

FOR 2026

Each year, the Griffin sales team handpicks their favorite new vegetative plant varieties from hundreds of exciting introductions by our trusted breeding partners. This year, we've highlighted over 100 standout selections that we believe will be valuable additions to your product lineup.

Browse through this magazine to discover these exceptional new varieties. For more information or to place an order, please contact your Griffin Plant Sales Representative or visit us at www.griffins.com/seed-ordering.











Fun House Black Widow is a thrilling color! Add excitement to your lineup with dynamic petunias that showcase unique flower colors and eye-catching patterns. These standout varieties offer excellent habits, making them perfect for hanging baskets and patio containers. A fun, bold addition to any program, they're the kind of show-stopping plants that retailers love—unusual, irresistible, and made to turn heads. Sure to capture attention in-store and on social media, these petunias are your ticket to a standout season. There are 4 in the series offering fun solutions to combinations.





IBERIS SNOW DOME $^{\text{TM}}$

Featuring extra-large, bright white blooms on sturdy, well-branched plants, this variety delivers a high-quality visual impact. Flowering later than Snowsurfer Forte, it holds its blooms longer into the season. Bred for efficient propagation, it also boasts an enhanced dome-like habit, making it a standout choice for both growers and gardeners. It can be grown in full sun and is hardy to zones 4a-9b.

SEDUM SURRENDER SPOT ONTM

Set the garden ablaze with Spot On's standout performance! With attractive foliage and exceptionally large, vibrant deep red flowers, Spot On is a major upgrade over standard sedums. Its low-growing, groundcover habit forms a striking carpet of color in the landscape. Plus, it flowers in its first year, making scheduling and production a breeze.

- (A) Surrender Red
- (B) Surrender Rose Imp.



SCAEVOLA FANATIXTM

With strong trailing habits and unbeatable heat tolerance, this series is the ultimate choice for summer baskets and combinations. All colors shine even in the hottest conditions, maintaining vibrant color and lush growth all season long. Its vigorous trailing nature fills containers easily, making it a reliable and impactful component in warm-weather programs. As a key foundation of many best-selling heat-lover Kwik Kombos, this down under wonder is your go-to summer mixer for bold, beautiful displays that won't break a sweat. There are 4 colors in the series: Compact Dark Blue (shown), Dark Blue, Pink, and White. If you liked the Bombay series, you're going to love the Fanatix series.





BEGONIA $iCANDY^{TM}$

iCandy Hybrid Begonias deliver a sugar-coated splash of color with large, double blooms in vibrant, eye-catching shades set against rich, dark foliage. These stunning plants thrive in part sun to shade, making them ideal for brightening up porches, patios, and other outdoor living spaces. Perfect for quarts and larger containers, iCandy also shines in hanging baskets, where its bold blooms and elegant form captivate retail shoppers and elevate any display. With irresistible charm and standout performance, iCandy is a sweet addition to any garden or retail bench. There are 5 colors in the series, which makes it easy enough to select all the colors for retail appeal!

- (A) Sunset
- (B) Vanilla Cream
- (C) Coral Pink
- (D) Inferno
- (E) Lemon Yellow

SHASTA DAISY WESTERN STAR $^{\text{TM}}$

An exceptional range of Leucanthemum, notable for their superior habits and flowering. All varieties have low chilling requirements, ensuring they bloom consistently. A diverse collection of suitable varieties across a range of container sizes. Capricorn is a well branched, medium vigor variety with large flowers. It blooms one week earlier than Taurus.

- (A) Capricorn
- (B) Taurus

IMPATIENS SPECTRATM

Spectra raises the bar for New Guinea impatiens through advanced interspecific breeding, delivering earlier blooms and more flowers than standard NGIs. With medium vigor and a fast finish, Spectra is a grower-friendly option for all pot sizes and hanging baskets. It offers vibrant, season-long color in shade or part sun, making it ideal for low-maintenance landscapes. Spectra also features strong resistance to downy mildew, quick rain recovery, and excellent heat and shade tolerance—perfect for dependable performance in a wide range of garden conditions. There are 9 colors in the series, with Deep Red and Peach Bicolor offering massive curb appeal.

- (A) Peach Bicolor
- (B) Deep Red







- (A) Dark Blue Bicolor
- (B) Bicolor
- (C) White
- (D) Cariboo Big Blue Star





CALIBRACHOA BLOOMTASTIC

Eye-catching, glossy blooms feature a unique white sparkle pattern. Vigorous in habit and well-branched, it is ideal for basket production. Performs beautifully in cool nights and warm days. Day length neutral for flexible scheduling and consistent flowering.

- (A) Peach Grenadine
- (B) Honey
- (C) Purple Cartwheel





DAHLIA SUMMER BEES

The Summer Bees Dahlia series features striking two-toned, single flowers that are true pollinator magnets. Purple Bicolor shines with rich purple hues and a vibrant yellow center, while Red Bicolor displays bold red petals paired with the same sunny core. Renowned for their ease and reliability, Summer Bees Dahlias are a growerfriendly choice. With their naturally vigorous, upright, and well-branched habit, Summer Bees produce an abundance of charming single blooms. These flowers begin in May and continue to deliver color and pollen well into September, supporting pollinators throughout the season. This new introduction has two colors: Purple Bicolor and Red Bicolor. Medium to vigorous habit spanning 12-24" in height and 10-14" in width.

- (A) Purple Bicolor
- (B) Red Bicolor

DIANTHUS MAD MAGENTA

Bring the wow factor with Mad Magenta offering the most electrifying pink display at retail. Fully hardy in both heat and cold, this powerhouse perennial returns year after year with unstoppable blooms. Early to flower with a compact, tidy habit, it's perfect for landscapes and containers alike. Hardy in zones 3-9.



PETUNIA SURPRISE® SPARKLE BLUE VEIN INTRINSA® (A)

This petunia features a rich, dark center that fades into vibrant purple and blue hues, accented by delicate white sparkles scattered across each bloom. With its semi-trailing habit, medium to high vigor, and striking sparkle pattern, it's a standout choice for mixed combinations in patio planters and hanging baskets. Reliable and eye-catching, this variety brings both depth and brilliance to any display. The Surprise Sparkle series has 3 colors to choose from.







Bring the magic of the Milky Way to your garden with moody blue tones and a splash of sparkle from spring through summer. A dazzling new addition to the Confetti Garden program and a Top Pick for 2025. The component plants are Surprise® Cobalt Blue 2025, Surprise® Sparkle Blue Vein (Instrinsa), Empress® Flair Delft Blue Star.

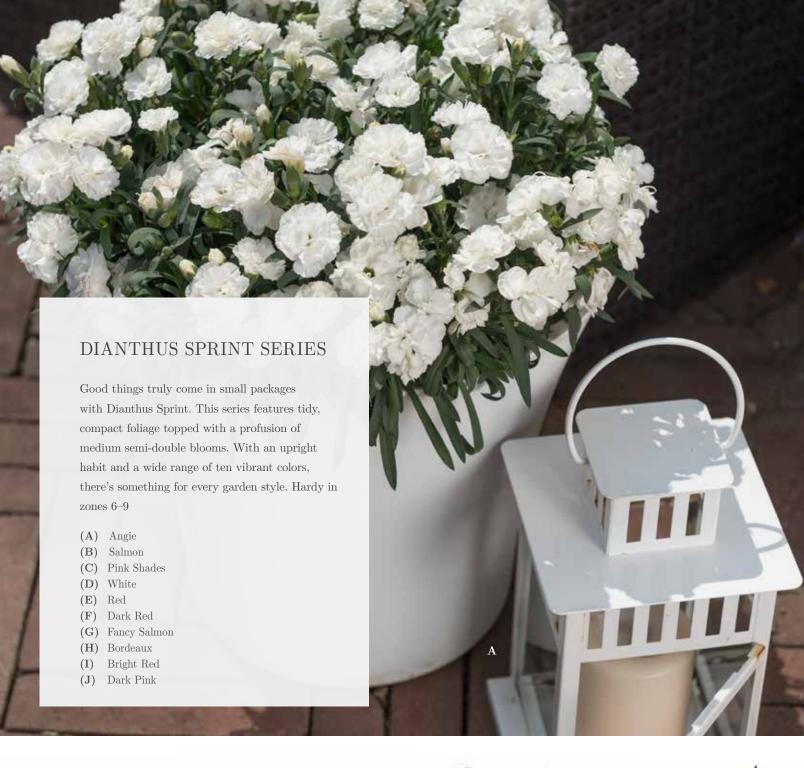
SALVIA NOBLE KINGHT (D)

Noble Knight's striking purple-to-blue blooms are sure to catch your customers' attention. Exceptional branching leads to a profusion of thick, weather-tolerant flowers, delivering impressive flower power. This is one of the earliest-flowering varieties, making it ideal for landscape use. Available in two vibrant colors and hardy in zones 3-9.

GARDEN BLUEBERRY PARFAIT (B)

Confetti Garden Trio Mix. Voted Best New Mix by 2024 CAST visitors and named a Top Pick for 2025! This standout combination features Petunia Potunia® + Purple Halo, Calibrachoa Tik Tok® White, and Verbena Empress® Lavender Blue 2025—a vibrant trio that delivers color, contrast, and garden appeal all season long.











PETUNIA SUPERTUNIA VISTA® COOL JAZZ™

Achieving the Supertunia Vista name is no small feat. This title is reserved for varieties that undergo years of careful breeding and intense trialing, both in containers and in the landscape. This year, we're excited to introduce a stunning new addition: Supertunia Vista Cool Jazz. A striking cool orchid pink. It shares the same vigorous growth, mounding habit, and size as Supertunia Vista Jazzberry, and when planted together, the effect is nothing short of spectacular. Like all Supertunias, Cool Jazz is self-cleaning, continuously blooming from spring until frost without the need for deadheading.

Whether paired with other robust varieties or showcased independently, this standout





CALADIUM HEART TO HEART® MIDNIGHT OIL (A)

You've never seen a caladium like this before. Introducing 'Midnight Oil'—the first near-black, strap-leaf variety to hit the market and a striking addition to the Heart to Heart® collection. Its arrow-shaped leaves feature deep green and red tones with uniquely undulating edges, creating a bold, textural effect. While it thrives in part shade, its most dramatic coloration emerges in full sun, where the foliage takes on a charcoal-black appearance from afar. In spring and summer, the foliage is darkest, while in autumn, richer red and green hues subtly emerge. Exceptionally vigorous, 'Midnight Oil' fills out containers beautifully, especially in 6-inch or larger pots, making it a top performer for retail displays.

ISLAND GIANTSTM BLACK ABYSS (B)

A standout addition to the ISLAND GIANTS series, Black Abyss features a compact, well-branched, non-running habit that growers and retailers will appreciate. Its dramatic satiny black leaves and stems command attention, while the steady flush of fresh foliage throughout the season keeps displays vibrant and extends the sales window into summer. Perfect as a premium thriller in container recipes—boost your margins with high impulse appeal. Delivers exceptional performance in the landscape with proper mulching, even in drier climates. Plant height is 32-48" with a spread of 30-40". Best grown in part shade to sun.



