterbug

Semi-double medium blue pansy flowers with a thin white edge. The crown is variegated, dark green and white/yellow, the leaves are pointed, serrated with a red back.



Rob's Love Bite

Semi-double deep red flowers with dark green and cream variegated foliage.



Vallarta Campanas Moradas

Single dark purple bell-shaped flowers. Dark green foliage with a red back. Trailing.

SB PLANT INVIGORATOR



Growth Stimulant and Pesticide, 500ml, Ready to Use. A foliar spray which is an aid to pest management and powdery mildew control; use weekly or fortnightly to strengthen the plants' natural resistance to pests and diseases.

The spray only works on direct contact with the pest, therefore to be effective, large infestations need spraying every 2-3 days
£10.90 (inc carriage)

SEMI-MINIATURE

A single crown plant of these varieties will measure between 15cms and 20cms across when full grown. **All varieties £3.00 each unless individually priced.**



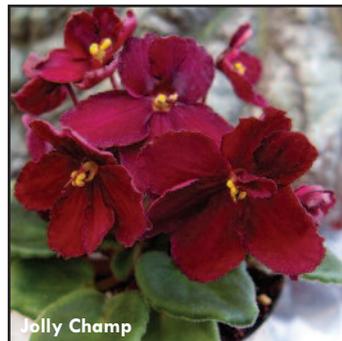
Alan's White Feather

This is a sweet semi-miniature variety with cute white bell-like flowers.



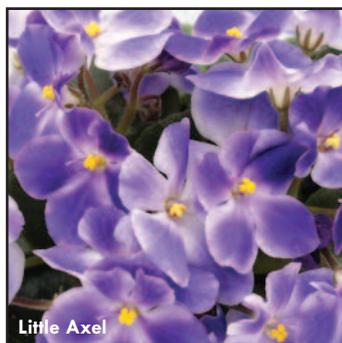
Cupid's Jewel

A lovely semi-miniature with semi-double or double pale plum-coloured stars with a darker centre. Quilted and serrated foliage.



Jolly Champ

Semi-double /double red, pansy-shaped flowers with quilted, wavy foliage.



Little Axel

A sweet semi-miniature variety with white flowers that have large, lavender thumbprints on the petals.



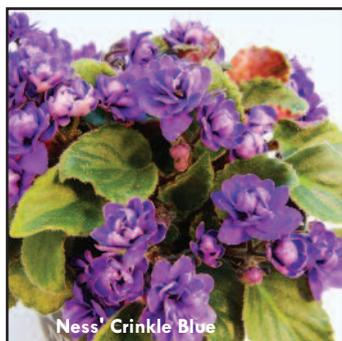
Mac's Glacial Grape

The flowers are semi-double or double, purple with a white edge. A very free flowering plant.



Mac's Southern Springtime

This semi-miniature variety has delightful red and white, single to semi-double flowers. The leaves are ovate and have a red back.



Ness' Crinkle Blue

One of the most awarded, free flowering varieties. Small double flowers of dark blue with a thin white edge over dark green foliage.



Pat Champagne

Single or semi-double dark blue flowers that have a white edge. Variegated foliage. **£3.60**



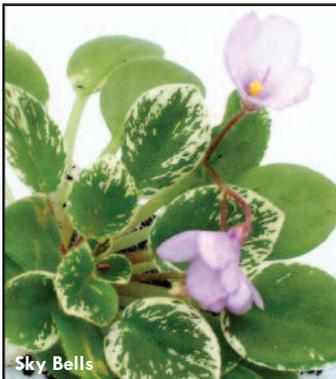
Rob's Mad Cat

Double pink and blue fantasy flowers with a dark red-purple ruffled edge. Dark green serrated foliage with a red reverse.



Rob's Vanilla Trail

Double flowers which are cream to blush white. Dark green foliage which is quilted, serrated and pointed. Trailing.



Sky Bells

Pale lavender bell shaped flowers with speckled white edged leaves. **£3.60**



Snow Leopard

The semi-double white flowers make a lovely contrast to the dark green foliage.

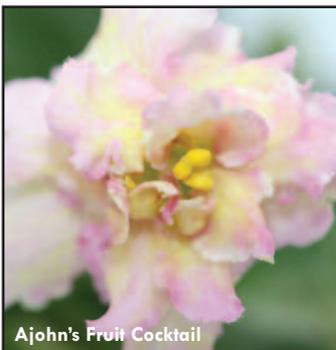
STANDARD

A single crown plant of these varieties will measure between 20cms and 40cms across when full grown. **All varieties £3.00 each unless individually priced.**



AE-Amur Elite

Semi-double white frilled flowers with pink patches and blue fantasy. **£3.60**



Ajohn's Fruit Cocktail

Double yellow flowers which are streaked with white, pink and cerise markings. **£3.60**



Bob Serbin

Semi-double red with a thin white edge. Dark green serrated leaves with a red back.



Buffalo Hunt

Beautiful deep ruffled red.



Candy Swirls

Semi-double, large white and pink flowers. Medium green, quilted foliage.



Delft

Semi-double cornflower blue flowers.



Semi-double dark red star shaped flowers. Ruffled foliage.



