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Taishan Marigold



Taishan Marigold delivers excellent, season-long landscape performance with high-impact colour and its dwarf habit offers better branching to provide full, lush plants that perform longer. Shorter peduncles and thicker stems than the competition means less breakage in shipping and beautiful blooms at retail. Taishan was a top performer and survived the humid, summer heat in Beijing, China for the 2008 Olympic Games. They are available in three colours: Gold, Yellow, Orange and also a mixture. They grow to a height of 10 to 12 inches, and have a spread of eight to 10 inches. Grow in full sun.

Zahara Zinnia – New Starlight Rose



This all-new, disease-tolerant and heat-loving series has 20 percent larger flowers in stronger colours than the market leaders. Includes a trio of "firsts" for a zinnia of this type: Yellow, Scarlet and a well-balanced Mix. Count on big retail impact and care-free, season-long shows with lots of colour. New Starlight Rose is an All-American

Selections winner for 2010 and it is the first bicolor zinnia in this disease-tolerant type – white with rose stripe. Other colours in the series include Coral Rose, Scarlet, new Fire, White and Yellow. It grows to 12 to 18 inches, and has a similar spread.

PanAmerican Seed

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Sedum album aureum 'Golden Tip Stonecrop'



This succulent brings year-round interest to the landscape with green-gold colour in spring, bright-yellow flowers in summer, and brilliant red tones in the fall and winter. 'Golden Tip Stonecrop' is drought-tolerant and tolerates moderate foot traffic. This sedum reaches a mature height of three inches. Grow in full sun to part sun. Ideal for hardiness zones above -30° (-34C).

Stepables

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Armeria pseudoarmeria 'Ballerina red' and 'Ballerina White'

Two innovative *Armeria pseudoarmeria* varieties made it to the Fleuroselect judges' Gold Medal honours list for both pack and garden performance. *Armeria pseudoarmeria* 'Ballerina Red' (pictured) and 'Ballerina White' can adorn container plantings or shine in garden edges and mixed borders. 'Ballerina Red' and 'Ballerina White' will flower and flower all summer long and when the blooms fade away, the pleasingly rounded dense cushions of growth will remain evergreen throughout the winter.

The *Armeria pseudoarmeria* 'Ballerina' series is suitable for year-round production to different market sectors. The main target



for these varieties is the general bedding plant market due to the uniformity, short production time and floridity. 'Ballerinas' will be a valuable addition to the first year flowering perennial market. When used for winter production these newcomers will be available for sales two to three weeks earlier than existing *Armeria maritima* varieties.

Fleuroselect

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Helleborus Winter Jewels 'Painted Doubles'



A new member of the new Winter Jewels series, this double hellebore has delicate white blooms adorned with red brush strokes that bloom from late winter to early spring. It achieves a full height of 12 inches and a spread of 24 inches. This flower can be grown in dappled shade. Ideal for hardiness zones 5 to 8.

Terra Nova Nurseries

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