CALADIUM HEART TO HEART® CREME BRULEE (C)

Introducing a brand new color pattern for Heart to Heart Caladiums! Fancy form, heart-shaped leaves are outlined with a broad, pinky bronze margin and accented by a creamy white center and veining. Creme Brulee remains consistent all season, making it easy to plan container recipes for spring, summer, and fall all at once. These rich tones are gorgeous paired with other part shade to shade tolerant plants like Solenia® Apricot Begonia, Catalina® White Linen Torenia, Sweet Caroline Sweetheart Mahogany™ Ipomoea, and Persian Shield Strobilanthes. Like all Heart to Heart caladiums, the bulbs you receive will come de-eyed and painted for quick and easy planting, resulting in a predictably strong crop every time.

CALADIUM HEART TO HEART® SHEER MAGIC (D)

Heart to Heart Sheer Magic is the first to market, ribbonstyle caladium forming a dense mass of long, narrow, bright red leaves with emerald green margins that retain their bright coloration all season. The thick leaves are remarkably sun-tolerant; you'll find the growth and coloration are best when exposed to full UV sunlight. This plant is naturally so well-branched that the bulbs do not need to be de-eyed to fill pots fully, and the leaves are held at such an angle as to make sleeving for shipment a cinch. Its full habit makes it perfect for use as a filler in containers and baskets. Additionally, it is very impressive when massed in landscapes.

PROVEN WINNERS 2026

PLANTS OF THE YEAR



ANNUAL OF THE YEAR Safari $^{\circ}$ Dusk $^{\text{TM}}$ Phlox



PETUNIA OF THE YEAR Supertunia® Hoopla® Vivid Orchid™



LANDSCAPE OF THE YEAR Señorita Rosalita® Spider Flower



HOSTA OF THE YEAR Shadowland® 'Hope Springs Eternal'



CALADIUM OF THE YEAR Heart to Heart® 'Chinook'



FLOWERING SHRUB OF THE YEAR Double Play $\operatorname{Dolly}^{\otimes}\operatorname{Spirea}$



ROSE OF THE YEAR Rise Up Lilac Days®

PERENNIAL OF THE YEAR Dark Side of the Moon



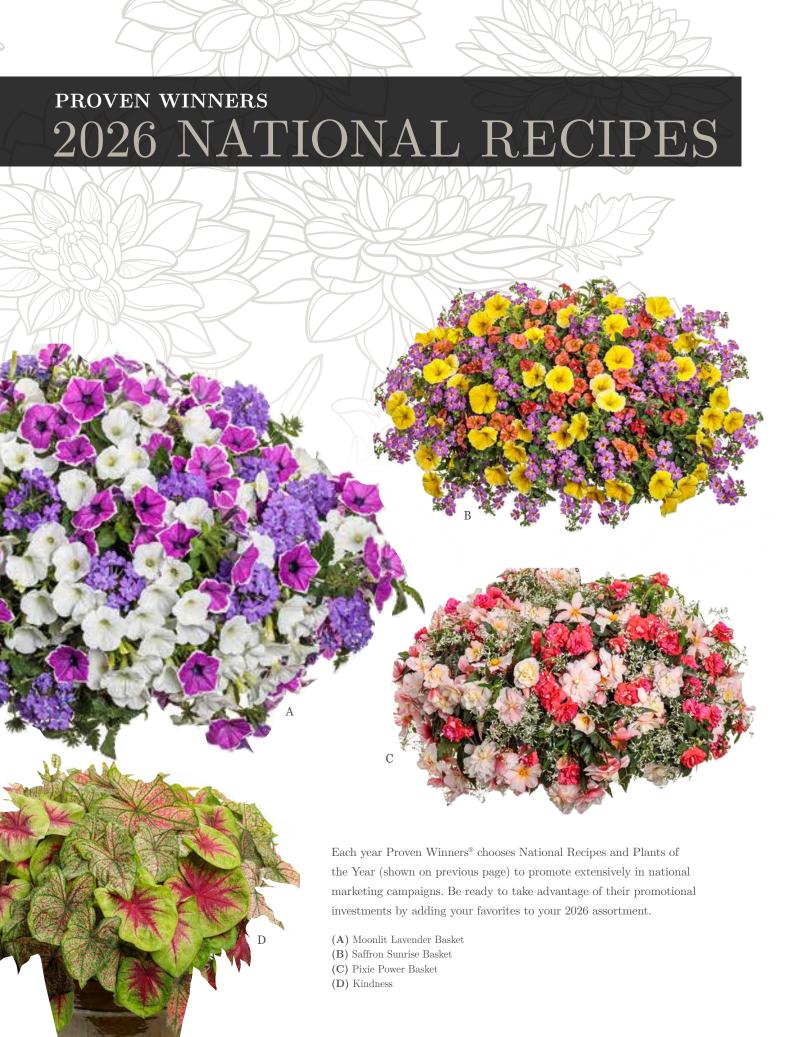
LANDSCAPE PERENNIAL OF THE YEAR Decadence $^{\otimes}$ 'Lemon Meringue' False Indigo



