

Begonia semperflorens Sprint Plus Lipstick

Culture guide

Uses:

Packs, Pots, Hanging Baskets, Mixed Containers
and Landscape

Exposure:

Partial shade - Sun

Garden height:

9" / 23 cm

Crop time:

10-14 weeks

Sowing method:

1-2 seeds or pellets per plug

Germination:

Optimum conditions for seedling development,
beginning on the day of sowing until radicle
emergence. Expect radicle emergence in 6-8
days.

Fertilization:

Plug Culture:

Maintain an EC

Growing On:

Moderate fertilization levels are required.

Fertilize the crop weekly with 100-150 ppm
nitrogen, using a complete balanced fertilizer.
Avoid high ammonium and high nitrogen levels,
because the foliage can grow very large. Avoid
pH levels above 6.0, as high pH can cause iron
deficiency. Watch for low Ca and Mg levels since
this can result in stunted plants with marginal leaf
edge burn. Under high light conditions use an
ammonium based fertilizer (17-5-17) and under
low light use a calcium based fertilizer (14-4-14).