An intriguing Russian variety with single or semi-double bright purple flowers that show impressive hot coral and sometimes also white fantasy splashes. **£3.60**



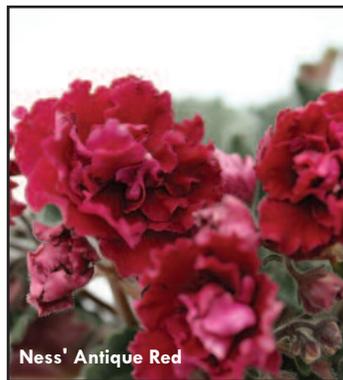
A spectacular variety from Kazakhstan with wavy pink and yellow flowers. **£3.60**



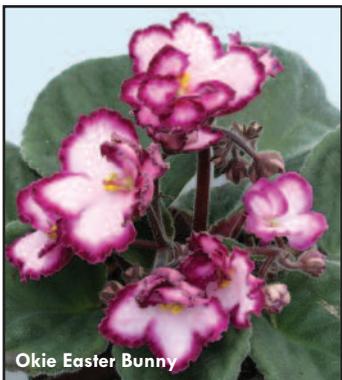
Semi-double or double white large flowers that are ruffled and have some pink markings and fuchsia-coloured fantasy spots. **£3.60**



A striking Ukrainian variety with semi-double dark purple flowers that have a frilly white edge. **£3.60**



This is a standard variety which produces double dark red flowers. The unusual red backed leaves are dark green, pointed and serrated.



Semi-double pale pink flowers with a wide raspberry frilled edge. Medium green quilted foliage.



Unusual and beguiling single white flowers with an inky purple eye.



Fringed white flowers edged in purple and green with dark green foliage.



Powwow

Very deep rich red, single/semi-double flowers, over variegated green and white foliage; a very prolific bloomer. **£3.60**



Rainbow's Limelight

Lime green/yellow cupped flowers.



Rainbow's Quiet Riot

Semi-double blue/purple flowers with white fantasy markings. Dark green rounded foliage.



Rhapsodie Clementine

Single or semi-double peachy pink frilled flowers give a splendid contrast to the dark green, ovate and glossy leaves.



RS-Barbie

Large wavy reddish-purple flowers with a white border and a white eye. **£3.60**



RS-Kabaret

A beautiful Russian/Ukrainian variety with semi-double dark fuchsia coloured flowers that have a white eye; they contrast beautifully with the medium-green pointed leaves. **£3.60**



RS-Romantika

A very free flowering standard called 'Romance' that has exceptionally large, semi-double or double wavy white flowers with dark purple thumbprints and a greenish fringe on the edge of the petals. **£3.60**



RS-Vodevil

Single white bells with a dark crimson 'thumbprint'. Dark green, variegated foliage. **£3.60**



SM-Olesya

Semi-double bright pink flowers with a white centre and a cherry red border. **£3.60**

LARGE

A single crown plant of these varieties will measure over 40cms when full grown.
All varieties £3.00 each unless individually priced.



Blue Dragon

A stand-out variety, extra large and unusual semi-double blooms that are light blue with a dark blue eye; dark green foliage. Voted Best Variety 2012 (AVSA)



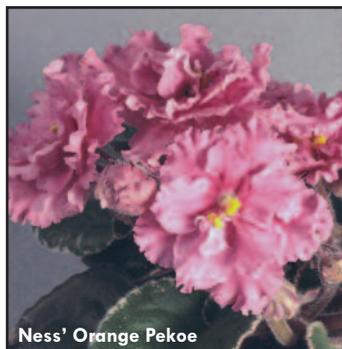
Cathedral

This large plant has fascinating double vivid pink flowers that are covered in dark purple fantasy splashes. The foliage is dark green.



Fire Mountain

Double red star flowers with a white edge. Dark green foliage with a contrasting red back.



Ness' Orange Pekoe

This large plant shows large semi-double or double coral flowers and stunning variegated (green, pink and cream) foliage. A variety you will definitely fall in love with. **£3.60**



Red Lantern

The large flowers are semi-double red stars with a white edge.



Tiger

Intense dark blue coloured, semi-double flowers; with variegated foliage. **£3.60**



Wisteria

Double lavender flowers with medium green quilted leaves.

SAINTPAULIA COMPOST

Specially formulated for growing these dainty plants. There is enough in one 5 litre bag to fill 25 x 8cm pots.

5 litres **£9.90** (inc £5.00 p&p)

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VARIEGATED SAINTPAULIA COLLECTION

5 plants for **£17.00**

(inc. p+p)

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ACHIMENES (Hot Water Plant)

Frequently called the Hot Water Plant, although warm water is not necessary to get the rhizomes to sprout. They come originally from Central and South America. Supplied as plants or rhizomes as available from February to the end of August. At the end of the growing season leave the compost to dry out. Keep the rhizomes dry and frost free for the winter before planting again into fresh compost in the spring. The xAchimenaantha, Kohleria and some Achimenes grow best with some support.



RHIZOMATOUS GESNERIADS

All the plants on pages 28-30 grow from small rhizomes.



2.4cm

A. ADMIRABILIS.

£3.60



4.7cm

A. 'AMBROISE VERSCHAFFELT'.

£3.60



5.1cm

A. 'HARRY WILLIAMS'.

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4.8cm

A. 'HONEY QUEEN'.

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4.2cm

A. 'LAVENDER FANCY'.

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1.3cm

A. MISERA.

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4.5cm

A. 'NOCTURNE'.

£3.60



4.8cm

A. 'ORANGE DELIGHT'.

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3.8cm

A. 'STAN'S DELIGHT'.
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A. 'SUGARLAND'.
£3.60



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A. 'SUN DANCER'.
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3cm

A. 'YELLOW BEAUTY'.
£4.10



4.5cm

A. 'YELLOW ENGLISH ROSE'. £4.10

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**6 varieties for
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(inc p&p)**

This is a collection of 6 different Achimenes, our selection.

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A cross between Achimenes and Smithiantha and has a habit similar to Achimenes. Supplied as plants or rhizomes as available Feb - Aug.



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xA. 'GOLDEN JUBILEE'.
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5cm

xA. 'INFERNO'.
£3.60

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Extremely useful plant supports which are ideal for growing Achimenes. The cages clip onto the pots and allow the plants to be supported on all sides.

*Pack of 6 Supports & 6 Pots,
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£6.70 (inc. p+p)*

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KOHLERIA

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and information

A gesneriad from the highlands of Colombia. The plants have exceptionally beautiful flowers produced over a long period from summer well into winter. Kohlerias are sent as plants or rhizomes as available.



K. 'BRISTOL'S FIRST BORN'. £4.10



K. 'CYBELE'.
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K. 'QUEEN VICTORIA'.
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K. 'SUNSHINE'.
£3.60



K. 'SILVER FEATHER'.
£3.60



K. 'YF's AMANDA'.
£3.60



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£3.60



K. 'YF's LOTTA'.
£3.60

TRAILING GESNERIADS

Fibrous rooted trailing plants – grow in warmth with a minimum temperature of 14C and a temperature over 18C contributing to more flowers.

AESCHYNANTHUS.

In the wild they are epiphytes, i.e. they live on the surface of trunks or boughs of trees. The shape of the flower gives them their common name of lipstick vine.



A. LONGICALYX.
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A. LONGICAULIS.
£3.60



A. PARVIFOLIUS.
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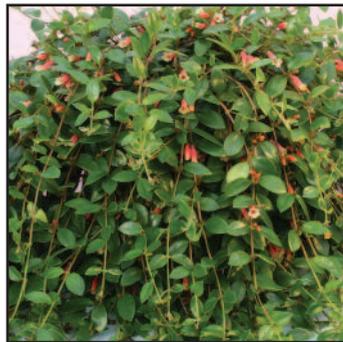


C. GRACILIS.
£3.60

xCODONANTHUS



xC. 'SUNSET'.
£3.60



xC. 'TAMBOURINE'.
£3.60

SMALL SHRUB / ROSULATE GESNERIADS

All the plants in this following section are fibrous rooted and are very tolerant to household conditions. Position on an east or west facing window to get continuous flowers over several months. Plants will grow best when in a temperature range of 15-25°C except *Petrocosmea* which prefer a cooler situation.

NEMATANTHUS.



**N. GREGARIUS
'VARIEGATA'.**
£3.60



N. 'RADICANS'.
£3.60

PETROCOSMEA.

Alpine plants which flower prolifically in the autumn – grow with a temperature range of 7 - 15C in a moderately bright situation.



P. CRYPTICA.

£4.10



**P. CRYPTICA
'YUMEBUTAI'.** £4.10



P. HT-2.

£4.10

PRIMULINA [CHIRITA] A genus of over ninety species native to the Himalayas and South East Asia. A little known genus of plants that are very rewarding if grown in similar conditions to Streptocarpus. Chirita in Hindustani means gentian.



P. 'AIKO'.

£3.60



P. 'DIANE MARIE'.

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P. 'HISAKO'.

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P. 'VERTIGO'.