LANDSCAPE SHRUB OF THE YEAR Limelight Prime® Panicle Hydrangea



HYDRANGEA OF THE YEAR Let's Dance Lovable® Bigleaf Hydrangea







MANDEVILLA SUN PARISOL®

This series represents the new generation of mandevilla breeding, offering earlier flowering and superior branching for an abundance of vibrant blooms. These plants are naturally full, with lush growth covered in buds and blossoms from top to bottom, creating a stunning visual impact. Their outstanding garden performance makes them an excellent choice for landscapes, while their tidy habit and prolific flowering also make them ideal for containers and hanging baskets. With their long-lasting beauty and ease of care, Sun Parasol Original XP varieties are perfect for adding bold, tropical color to any space. There are 5 colors in the series and XP Pink is the new introduction.

- (A) Original XP Pink
- (B) FiredUp Coral

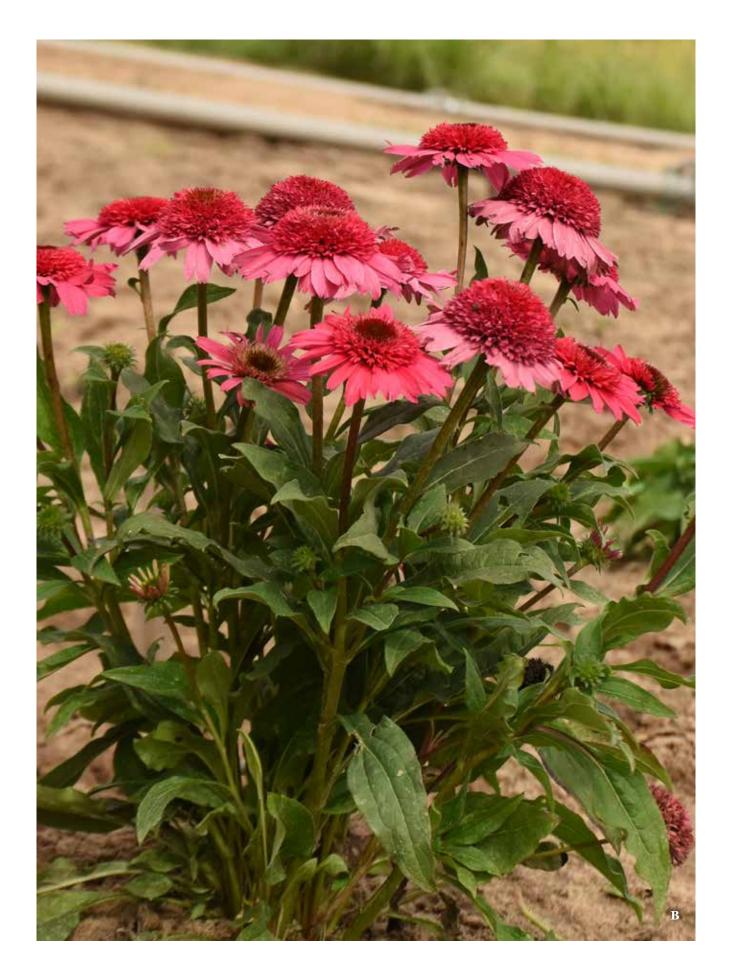
SUNDEVIA® SUPREMA VIVID PINK (C)

