Plug Connection®

Kiss and Tell

Three varieties of sturdy vertical flowering spikes of rose-pink or rubyred tipped flowers. This "Foxglove with lipstick" series is one of the most talked-about and exciting new products to hit the market in years.

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Digiplexis® 'ILLUMINATION® Flame'

This intergeneric foxglove hybrid is shrubby and bushy in habit, forming woody trunks at the base—unlike standard foxgloves that form a basal rosette. Countless spikes of stunning rosy-pink tipped flowers with soft creamy-orange throats. Plants are sterile and continually pushes new spikes from lateral shoots all summer and fall. Blooms from spring through hard frosts and makes a spectacular container plant of non-stop summer color. Heat tolerant; 16-36"h x 18-24"w; Hardy USDA Zones 8-11.

Digiplexis® 'ILLUMINATION® Raspberry'

With much smaller leaves and a shorter, more compact habit, this variety lends itself to production in 1-2 gallon pots. The shorter flower spikes are numerous with bright ruby-red blooms showing hints of orange. The hardiest variety with 5 years of container hardiness outdoors in Zone 7b.

Digiplexis® 'Berry Canary'

With a tighter, more compact habit, this variety is more like a standard Digitalis with branching and new shoot development at the crown. Short, stocky flower spikes with a rose-pink color and cream throats. An excellent choice for 6" or 1-2 gallon pots. Long blooming and hardy to zone 7b.

Cultivaris tags are required with liner purchase (30% of actual size) CROP TIME/POT SIZE: 12-16 wks / 1GL; 14-18 wks / 2GL

PLANTING: Pot non-vernalized liners from Oct-Feb depending on desired plant/pot size and ability to vernalize after transplant; plant vernalized liners from Feb-Apr for summer sales.

PINCHING: One soft pinch after potting recommended for nonvernalized plants if multiple spikes are desired.

SOIL MIX: Well drained perennial mix, neutral pH, good water and nutrient retention.

IRRIGATION: Soil moisture levels should be kept on the dry side until established. Avoid overhead irrigation once flower spikes

TEMPERATURE: With non-vernalized plugs, start warm (70°F / 20°C) to establish; 4-6 week chill period at temps lower than 50°F / 10°C to initiate flower buds; finish cooler (55–60°F / 12–15°C). If starting with vernalized plugs, pot and finish at 55–60°F / 12–15°C.

LIGHT: Best when grown under full sun conditions—can stretch if light levels are not high enough.

FERTILIZATION: 200-250 ppm constant liquid feed once established. Use a balanced fertilizer that includes micro nutrients.

PESTS: Monitor for aphids and thrips