£3.60

TITANOTRICHUM

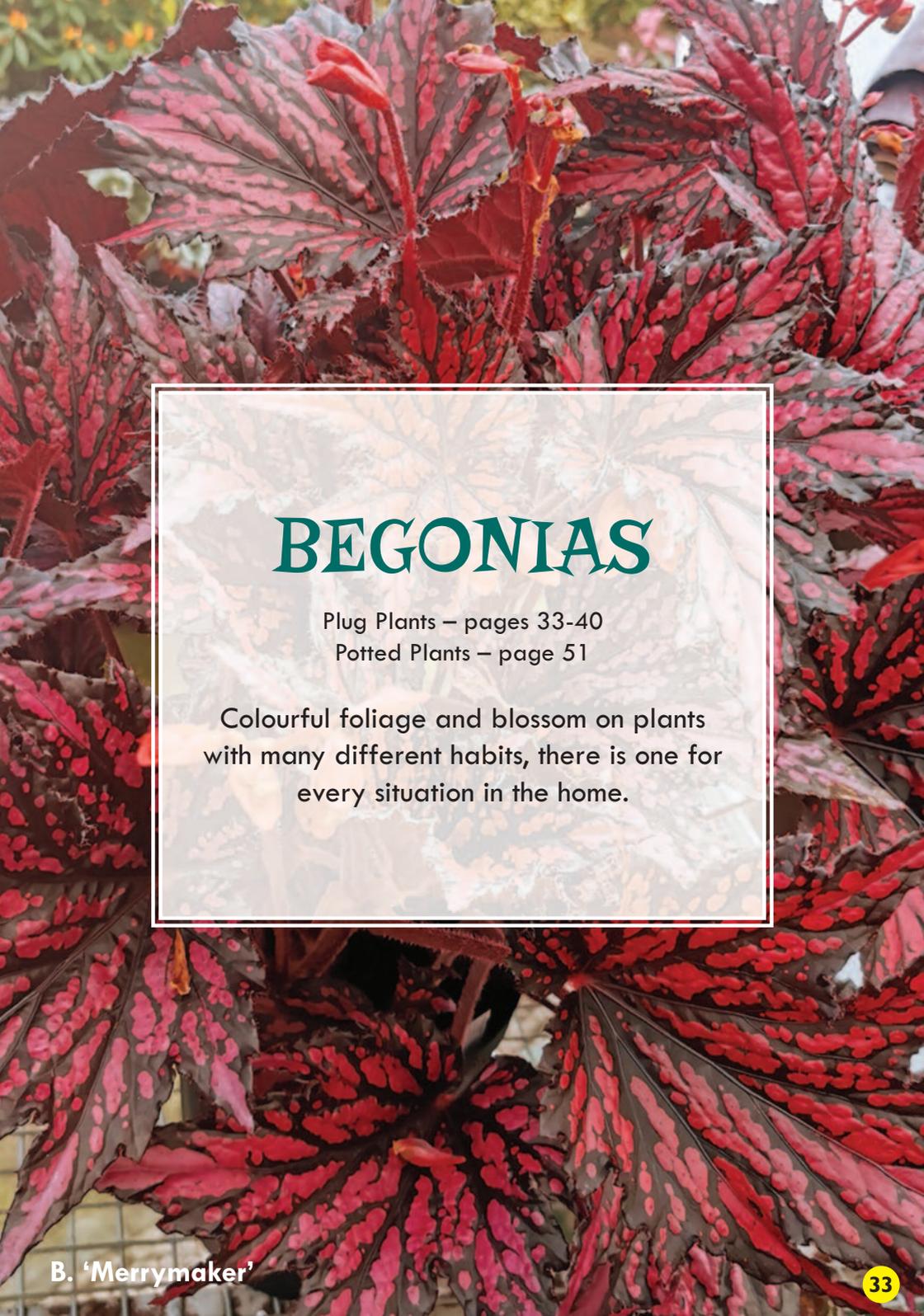
Titanotrichum oldhamii is a clump-forming, rhizomatous perennial. Commonly known as the Chinese foxglove. Rarely offered.



T. oldhamii.

A tall growing plant - 50cm - with a similar habit to our native foxglove. Yellow and orange flowers appear from late spring and established plants are reportedly hardy to -10C.

£8.00



BEGONIAS

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Colourful foliage and blossom on plants with many different habits, there is one for every situation in the home.

CANE / SHRUB BEGONIAS

CANE/CANE LIKE BEGONIAS All cane Begonias grow well outdoors during the summer and make excellent border or patio plants. Varieties like 'Little Brother Montgomery', 'Comte de Lesseps' and 'Luxurians' are ideal to give an exotic and sub tropical effect in your garden. Grow in a bright spot but sheltered from the midday sun. Feed with good slow release feed all summer. Group several plants of the same variety together to make a strong impact. The temp should be kept to a minimum of 10°C.



'COMTE DE LESSEPS'.

An upright variety, when fully grown reaching to 1.5m, the leaves are a mid-green with some white spots. The flowers are very prolific and present for many months of the year. **£4.10**



'CONNIE BOSWELL'.

This is similar in habit to 'Little Brother Montgomery', but the leaves are silver with lilac pink shading in the centre and around the edges. **£3.60**



'DOWN HOME'. A free flowering medium sized cane begonia. The purple/green foliage is narrow and lance like forming a lovely contrast to the deep peach coloured flowers. **£4.10**



B. fuchsioides (red).

Small, oval green leaves on upright branching stems. The bright red flowers are found in large clusters with an appearance of a fuchsia. Grow in a bright position. **£3.60**



'LITTLE BROTHER MONTGOMERY'.

A tall growing variety. Leaves maple shaped (up to 25cm). Dark veins and edges covered in silver spots which merge together in the leaf margins. The young leaves have a pink tinge. This variety has been very popular on the nursery. **£3.60**



'LUCERNA'. One of the tallest cane begonias, growing to 2m within a couple of years, the flowers are a rich rose-pink and produced in large clusters. The leaves are about 15cm in length. **£4.10**



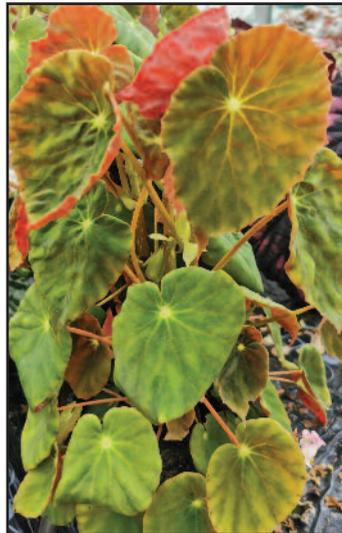
B. luxurians. A tall growing variety to 1.5m, with dark green palmate leaves. White scented flowers are produced in profusion towards late summer.