Sundevia Suprema will fill trellises faster. Sundevia Suprema is the ultimate choice for vibrant vertical color. An early bloomer with an exceptionally high flower count, this variety features large, eye-catching blooms and a full, lush habit from top to bottom. Its vigorous growth quickly covers trellises, arbors, and supports, making it a stunning solution for vertical gardening. With its bold beauty and reliable performance, Suprema truly lives up to its name. There are two colors in the series: Crimson and the striking new color Vivid Pink.

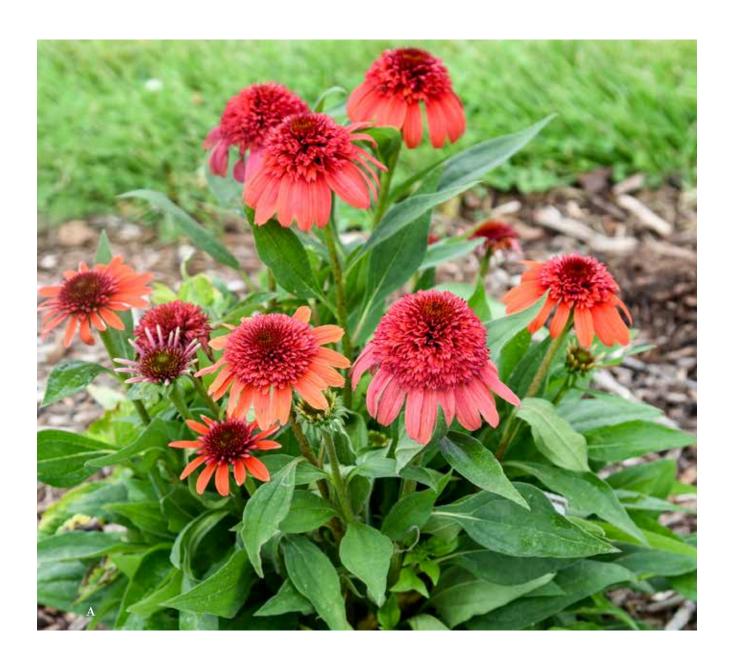










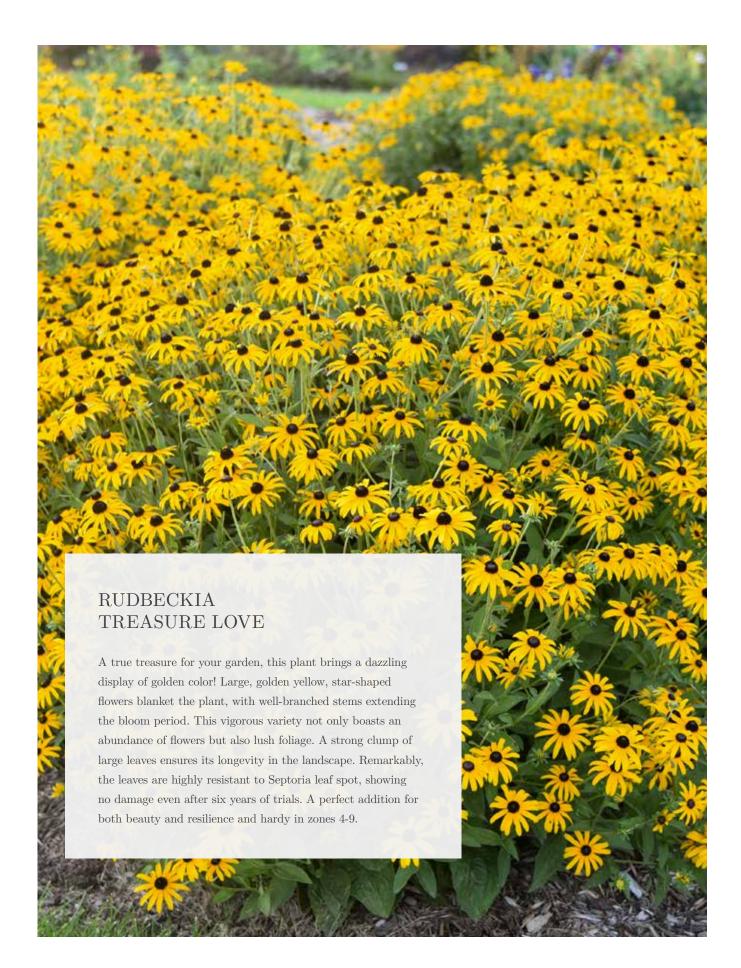




ECHINACEA DOUBLE DIPPED® SERIES

Double Dipped Echinacea boasts large, fully double 4½" flowers with broad, overlapping ray petals. Each variety reaches a substantial height of 2-2½', making it an excellent choice for the middle of the border. Strong, wellbranched stems easily support the large, abundant flowers. Its mounded form is complemented by dark green foliage. For optimal performance, plant in full sun and well-drained soil. Two great colors, 'Raspberry Ripple' features round, raspberry-pink flowers with dark central eyes and robust stems. 'Jamberry' has mandarin orange flowers that mature to coral pink. Hardy in zones 4-8.

- (A) Jamberry
- (B) Raspberry Ripple







HOSTA CHANCE ENCOUNTER (A)

Take a chance on the exciting new Hosta, Chance Encounter! This variety features heart-shaped, powdery blue leaves with wide gold margins. The leaves initially emerge with an apple-green margin that gradually turns gold as they mature. The plant earns its name from the rare watermark halo that forms where the center and marginal variegation meet, creating a unique and striking look.

HOSTA MOUSEKETEER (B)

Resembling 'Blue Mouse Ears' in shape, and this variety features broader yellow centers, green flecking, and a larger overall size. The leaf variegation extends all the way down the petiole to the base of the clump, creating a striking and unique appearance. Its vibrant coloring and distinctive markings make it a standout addition to any garden. Hardy in zones 3-9.



