

Cha-Cha Diva Hot Pink Calibrachoa from Ball FloraPlant

2020

NEW ANNUAL VARIETIES

Your guide to the latest annual varieties from around the world

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1. Bee's Knees Petunia
The truest yellow petunia on the market! Bright, lush blooms flower all season long with dark green foliage and superior branching. Easy-to-grow, eye-catching variety offers outstanding performance in landscape and containers. Grows to 8 to 10 in. (20 to 25 cm) tall and 16 to 22 in. (41 to 56 cm) wide. Medium-vigor petunia is suited for quart production.

2. Cha-Cha® Diva Hot Pink Calibrachoa
This unique, color-shifting calibrachoa is part of a new vigorous series with exceptional uniformity in habit and timing. Mounded plants are 25% more vigorous than our Cabaret® series and feature cascading blooms for large containers, baskets and mixes. This series offers early-flowering varieties, like this bright pink shade that changes color throughout the season. Easy-to-root calibrachoa grows to 6 to 12 in. (15 to 30 cm) tall with a spread of 12 to 24 in. (30 to 61 cm).

3. FlameThrower™ Cajun Spice and Sriracha Coleus
Two new varieties with bold colors and striking patterns expand this compact-to-medium series, adding tons of texture in the garden. Cajun Spice features a contrast of vibrant orange leaves and green edges. Sriracha's stunning dark red leaves are highlighted with lime green edging. With a compact habit, this series is perfect for small pots and mixed containers. Grows to 12 to 18 in. (30 to 46 cm) tall and 16 to 18 in. (41 to 46 cm) wide. Successful in the heat with a low PGR requirement. Pictured above: Cajun Spice Sriracha

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VIBRANCE!

Bold color, uniform habit





NEW Cha-Cha™ Calibrachoa

Featuring an assortment of dazzling colors, including two novelties, Cha-Cha is a cascading calibrachoa that's easy to grow. Trialed and tested for uniform timing and habit across all colors, it's perfect for large containers. **Book yours now.**

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1. Begonia benariensis BIG® White Green Leaf
Our most exciting BIG addition: BIG® White Green Leaf is extremely well-branched with short internodes so it's covered with blooms. Outstanding garden performance in full sun to full shade lives up to the BIG Begonia name. Earlier to set blooms then perfect mounded habit later in the season. Extremely heat tolerant. Also new to the BIG® series is BIG® Deep Rose Bronze Leaf – the darkest, richest rose in the series.

2. Begonia Groovy™ Series
The Groovy™ series is a new compact boliviensis begonia series from seed. Their mounded, semi-trailing habit makes shipping easy! Superior germination rate, outstanding plug performance and uniformity across the series makes growing easy. Bigger flowers and shorter internodes for more color at retail. The Groovy™ Series is perfect for your premium basket programs and is available in orange, red, rose, white and mellow yellow. Thrives in full sun to partial shade.

3. Bidens Taka Tuka
Named for the gold coins from Pippi Longstocking's Taka Tuka land, Bidens Taka Tuka Series is always fun and exciting. This series of four distinct bi-colors will add dramatic color to your retail benches. New Taka Tuka Yellow Red Star is no exception. This brilliant new bi-color has an outstanding habit that is great in baskets or combos. The highly consistent bi-color pattern will delight your customers in premium pots, hanging baskets or mixed containers.

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BIG® White Green Leaf

BIG® White Green Leaf is extremely well branched so your pots will be covered with blooms. It's outstanding garden performance and a perfect mounded habit live up to the BIG® Begonia name. For white hot sales and performance, you can only trust the BIG® Begonia name – BIG® White Green Leaf.

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Green Fuse

1. Vinca Quasar™
Vinca Quasar are out of this world. The series features a selection of unique colors that will leave you starstruck. All have the exceptionally large flowers you would expect of a hybrid Vinca. Hybrid vigor and intensive breeding selections insure excellent summer disease resistance. Check out Deep Space Blue as well as our Target Orange for industry first colors.

2. Ipomoea Sweet Georgia®
Trials this year around the country have found Ipomoea Sweet Georgia's to have superior uniformity. And the entire series of Sweet Georgia is all new for 2020-2021. With 9 uniform colors, the series is great for mono and combo pots. Sweet Georgia's feature heart, palmate and bicolor leaf types and include the unique jet black, Black Maple. Bred for consistent performance among all color selections.