£6.00



B. maculata 'WIGHTII'. Narrow bat shaped olive green leaves with well spaced splashes of silver polka dots. Large clusters of white flowers. A very beautiful plant.

£4.10



'MARIE REED'. In mature plants the upright stems are thick, hairless with short side shoots. Young leaves bronze and turning mid-green on maturity with a pale-yellow star in their apex. Pink flowers in the summer.

£8.00



B. metallica. This is a tall plant growing to 150cm in height, the young leaves start out red then gradually change to green. The large clusters of flowers are a lovely creamy white. Very easy to grow.

£4.10



'ORANGE RUBRA'.

A semi-upright plant which lends itself to growing in a hanging basket. The foliage is medium sized and a bright mid-green which form a beautiful background to the vibrant orange flowers.

£4.10



B. solanantha. This is best grown as a hanging plant, and is a quick grower. The leaves are heart shaped and bright green. In the spring it has a cascade of flowers which are white with a central red dot, and are highly scented.

£3.60

SMALL RHIZOMATOUS BEGONIAS

Rhizomatous plants forming a dome shaped head of attractively coloured leaves.



'CATHEDRAL'. The foliage is deep green with a folded and ruffled surface, the undersides are red. Masses of small, deep pink flowers are produced on tall inflorescences in the late spring. **£4.10**



B. soli-mutata. A creeping Brazilian species, the dark green, textured leaves have strong yellow-green staining running along the veins. Large clusters of small white flowers are held on long stems above the leaves. **£4.10**



'SEA URCHIN'. Unusually shaped leaves, which are turned up at the edges. Bred at Dibleys. **£4.10**



'SILVER JEWEL'. A lovely silver variety of Begonia. The leaves have a beautiful reflective quality and a tidy habit. **£3.60**

LARGE RHIZOMATOUS BEGONIAS

Begonias with long petioles (leaf stems) with a large leaf blade which is divided into several leaflets.



'POLLUX'. This variety is low growing and shrub like in habit with palmate leaves. The background colour of the leaves is beetroot red which is mostly masked by a dusting of fine white spots. **£3.60**



'BENITOCHIBA'. [syn 'Benichoma'] The foliage is cut up into serrated leaflets. Pink young foliage becoming silver with age. The veins change from purple to green. It makes a very attractive plant, shrub like in habit. **£3.60**

REX BEGONIAS

These types of Begonias are grown for their multi-coloured leaves, and because of their wonderful foliage they are known as the “Kings” of the begonia world.



‘BLACK KNIGHT’. A large leaved begonia that is deep burgundy in colour; on the leaf surface there is a ring of pale pink and white speckles defining the leaf shape. **£3.60**



‘CURLY FIREFLUSH’. Dark green leaves with darker edges and centre with a spiral swirl at its heart. The whole plant is covered in red hairs, markedly so on the young leaves. An exceptionally beautiful plant. **£3.60**



‘CASEY CORWIN’. Large swirled leaves of deep green and plum which are covered in silver and white freckles. The leaves are up to 25cm long and edged with silver hairs. **£3.60**



‘EMERALD GIANT’. This is a large leaved rex. The central veins are dark green, the main area is silver and towards the edge is bright with silver dots becoming red right at the outside. **£3.60**



‘CHINA CURL’. The leaves have exceptionally well defined spirals with chocolate brown and silver colouring. Medium sized leaves. **£4.10**



‘ESCARGOT’. One of the most beautiful Begonias. A large swirled leaf of olive green and silver. The leaves are up to 30 cm long on hairy stems. Quite large. **£4.10**



'FIREWORKS'. Large leaves with deep purple veins and silver and raspberry purple between the veining, a very showy plant. **£3.60**



'PINK SPIRIT'. A compact variety with small, spiral leaves. The leaves are a shimmering red at their heart surrounded with a pewter coloured band and a defining red edge. Bred at Dibleys. **£4.10**



'GREEN SPARKLES'. A broad green band, covered in silver spots, define the outer border of these medium sized, spiral leaves. The short stems are covered in white hairs. Overall the plant shape is compact, relaxed and perfectly proportioned. **£4.10**



'RED ROBIN'. One of the most compact rex types making an excellent shape. The leaves are small, heart shaped, with contrasting matt black centre and edge with a wide band of blood red between. **£3.60**



B. masoniana. The well known 'Iron Cross' Begonia, deep green puckered leaves with a distinctive dark cross in the centre. Leaves about 15cm in diameter. **£4.10**



'SATIN STARBURST'. A multitude of colours combine to cover the foliage of this begonia. At the centre of each leaf the black star sits over the large splash of red. Leaves are medium sized with a spiral at their heart. Bred at Dibleys **£4.10**



'SILVER LACE'. The silver leaves of this plant shimmer in light. The dark edging produces a filigree pattern hence the variety name. The dark red underneath shows through in the leaf veins. Overall a stunning compact plant. **£3.60**



B. sizemoreae. [syn. *longiciliata*] Roughly ridged leaves with incredible 2 cm+ hairs covering the surface of the leaves and stems. The young leaves are extremely hairy and tactile. Medium sized leaves. **£4.10**

SUPER REX BEGONIAS

These have the vibrant leaf colour of a typical Begonia rex but with the height of a cane begonia, growing to about 60cm in a season. Large leaved and quite outstanding, these varieties are produced from a new breeding line at Dibleys.