PETUNIA SUPERCAL® BLUE EYED ROSE

SuperCal Petunia are exceptional all weather performers that can stand up to rain, heat and cold temperatures. Highly resistant to botrytis and powdery mildew, making it a reliable choice for extending the season. SuperCal combines vigorous growth with excellent disease resistance, which is perfect for garden performance. Non-sticky blooms allow for easier handling and maintenance. This standout collection blends the best traits of petunias and calibrachoas—vivid, unique colors, large blossoms, and impressive high pH tolerance. New to the series is Blue Eyes Blues, which has gorgeous magenta flowers with a blue throat. There are 10 colors to mix and match for a reliable summer performer in all kinds of conditions.



PETUNIA SUPERCAL® PREMIUM CORAL STAR

SuperCal Premium varieties are known for their larger flowers and naturally mounding habit, making them ideal for quart, gallon, and basket production. With a unique color range and exceptional weather tolerance, they serve as excellent season extenders for both growers and gardeners. These plants thrive from early spring through the first frost and perform exceptionally well during summer heat. Their flowers stay open and fresh during light rain and recover quickly after heavy downpours. SuperCal Premium also offers energy savings, as it can be grown in cooler temperatures, reducing production costs. They maintain strong health throughout the season with high resistance to powdery mildew and botrytis. Plus, they're self-cleaning—no deadheading required—making them an easy-care choice. The bold, vibrant blooms and distinctive colors provide outstanding impact and appeal throughout the spring, summer, and beyond. There are 14 colors in the series, and the 2 new introductions are Coral Star and Yellow Sun Improved.