3. Begonia Rex Collection
Our Rex Begonia Bewitched® series feature distinctive cut leaves in a variety of colors. All have strong vigor and are heavily branched. This means the Bewitched are perfect for faster turns in your Begonia Rex program. This year we add Bewitched Cherry, Bewitched Pink, Bewitched Lavender and Bewitched Silver to bring the series to 7 colors. In 2021, Green Fuse will introduce an entire series that captures a curly design. This all new breeding concept will be available in the first year in four stunning colors. Curly white, chocolate, cherry and peppermint. The most popular leaf shape in a Rex Begonia is the snail or escargot leaf type. The Curly series maintains the same strong vigor as the Dibs® and Bewitched® series.

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INTRODUCING A WHOLE NEW MARKET

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1. Sol™ Collection Foliage Celosia
The NEW Sol™ Collection is a unique new foliage celosia which expands the options for consumers looking for sun-loving foliage accent plants for patio planters with a different texture and look, as well as for quick-growing, low, shrub-like plants that look great at the front of the border. It has a relatively fast production time and holds well at retail. Purple foliage develops and intensifies once planted outside Available in two color-varying varieties, NEW Gekko Green and NEW Lizzard Leaf. Fleuroselect Gold Medal winner!

2. Shock Wave® Purple Tie Dye Petunia
Each Shock Wave plant is blanketed with masses of color from the amazing number of petite, novelty bicolor blooms. Flowers in a 4 to 6-day window. Rebounds faster from overhead watering and rain than other petunias, and stays fresher-looking at retail and outdoors. Performs equally well in small spaces, baskets, containers and mixed combos. NEW Purple Tie Dye features an appealing purple-blue and white bicolor pattern that changes based on temperature, light levels and PGRs used; daminozide use will result in more white showing on the blooms.

3. Glitterati Red Star Pentas
A sure winner! This follow-up to the first patented bicolor pentas, Glitterati Purple Star introduced in 2018, offers a unique star pattern that is distinctly different and best enjoyed close up. Combines easily with other varieties, adding an exciting component for warm/hot season combinations, especially red, white and blue for holiday décor. Finishes fast for speed to market. NEW Red Star features a distinctive red color with a white star pattern that is great for Summer patio pots and mixed planters.

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Proven Winners

1. Double Delight™ Begonia Series
Gardeners will enjoy watching the cascading, elegantly formed blossoms as well as the notable citrus-like fragrance these plants will provide. Excellent vigor, branching, and flower count–plus sun tolerance–will make this new series of begonias a delight to grow. Each is more tolerant of Xanthomonas than other series. Look for a final height of 8-14" with a spread of 12-24". Best in part sun to sun. Pictured left: 'Blush Rose.' Pictured right: 'Primrose'

2. High Noon Euryops pectinatus
Proven Winners has taken Euryops and has refined it for today's growers by making it more compact, more colorful, and easier to get into flower for spring in the North. Expect large, prolific sunny yellow blossoms that are better branched with a denser habit. Each plant will reach 10-14" in height with a spread of 12-18". Part sun to sun.

3. Supertunia® Royal Velvet® Improved Petunia
How do you improve on one of your top-selling annuals? By enhancing its spring habit and presentation, ensuring season-long performance, and making its bold royal purple flowers colorfast. Growers know the excellent heat tolerance this variety offers, in addition to how it is a durable, all-season performer.
Look for a height of 6-12" with an 18-24" spread. Best in part sun to sun.

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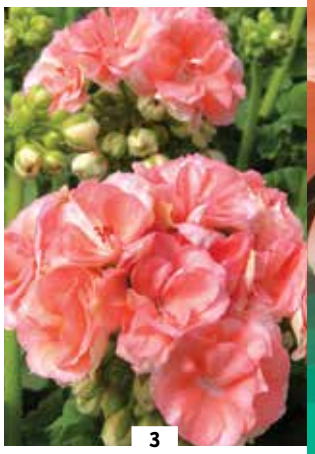
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Syngenta Flowers

1. FotoFinish™ spreading Petunia
FotoFinish™ spreading Petunia series sets new standards in programmability and uniformity with a mounded and branching habit, ideal for high density growing. Extra early flowering, with masses of color in 9-10 weeks from sowing, create high impact retail and long-lasting garden displays. Available in 8 new colors–Blue, Burgundy, Pink, Red, Rose Morn, Rose Star, Salmon, White; and 2 new mixes–Mix and Patriot Mix.

2. Florencio™ Begonia
A standout with striking color and bold foliage. A striking range of vibrant colors paired with upright grower-friendly habits makes Florencio™ the go-to hybrid Begonia. Medium vigor, well-branched habits are grower friendly and ideal for mid-to-large sized containers. Bred for outstanding outdoor performance, Florencio holds up to the rigors of the season and provides season long value for the end consumer. Available in 5 new colors–Pink, Red, Yellow, White and Orange.