'DARK EYES'

The strongly contrasting colours, white-silver to burgundy-plum on the foliage makes a real impact; a tall growing variety 45-50cm. The nodes are relatively short, leading to an attractively shaped mature plant. **£4.50**



'GREEN GECKO'

The large leaves on this plant have everything going for them, silver-pink spots and dashes, a spiral at their heart and a deep burgundy centre and edge with a contrasting grass green background. Height 45-50cm. **£4.50**



'JOYFUL BLAZE'

The contrasting, black, silver and red leaves are the dominant feature of this tall growing begonia. A bushy habit and quick growing will create a good sized plant within one season; early autumn brings a flourish of pink flowers. **£4.10**



'MERRYMAKER'.

A dramatic plant with contrasting red and black glossy foliage, growing to about 45-50cms in height. The leaves are deeply serrated around their edges. Deep pink flowers appear towards the end of summer and continuing through the autumn. **£4.50**



'PINK TWIST'. A large leaved and majestic plant. The leaves have a pink central heart with a pale border finishing in a dark burgundy fringe. **£4.10**



'RED TEMPEST'. The leaf veins are painted dark green and the leaf blade is pale in colour contrasting with a large red heart at its centre. A tall variety growing with large leaves. **£4.50**



'RUBY CELEBRATION'. Satin smooth ruby-red foliage with a speckling of deep plum-purple along the veins; the flat leaves have a soft sheen on a medium tall plant. **£4.50**



'SILVER SPIRIT'. A bushy habit sees this begonia growing to about 50-60cm in height. The mostly silver coloured leaves have a dark central star which is complemented by a dark picotee edge. **£4.10**

IMPATIENS

Easy to grow upright in habit plants, very free flowering and can be grown as a bedding plant or kept indoors – 0.5 to 1m in height after 2 years. Grow in part sun with a minimum temperature of 10C.



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I. keilli
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I. niamniamensis
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I. parasitica
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I. repens
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Related to coleus, easy to grow as bedding plants or kept indoors; both of these varieties are semi-prostrate and, although grown for their attractive foliage, will also bloom towards the end of summer.



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P. madagascariensis 'Lynne'
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Select collection code and place the variety number shown on the photograph in the allocated boxes on the order form.



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3

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Wedding Train

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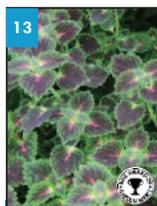
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Lemon Chiffon



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Lord Falmouth



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Mrs Pilkington



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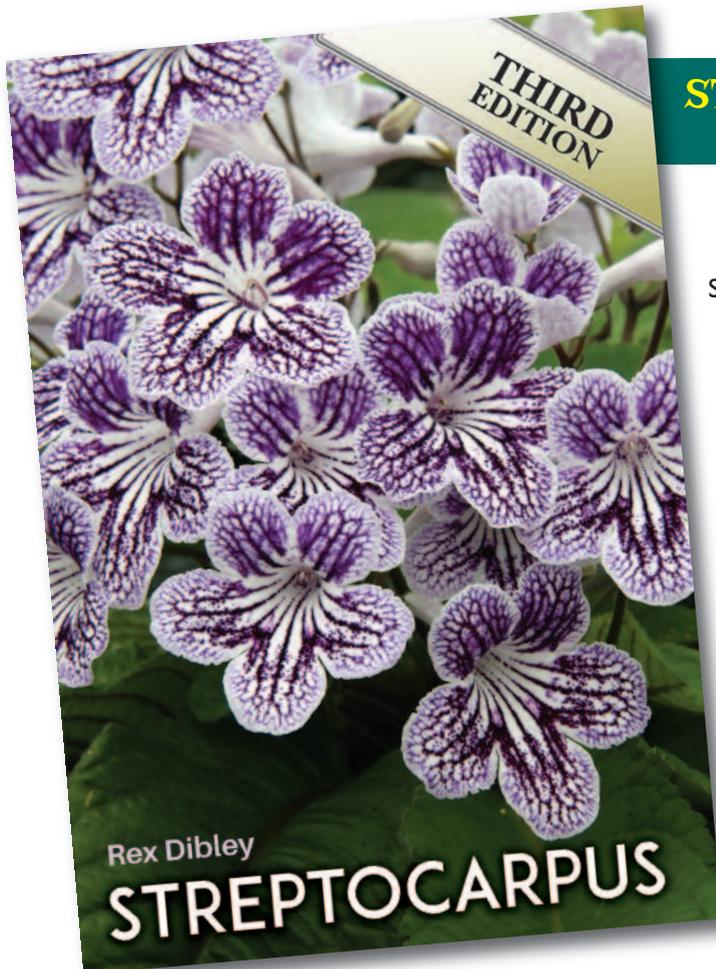
T. 'Bridal Veil'
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6cm POTS

A pack of 20 three quarter depth pots as used in the nursery. Ideal for Saintpaulias.

