

Glow Stick® *Japanese*

holly *Ilex crenata*

Standing tall and bright, Glow Stick Holly adds year-round interest to landscapes and containers alike. It grows in a 1' wide column, offering endless design possibilities in even the smallest spaces. Its golden foliage weathers harsh winters and full sun without discoloration. Small but mighty, Glow Stick Holly makes a lasting impact as a grouping in the border, hedge, or even as the thriller in a container display. Top reasons to grow Glow Stick holly? Exciting habit; Highlighter-like color; Tolerates urban conditions well; Foliage Interest; Fall Interest; Winter Interest; Salt Tolerant

CHARACTERISTICS

Plant Type: Shrub

Shrub Type: Evergreen

Height Category: Medium

Garden Height: 48 - 72 Inches 1.2m - 1.8m

Spacing: 12 Inches 30cm

Spread: 12 Inches 30cm

Flower Colors: White

Foliage Colors: Green; Yellow

Foliage Shade: Yellowy green

Habit: Upright

Container Role: Thriller

PLANT NEEDS

Light Requirement: Part Shade; Sun The optimum amount of sun or shade each plant needs to thrive: Full Sun (6+ hours), Part Sun (4-6 hours), Full Shade (up to 4 hours).

Maintenance Category: Easy

Bloom Time: Grown for Foliage

Hardiness Zones: 5b, 6a, 6b, 7a, 7b, 8a, 8b, 9a, 9b

Water Category: Average

Soil PH Category: Acidic Soil

Uses: Border Plant; Container; Landscape; Mass Planting; Specimen or Focal Point

Uses Notes: With an interesting narrow habit, it makes a fabulous specimen plant, hedge, or container plant.

Maintenance Notes:

Prefers moist acidic soils with good drainage and a good layer of shredded bark mulch. Pruning is seldom needed, but may be shaped in late winter. Apply an evergreen fertilizer in spring.

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