3. Rosalie™ Zonal Geranium
A double flower that is irresistible! Rosalie™ Antique Salmon is a truly unique zonal geranium with soft pink rosebud-like double flowers that standout at retail and in the garden. Controlled habits work well across a range of small to medium-sized containers. A novel variety that adds a new twist to geranium programs. New color for 2020: Antique Salmon. Available in URC, CC, and AutoStix®.

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Champion II Rose campanula from Sakata

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BEGONIA

Begonia HOLIDAY 'New Year's Eve' from **Terra Nova Nurseries** is a lovely, cold tolerant and multi-purpose begonia that can be used as a houseplant, in mixed containers or in shady summer borders. Its silver-green foliage contrasts nicely with the bright pink flowers it blooms. Begonia 'New Year's Eve' flowers heavily indoors, even in the winter, and has a tight, mounding habit. USDA Hardiness Zones for this variety are 10-11, and it has a foliage height of 12", a foliage spread of 18" and a flower height of 13".

CALIBRACHOA

Cha-Cha is a new series from **Ball FloraPlant** that is 25% more vigorous than Cabaret with large, cascading blooms. It's easy to grow and very uniform in production with an early flowering time. Perfect for all pots, and it features the most vibrant colors, including two "chameleon" types.

These bicolor tropical coral blossoms with a sunny yellow center blanket this mounded selection from planting until frost without deadheading. From **Proven Winners, SUPERBELLS 'Coral Sun'**'s earliness to bloom helps it fit in easily with their most recent additions to the Superbells collection, including 'Honeyberry'. A beautifully mounded habit blanketed in color that is perfect for window boxes and mono containers. Expect a height of 6-12" and a spread of 12-24". Best in full to part sun.

CAMPANULA

New Champion II from **Sakata** includes four colors; Deep Blue, Lilac, Pink and Rose! This elegant new series



Begonia HOLIDAY 'New Year's Eve'



Calibrachoa 'Cha Cha'



SUPERBELLS 'Coral Sun'


Arrabona red


'Monkey Puzzle'

boasts superb uniformity and large flower size on sturdy stems. With outstanding plug performance as well as uniform and shorter flowering window, Champion II has a quicker cycle for growers.

CELOSIA

Arrabona Red from **Hem Genetics** is a striking orange-red beauty with an outstanding garden performance and a long flowering season. It's tolerant to drought, loves the heat and is excellent for subtropical and continental climates. Compact, sturdy and well-branched and a low-maintenance plant makes it an excellent variety for parks and landscaping. Flowering time is from spring through late summer. Suited for pot size 4-5 in. Height 14-16 in. Spread 10-14 in. Arrabona red is a Fleuroselect Gold Medal award winning variety.

COLEUS

Coleus TERRA NOVA 'Monkey Puzzle' from **Terra Nova** is a dynamic, self-branching variety with a mounding habit that is covered with lovely peach- and purple-toned, lace-like leaves. Its rounded, spreading habit is perfect for containers, hanging baskets, mid-height summer borders and mass plantings. U.S.D.A. Hardiness Zones for 'Monkey Puzzle' are 10-11, and it has a foliage height of 10" and a foliage spread of 20".

COLOCASIA

Capitalize on the tropical trend by adding this distinctive Colocasia with dramatically cupped, olive green foliage and mocha accents to your


'Coffee Cups'


Metalis' Cyclamen


Impatiens 'Beacon Rose'

line. As tropicals continue to trend upward, there's never been a better time to expand your offering of tropical container plants. **'Coffee Cups'** from **Proven Winners** loves moisture and welcomes it consistently. It is equally spectacular in the landscape where it appreciates some protection from high winds. Expect a height of 36-60", with a spread of 36-60", best in sun or part sun.

CYCLAMEN

This new midi range of cyclamen features silvery foliage. **Metalis** Cyclamen from **Ball Ingenuity** plants have exceptional evenness with round and vigorous growth, generous silverleaf, and distinctive contrasting. Available in an assortment of six colors and a mix, bred by Morel and offered exclusively through Ball Seed.


Big EEZE


MegaBoom

DAHLIA

MegaBloom from **Dümmen Orange** is a new series of dahlia that take the massive sized blooms of the XXL series and put them on a shorter peduncle so the flower rests right above the foliage. These vigorous varieties are excellent for large combination containers or front of the garden border.