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8cm POTS

A pack of 20 three quarter depth pots, 8 cm diameter, as used in the nursery. The dimensions of these pots are ideal for Saintpaulias. The shallow roots of Saintpaulias will fill these pots and decrease the likelihood of roots rotting in damp compost.

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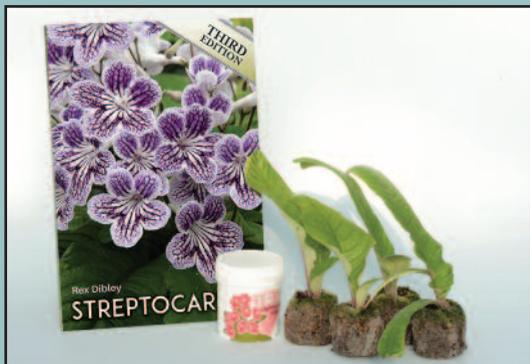
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Buy 3 and get a 4th pot **FREE**

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If you would like to start, or you know somebody who would like to start growing Streptocarpus, the following package would be ideal. A collection of 4 Streptocarpus, our selection, 4 three quarter depth 10cm pots, compost for 4 plants, a pot of slow release Streptocarpus feed and a copy of the Streptocarpus book. We can enclose a card with a message, if requested, all for **£29.00 (including carriage)**

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- 10 litre bag Vermiculite
- 20 x 10 cm Pots
- Pot of 100 Feed Tablets (to feed established plants)
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Pack of 7 traps (22cm x 10cm) plus wire hangers, ideal for the greenhouse or conservatory. Use 1 trap for every 2.5 square metres.

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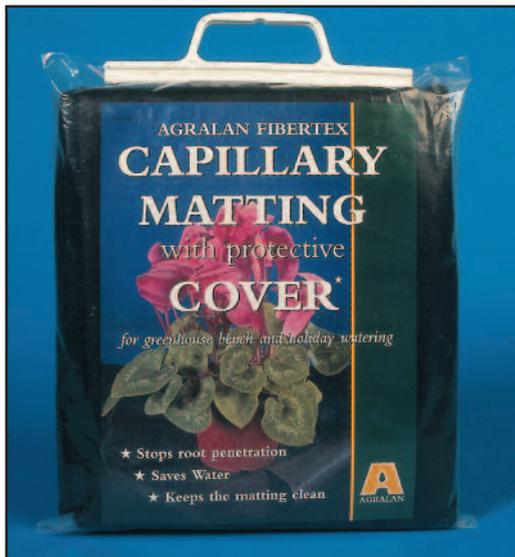
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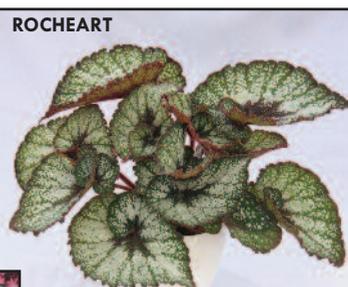
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Plug Plants

When you receive your plants remove them from the packaging straight away. Pot each plant into a 8-10cm pot (except miniature and semi-miniature Saintpaulia which are best potted into a 6-8cm pot) using a peat or fibre based house plant potting compost. Keep the surface of the plug slightly above the new compost, if the crown of the plant is buried this can lead to rot appearing in the base of the leaves.

The plants are growing in compost plugs which are enclosed in biodegradable corn starch netting. Do not remove the netting around the root ball as this could result in root damage, the roots will grow through the net.

Water moderately and place in a light position out of direct sunshine for the first few days. Initially keep at a minimum temperature of 16°C.

Rhizomes

Rhizomes may be safely kept in their packing until planting time; open the bags slightly and keep them in a dry dark place at about 10°C (50°F) until ready to plant.

Start planting rhizomes when you can keep the pots at a minimum temperature of 15°C (60°F). Three-quarter fill a 12cm pot with peat or fibre based house plant potting compost; place 3 to 5 rhizomes flat on the surface of the compost and cover with another 2cm of compost, gently firm down. Water the compost lightly and keep the pot in a bright position, but not in full mid-day sunshine.

Mature Plants

Remove from packaging and place in a suitable position, wait until the compost is slightly dry before watering. For individual plant needs check under the heading for that particular variety.

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Streptocarpus and Primulina [Chirita]

Watering

Water from either above or below when the surface of the compost becomes dry to a depth of 1 cm. It is important not to over-water Streptocarpus or Primulinas. Over-watering, in particular regular over-watering, will cause harm to the root system. The first symptom of over-watering is exactly the same as under watering, i.e. the plant will wilt. Never leave a young plant sitting in shallow water for more than a couple of minutes; older plants which are well rooted can be left for longer.

Feeding

When the roots appear in the pot's drainage holes, commence feeding with a high potash fertiliser. The most convenient way is to insert a Dibleys Streptocarpus Fertiliser Tablet each month. Within 6-8 weeks of potting the plants should begin to flower. Decrease the feed as winter approaches and stop feeding from November until spring. With the all-year-flowering Streptocarpus Crystal Series, continue with a weak feed throughout the winter, or if using slow release tablets use a half tablet monthly.

