Canna South Pacific™
Scarlet
*Canna generalis

COLORS AVAILABLE: Scarlet
FLOWER/GARDEN SIZE: Height 26 – 32 inches, single flowers clustered in terminal spikes
NOVELTY CHARACTERISTICS: Vigorous, compact, seed-propagated variety so it is not prone to diseases transmitted in rhizome production*; day-length neutral; well branched; excellent repeat blooming on multiple spikes. First hybrid Canna from seed.
MARKET USE: Excellent for garden borders, containers, pots; well suited for shallow areas of water gardens

CULTURAL RECOMMENDATIONS:

CONTAINER SIZE:
SOWING: 72 - 128 cell tray
FINISH CONTAINER: 6” pots and larger
PLUG STAGE:
GERMINATION: Emergence 8 -12 days / 75 – 80°F (24 – 27°C); cover seed
EC (POUR THRU METHOD): Emergence to cotyledon expansion = <0.5 mS/cm
cotyledon expansion to true leaf growth = <0.75 mS/cm; /
plug finish EC = 0.75-1.2 mS/cm
PLUG FINISH TIME: 4 - 5 weeks in a 128 tray
FINISHING:
TRANSPLANT: 35 - 45 days after sowing
DAYS TO FLOWER FROM SOWING: 80 - 110 days depending on average temperature
TEMPERATURE: 69 - 95°F (20 – 35°C) day / 65 - 80°F (18 – 27°C) night
EC: 1.0 – 2.6 mS/cm (pour thru method)
pH: 6.2 - 7.0
GARDEN: Planting distance: 12 - 16” off center, dry, sunny location, prune spent flower stalks to encourage new blooms

NOTES:
• South Pacific Scarlet is an All-America Selections award winner

*Since viruses and bacteria are generally not transmitted to seed, Canna Cannova, Tropical and South Pacific are inherently disease free. However, they are still susceptible to infection from external sources if grown with other infected materials.