GERANIUM

Big EEZE interspecific geraniums from **Dümmen Orange** have blended the heat tolerance of the ivy types, while maintaining the classic look of a zonal geranium. Big EEZE Watermelon boasts massive vivid watermelon pink flowers, perfect for summer promotions.

IMPATIENS

Beacon Impatiens from



New Guinea Impatiens Roller Coaster series



'Senetti Violet'

PanAmerican Seed bring color confidence back to shade gardens with high resistance to Impatiens downy mildew. The series offers reliable, fast-filling color for borders, landscapes, baskets and large or small containers. A new color addition for 2021 is **Beacon Rose**, a striking hue to brighten shade gardens.

The original sun-loving impatiens introduce two new colors! New **SunPatiens Compact Rose Glow** from **Sakata** presents vibrant rose-magenta flowers that are sure to add a dramatic radiance of vivid color to any garden or landscape. New Compact Hot Pink is very early to bloom with well-branched plants and an abundance of blooms. It has also demonstrated exceptional heat and wilt tolerance under the most severe conditions. SunPatiens deliver continuous worry-free flowering from spring through fall, full-sun to shade.



SunPatiens Compact Rose Glow

NEW GUINEA IMPATIENS

The **Roller Coaster** from **Dümmen Orange** series adds a wild spin to the New Guinea Impatiens category with large, double flowers and a ruffled margin, going up and down, like the tracks of a roller coaster. These blooms bring a three-dimensional effect in the garden and a real wow on the retail bench.

PERICALLIS

A vibrant new color joins the Senetti line from **Suntory Flowers**. '**Senetti Violet**' has deep violet blue flowers with white radiating from the center eye for dramatic effect. Plants are more compact than top selling Senetti varieties, Magenta Bicolor and Blue Bicolor. Habit is similar to 'Senetti Ruby Red.' Excellent in gallon pots. Perfect for early spring sales, Senetti delivers cool colors for the cool season!



Headliner Crystal Sky

PETUNIA

The **Headliner** series from **SelectaOne** is a medium-vigor, mounded series and boasts early flowering for fast finish and a dramatic color range. NEW for spring 2021 are additions to the "Sky Family" – **Crystal Sky** has more stability than Night Sky in a light lavender hue; **Electric Purple Sky** catches the eye with vibrant color and popular sky pattern.



Petunia 'Itsy Bitsy'

With exceptional color coverage and good vigor, '**Itsy Bitsy**' from **Syngenta Flowers** is a great option for both the landscape and containers. Tons of tiny magenta blooms form a blanket of color providing undeniable retail appeal. Exceptional branching, color coverage and a controlled habit, Itsy is sure to be a hit with growers and consumers alike. New color for 2020: Magenta Available in URC and AutoStix.

Novelty petunia 'Surfinia Heartbeat' from **Suntory** now has a companion, **'Surfinia Purple Heart.'** Each white flower features a pattern of five purple hearts. Perfect for patriotic promotions! Also new for 2021 is an improvement to Heartbeat, with fuller plant habit and more stable heart pattern. The two mix beautifully together in hanging baskets! Order them as a Suntory Mixer cuttings combo set listed as Surfinia Sweethearts.

PHILODENDRON

Philodendron '**Shangri-La**' from **Ball Ingenuity** is a new form of the popular split-leaf variety. Consumers



'Surfinia Purple Heat'

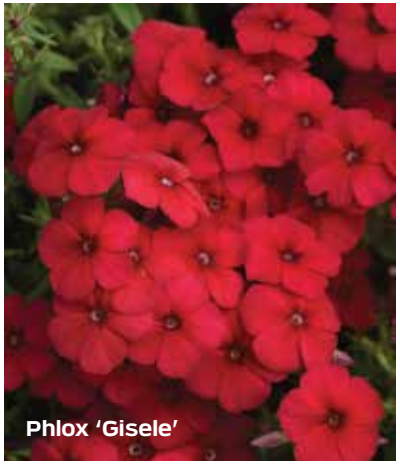




get a more elegant and well-kept looking plant that's perfect as a houseplant for indoor décor, or for landscape use when protected outdoors. Shangri-La's habit is uniformly dense and clumping and will not vine. Years of trialing has perfected its genetics before its market debut. Available exclusively through Ball Seed.