Position

Streptocarpus require a bright position for continuous flowering. Keep plants in a shaded greenhouse or indoors in an East or West window but never in direct midday sunshine. A minimum temperature of 5°C (41°F) is required for most mature Streptocarpus and Primulina [Chiritas], but the stemmed varieties require a minimum temperature of 10°C (50°F).

Dead-heading

Remove dead flowers and stems to encourage continuous flowering.

Potting up

Once the plants are well established they will need potting into the next size pot, this is generally in spring in their second year of growth. A plant in a 10cm pot can be moved up to a 13cm pot; use a peat or fibre based house plant compost, and lightly firm in fresh compost around the root ball. Make sure the crown of the plant stays at the same, or slightly above, the original planting height.

Achimenes, xAchimenantha, Kohleria and Gloxinella

Use a peat or fibre based house plant compost and water moderately allowing the surface of the compost to become slightly dry between watering. Plants require a bright position and a temperature of at least 15°C (60°F) to promote compact growth and flowering. This minimum temperature is especially important when planting rhizomes. Plant rhizomes about 2cm below the surface of compost and water lightly. Place the potted rhizomes in a light position out of the midday sunlight.

To help produce an upright plant, use plant supports which clip onto the 12cm pots. Most varieties will start flowering after about 3 months of good growth and continue blooming for the rest of the summer. When in full growth, never allow the pots to dry out completely; as roots appear through the pots drainage holes start feeding regularly with a high potash slow release Dibleys Fertiliser Tablet once a month.

In the autumn the plants will stop flowering. Stop feeding and reduce watering; allowing the soil to dry completely as the leaves start to die back. Store the pots in a dry place at about 10°C (50°F). You can harvest the rhizomes from the pots and store them for the winter in a dry dark place at about 10°C (50°F).

Begonias

Begonias make excellent foliage house plants. Begonia Rex do not tolerate direct sun and should be given light shade to prevent leaf scorch. Keep at a minimum of 16°C. To obtain the best foliage colour, red leaf varieties should be grown in bright light, whilst a lower light intensity will often enhance the colour in silver leaf types. Stemmed and Eyelash Begonias will tolerate morning and evening sunshine. Whilst the plants are actively growing, the compost should be kept moist and as the roots start to appear in the pot's drainage holes, 6-8 weeks after potting, start to feed with a balanced house plant fertiliser. Take care to avoid over-watering as wet compost can lead to rotting. A minimum temperature of 12°C (55°F) is required and given these conditions the plants will provide a colourful display for many years. Keep on the dry side during winter.

Solenostemon [Coleus] and Plectranthus

Our named varieties of Coleus are chosen for their splendid colour and variety. Water frequently so that the compost is always slightly moist when the plant is actively growing but during the winter give slightly less water. Once roots start to appear in the pot's drainage holes start feeding regularly with a balanced plant food. Initially place in bright light with some shading from strong overhead summer sun. For plants to keep their colour and shape regularly pinch out the growing tips and remove any flowers. Coleus will survive the winter with reduced watering and a minimum temperature of 12°C (55°F), and can be cut back and re-potted in the spring.

Saintpaulia

Good light is important for abundant blooms but keep plants out of direct sunlight. The miniature and semi-miniature varieties are best potted into 8cm pots with a good African violet compost (a mixture of 50% peat based compost, 25% vermiculite, 25% perlite). Water from underneath but only water when the surface of the compost is dry to the touch. The ideal temperature range is 18-25°C (65-80°F) for good growth. Once the plants are established (6-8 weeks of active growth) feed with a high potash slow release Dibleys Fertiliser Tablet once every six weeks. Remove dead flowers and stems to encourage fresh growth.

Aeschynanthus

These are mostly trailing plants which require slight humidity, an occasional misting with water will help. Do not over-water and only water lightly when the surface of the compost is dry to the touch. Pot into peat or fibre based house plant compost and when the plants are established, feed with a high potash slow release Dibleys Fertiliser Tablet once a month. Keep at a minimum temperature of at least 15°C (60°F) in a light position out of the midday sunlight. Aeschynanthus mostly flower in the late summer and throughout the autumn.

Alsobia, Codonanthe, xCodonanthus and Tradescantia

These are easily grown plants, ideal for the house. Pot into a good peat or fibre based house plant compost and water moderately. Plants require a bright position and a temperature of at least 10°C (50°F). Once the plants are established feed with a high potash slow release Dibleys Fertiliser Tablet once a month.

Impatiens

These are exceptionally bizarre but easy to grow plants. Pinch out growing tips to encourage side shoots. A bright position encourages compact growth. Water frequently and feed the plants regularly during the spring and summer with a well balanced fertiliser. In winter reduce the water but ensure the plant receives as much light as possible. Minimum temperature 10°C (50°F)

Petrocosmea

Pot into a mixture of peat or fibre based compost mixed with perlite. Feed every 6 weeks with a high potash feed. Requires a moderately bright position - and will happily grow on a cool, north or east facing window sill.

Titanotrichum (Chinese Foxglove)

Pot into a peat/fibre-based houseplant compost in a 10-12cm grow pot. Position in part shade, initially at a minimum of 10°C, and once established they may be planted outdoors where they are reportedly hardy to -10°C. Water as the compost becomes dry on the surface but don't let the compost become saturated.

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