CALIBRACHOA CALICO $^{\text{TM}}$ DENIM BLUE (E)

Caliloco Series - Wild Color, Unique Style. Building on the success of the Crazytunia® concept. Westhoff's Caliloco series offers an exciting collection that celebrates the bold, the unusual, and the unexpected. Featuring some of the most unique flower colors and patterns available, these standout varieties defy traditional categorization but are guaranteed to turn heads and drive impulse sales. Ideal for smaller pots or as eyecatching accents in mixed combinations, Caliloco plants offer high retail appeal and creative versatility. For best results, pinch at transplant for container production, and pinch and trim just before hanging for baskets. With 22 unique choices in the lineup, the series continues to push boundaries with fresh, attention-grabbing introductions including Denim Blue, Star Child, Starfire Child, Starfire Fuchsia, and Starfire Lavender. Let your color program go a little wild with Caliloco—where unexpected beauty meets irresistible retail power.





BIDENS BEE

Bidens Bees introduces three exciting new colors, including a striking white and yellow bicolor bloom on an enhanced genetic base. These new varieties offer improved vigor, making them ideal for bold, eyecatching displays in baskets and containers. Among them is the largest bloom in our Bidens collection, delivering even more vigor than the original Spicy Electric White and easily filling containers with lush, colorful growth. Also debuting is the first-ever rose bloom Bidens in the Kientzler line—a beautifully mounded variety perfectly suited for spring container programs. These standout additions are sure to elevate your spring offerings with exceptional performance and visual appeal. This medium vigor variety has a height of 8-12" and a spread of 12-24". There are 11 colors in the series. This series is a standout in handling baskets as well as containers.

- (A) Pink Buzz
- (B) Superstar
- (C) Spicy Electric White







CALIBRACHOA UNIQUE SANGRIA FIZZ (D)

The Calibrochoa Uniques series is a uniform series that is perfectly suited for baskets and gallon containers. Bred with growers in mind, it has been selected for its pH tolerance, early flowering, and natural blooming habit, resulting in strong performance and an extended shelf life in the landscape. Sangria Fizz, a standout in the series, offers eye-catching red and yellow bicolor blooms that will grab consumer attention. This series thrives in spring and summer conditions. It has medium vigor, a mounded habit, and a sizing ideal for 14–16 cm containers.

SALVIA CANDLE MIDNIGHT (E)

Part of the upgraded Salvia Candle Series, Midnight Candle has proven to be a standout in trials for its intense midnight blue blooms, strong upright stems, and excellent branching. This early-flowering, medium-vigorous variety performs beautifully in spring and summer, easily handling cool nights and hot summer days. White is known for its large plumes and sturdy stems. Reaching a height of 18" with large plumes and spreading up to 14", Salvia Midnight Candle is perfect as a focal point in containers or as a striking addition to landscape designs. With a floriferous habit and bold color, it is a reliable showstopper for any garden.





PERICALLIS POP! $^{\text{TM}}$

With Pericallis POP!, what you see is what you get uniform growth and reliable performance across every plant. This series delivers exceptional consistency, making it a standout in its class. Thanks to superior branching and lush, vibrant foliage, Pericallis POP! sets a new benchmark in breeding excellence, raising the bar beyond what you may be used to. This series redefines expectations and brings fresh innovation to the Pericallis market. Looking to stand out during the sales season? Pericallis POP steals the show as one of the few colorful options available, offering a stunning bloom period of up to 4 months. And for those growing in cooler conditions—no worries. This series thrives effortlessly in temperatures as low as 39 degrees, making it a reliable choice even in early or late-season production. There are 7 colors to choose from.

- (A) Bang Blue
- (B) Epic Cerise
- (C) Flashy Fuchsia
- (D) Crushed Lilac
- (E) Ready Royal
- (F) Smash Pink
- (G) Wham White