PLECTRANTHUS

Plectranthus **VELVET Starlet** is **Terra Nova's** most exciting plectranthus to date. Beyond its exemplary, natural semi-dwarf habit that doesn't require pinching or PGRs, this plectranthus produces a unique color that can light up a summer and fall garden like few other varieties. This variety has tubular trusses of bright-rose, pure-pink and violet flowers that are held perfectly above the foliage. USDA Hardiness Zones for this variety are 9-11, and it has a foliage height of 14", foliage spread of 16" and flower height of 18".



PHLOX

Bred for reliable rooting, heat tolerance and large, attractive flower clusters, **Gisele** Phlox from **Selecta One** is a top performer across all areas. It has been trialed across North America and continuously produces colorful blooms. New colors for 2021 include Light Pink + Eye, Purple, Red and Scarlet.

PRIMULA

Princessa from **Sakata** includes six colors; Blue, Golden, Pink, Rose, Scarlet and White as well as a mix! Boasting the largest flowers of any primula acaulis, these blooms are a serious showstopper! Their eye-catching color and massive flower power promote high sell through. They require no cold treatment for flower initiation, leading to uniform flowering in all climates. Larger plants are perfect for 5" pots or multiple plants in larger containers making for beautiful retail displays.



SCAVEVOLA

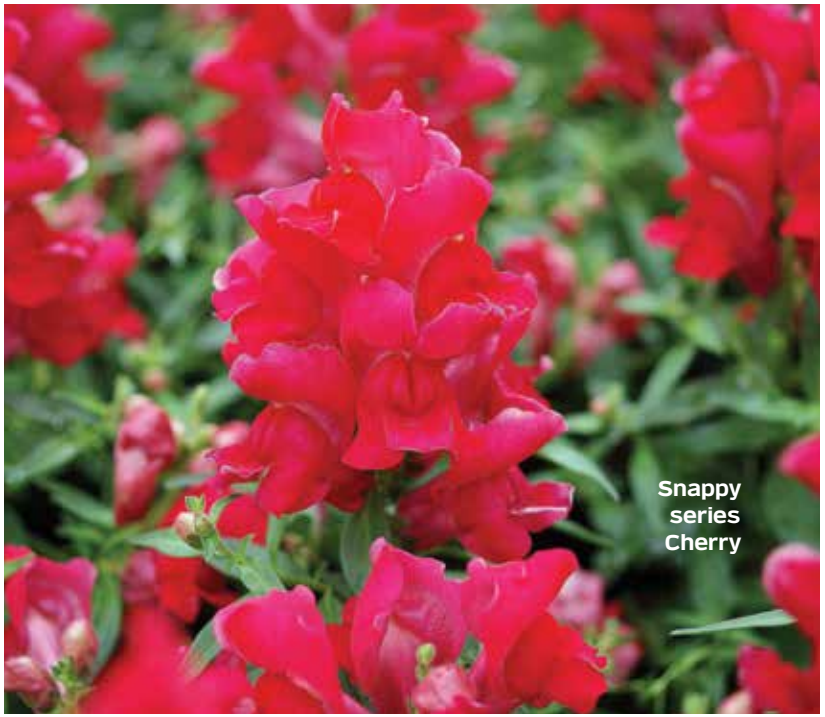
'Surdiva Purple' joins **Suntory's** amazingly compact and colorful Surdiva scaevola series! Plants are covered with amethyst-colored, fan-shaped flowers. They are great to mix in combinations with other heat-loving summer annuals and Surdiva colors. Surdiva scaevolas are a dramatic improvement to traditional scaevolas in terms of concentrated color and tidy



presentation. Will reach 8-14" height; 18-24" spread.

SNAPDRAGON

A new color addition to **Hem Genetics' Snappy series** of Dwarf Snapdragons, **Cherry** is a beautiful bold Cerise-Red color that you cannot miss in the landscape. The throat of each bloom is white which really helps set off the flowers. The Snappy varieties grow to a height of 8-10"


Snappy series Cherry


Solar Avalanche 'Cherry Brilliant Eye'

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and a plant width of 12", and produce flowers all season long. In a testing of all series of dwarf Snapdragons, the Dallas Arboretum found Snappy to be the best in overall performance.

VINCA

The latest addition to **Hem Genetics' Solar Avalanche** series of trailing vinca, '**Cherry Brilliant Eye**' is a knockout in color! The flower color is a bright, bold cerise-red enhanced by a very large white center. The contrast is truly eye-catching. The series, now comprised of nine separate colors, is an excellent choice for hanging baskets and containers. They perform very well throughout extreme hot and humid conditions, and produce large flowers with overlapping petals. In the ground, this trailing vinca will grow to a plant height of 8" to 12" and a plant width of 18" to 22".

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