

Salvia Fizz™ Series

Salvia splendens



COLORS AVAILABLE:	Cream, Grape, Peach, Raspberry, Strawberry
SIZE/PLANT HABIT:	Height: 8" to 12"/excellent branching habit, genetically dwarf/annual
NOVELTY CHARACTERISTICS:	Early flowering, heavily branched, genetically dwarf, dense placement of flowers on spike gives more color, long lasting flowers
MARKET USE:	Pack, pot combination planter, mass planting

CULTURAL RECOMMENDATIONS:

CONTAINER SIZE	
SOWING:	288 tray
FINISH CONTAINER:	Pack, 4 and 6 inch pots, gallon
PLUG STAGE:	
GERMINATION:	Emergence 5-7 days / 75 - 78°F; lightly cover seed with course vermiculite, soil must be evenly moist for good germination
EC (POUR THRU METHOD)	Emergence to cotyledon expansion= 0.1 – 0.25 mS/cm Cotyledon expansion to true leaf growth= 0.75 mS/cm Plug finish= 0.75 – 1.0 mS/cm
PLUG FINISH:	4 – 6 weeks in a 288 tray
FINISHING:	
TRANSPLANT:	25 – 35 days after sowing
DAYS TO FLOWER AFTER SOWING:	55 – 65 days
TEMPERATURE:	65- 75°F day / 55- 60°F night
EC:	1.0 - 2.25 mS/cm (pour thru method)
pH:	5.4 - 5.8
COMMON DISEASES/PESTS:	Alternaria leaf spot/Aphids, spider mites, thrips

NOTES:

- After cotyledons have expanded, lower temperature to 65-68°F to reduce stretching
- Plugs best shipped between 41 & 54°F
- pH & EC should be monitored for this crop. Salvia is very sensitive to high salts. pH should not exceed 6.2

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