'Miss Molly'

Buddleia 'Miss Molly' pp#23,425, cbr#4446 Common name: butterfly bush



Landscape Info:		
USDA/AHS zones:	USDA 5/AHS 9	
Mature height:	4-5′/1.2-1.5 m	
Exposure:	Full Sun	
Irrigation:	Moderate	

Features & Benefits:

- Nearly-red flower color is intense and unusual, especially in warm climates
- Continuous blooming, with an elegant, vase-like habit
- Non-invasive and approved for sale in OR & WA
- Landscape-friendly 4-5' height
- Deer resistant



Cultural info:			
pH Level:	5.6 – 6.2		
Nutrient Needs:	Average		
EC (2:1 extract):	0.6 – 0.9		
Light Level:	High		
Watering:	Moderate (good drainage imperative)		
Rooting Out Temp:	65° - 72°F/18.3-22.2° C		
Overwintering Temp:	40 - 50°F/4.4-10° C		
Sales Window:	Spring through summer		
Blooms On:	New wood		
Trimming/pruning:	Trim 2-3 times		
Vernalization:	Not required		
Vigor Rating:	High		
Finish Size	Liner Size	Weeks of Active Growth to Finish	
1 gallon	2 ¼" • 4" • QT	6-8 • 5-7 • 4-6	
2 -3 gallon	2 ¼" • 4" • QT	12-14 • 11-13 • 10-12	

Grower Tips:

- One of the fastest shrubs to produce.
- Buddleia will rebloom approximately 4-6 weeks after trimming in summer. Multiple crop cycles will give you a continuous supply of ready-to-sell product, covered with large terminal blooms.
- Does not require deadheading for continuous bloom.
- Buddleia are susceptible to spider mites; scout often and treat aggressively. Downy mildew and aphids may also occur.
- Avoid drought stress to minimize wilting and pest issues.
- Taper off fertilizing and excessive watering in late summer to minimize damage if crop is to be overwintered. Keep on the dry side when dormant.
- Avoid fall pruning, and in spring, do not cut until new growth begins to emerge on stems.
- Not recommended for fall sales/planting in zone 5.

NOTES: