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What	Variety		Description
Ageratum	Ball Mixed		<i>Ageratum houstonianum</i> . Annual. A soft blend of lavender, mauve, and cream. These dainty, dwarf plants reach just 12 inches tall. Alluring to butterflies and bees, the tidy bedding plants can be tucked into pots, beds, borders, fairy gardens, pollinator patches, and more.
Ammi	Green Mist		<i>Ammi visnaga</i> . Annual. A fabulous flower for mixed bouquets, the large, rounded umbels of 'Green Mist' start out a bold green, turning to white as the tiny flowers open. Also known as bishop's flower or false Queen Anne's lace, this practically care-free annual is an easy-to-manage addition to any garden, as it is fairly drought tolerant once established. Rich in nectar, it attracts beneficial insects. Take care when cutting, as the sap may irritate sensitive skin; wear gloves when harvesting or wash well after. 36"-50" tall and 18" wide.




Aster	China Aster Blend		When the sunshine and heat have you reaching for iced tea, this selection of old-fashioned, single-flowered China asters will make your garden come alive with cool colors like red, pink, purple, and white. Grow them near the back of the flowerbed for a midsummer surprise for you and the pollinators. A longtime florist's favorite, they make fabulous, long-lasting cut flowers.
Aster	Matsumoto Formula Mixed		<i>Callistephus chinensis</i> . Annual. A stunning rainbow of color from beautiful Japan. A vivid mix of double-flowered asters, with impressive disease tolerance. This blend of bold purple, fuchsia, lavender, pink, red, white, and apricot is a perfect fit for containers, beds and borders. The sturdy stems reach 24-30 inches in length. 2-3 inch diameter flowers with yellow centers. The extra-full petals with their attractive colors are highly desired for floral design, making incredible arrangements.
Basketflower	Pink		<i>Centaurea americana</i> . Annual. This gorgeous, North American native wildflower produces huge blooms that beckon droves of pollinators to your landscape. The deeply incised foliage and pincushion blooms of basketflower are reminiscent of giant Bachelor's Buttons, and this flower is a close relative. Pink basketflower ranges from 2 to 6 feet tall depending on location and soil.






Bush Monkeyflower	-		<p><i>Diplacus aurantiacus</i>: California/Santa Clara County native shrub. 4-5 feet tall and wide. Full sun to part shade. Also known as sticky monkey flower due to the protective sticky resin produced by its leaves. Vivid orange/yellow flowers adorn this bush from late winter through summer and attract a wide variety of pollinators. Serves as the host plant for the caterpillars of the variable checkerspot butterfly. Plants can look a bit crispy in the summer, but supplemental water can improve their appearance. Water once or twice a month once established.</p>
Butterfly Salvia	Marble Arch		<p>Easy to grow, low maintenance and both pest and disease free, these easy care flowers show off their vibrant flags of color in perfectly matched shades of intense indigo blue, rich rose and pure white. Blooming hard throughout summer and fall, they strongly attract butterflies. Add to fresh bouquets or air dry for everlasting displays. Enjoy in the summer garden and/or grow in containers for beautiful color. Both deer and rabbits avoid these pretty plants.</p>




Catmint	Dark Blue Panther		<i>Nepeta subsessilis</i> . Perennial in zones 4-9. May be treated as an annual. Compact and tidy, this Japanese catmint and its mesmerizing blue blooms attract a range of pollinators. The plants reach just 12-20 inches tall and fit perfectly into beds, borders, and containers. The blooms are larger than other types of catmints and will appear the first year after planting.
Celosia	Indian Giant Cockscomb		<i>Celosia argentea</i> . Annual. The deep crimson, tightly curled heads can reach to 14 inches across! A perfect choice for cutting gardens, landscaping, and county fair displays.
Celosia	Plumosa Glorious Mix		<i>Celosia plumosa</i> . Annual. These feathery celosia come in a stunning mix of fruity tones, from raspberry to lemon, tangerine, and cherry. The extra-dwarf plants reach 8 to 10 inches tall and 6 to 8 inches wide. Tuck these tidy plants into pots, beds, and borders. One of the most care-free flowers, they are both heat and drought tolerant.
Chocolate Flower	-		<i>Berlandiera lyrata</i> . Perennial in USDA zones 4-10. Chocolate Flower, also called Chocolate Daisy, has a delicious chocolate fragrance. This heirloom, native to dry parts of the southwestern U.S., is very hardy. Plants thrive and bloom continually through the summer with little care. Grows best in well-drained, average-to-poor quality, dry soil. Plant in groups for added impact.




Coreopsis	Plains Coreopsis		<i>Coreopsis tinctoria</i> . Annual. Wildflowers, like this heirloom, are easy to grow and don't need special care, other than water, although moderately drought and heat tolerant, too. Butterflies and bees delight in the nectar, and songbirds seek out the seeds in fall and winter. Coreopsis is also known as tickseed. Often reseeds.
Cosmos	Cosmic Red		<i>Cosmos sulphureus</i> . Annual. These brilliant, lipstick-red blooms are exceptionally easy to grow! The double and semi-double blooms reach 2 inches across, sitting atop 12- to 24-inch tall plants. A vigorous and carefree long-season bloomer that will attract tons of pollinator action.
Cosmos	Rubinato		<i>Cosmos bipinnatus</i> . Annual. Super dwarf red cosmos! The color is the very best of the burgundy magenta that makes this cosmos so endearing in the summer garden. The tones vary from medium to super deep. The single blooms have very wide petals; the overall effect is reminiscent of richly pleated silk. The 24-inch plants are compact, never lanky.
Cosmos	Single Sensation Mix		Make a bold, beautiful splash in your flower garden with a florific celebration of rich-toned colorful blooms from midsummer on. 'Sensation's large, single daisylike flowers with yellow centers are magic in the border, or as cut flowers. Easy to grow plants tolerate poor soil and hot, humid conditions.


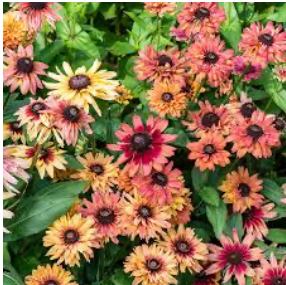


Geranium	-		Geranium is a genus of 422 species of annual, biennial, and perennial plants that are commonly known as geraniums or cranesbills. They are found throughout the temperate regions of the world and the mountains of the tropics, with the greatest diversity in the eastern part of the Mediterranean region.
Gomphrena	Globosa Mixed		<i>Gomphrena globosa</i> . Annual. Often called Globe Amaranth, plants seldom exceed 2 feet in height. The thimble-shaped, papery flower heads are just an inch across and produced in great numbers. Colors are tones of white, pink, and rosy reds. Great for cut flower use and fine for drying. Also well proportioned for containers, where it makes an unusually long-lasting display. Takes heat and drought, too.
Hooker's Evening Primrose			<i>Oenothera elata ssp. hookeri</i> . California/Santa Clara County native perennial. Full sun to part shade. Tolerates almost any soil type and may be grown in a container. Flower stalks reach a height of 3 to 5 feet from a basal rosette of leaves 1 to 3 feet wide. The large, yellow/orange flowers of this plant bloom from spring to summer, opening in the evening and closing during mid-day. While often found in moist environments, Hooker's evening primrose is surprisingly tough and drought tolerant. Woody stems can be pruned radically in winter to control ranginess. A number of insects use this plant, particularly the large Sphinx




			<p>moths. It hosts a likely total of 15 species of butterfly and moth. Hummingbirds are attracted to the flowers, and smaller birds, such as Goldfinches, are attracted to the seeds in fall. Reseeds prolifically.</p>
Larkspur			<p>Annual. Beautiful spires of purple-blue flowers are complemented by fine, lacy foliage. Plants reach heights from 2 to 4 feet. Drought tolerant. Reseeds vigorously.</p>
Lavender			<p>Lavandula is a genus of 47 known species of perennial flowering plants in the mints family, Lamiaceae. It is native to the Old World, primarily found across the drier, warmer regions of mainland Eurasia, with an affinity for maritime breezes</p>
Marigold	Colossus Red Gold Bicolor		<p><i>Tagetes patula</i>. Annual. The large bicolor blooms of red and gold on this French marigold are simply stunning. This is the ultimate useful flower; the petals are edible, and it can repel garden pests such as whiteflies and nematodes.</p>




Marigold	Crackerjack		If you want a large, majestic marigold, Crackerjack is a superior blend with a mounding form, consistent height, and sturdy flower stalks. The 4" blooms in tangerine orange, rich gold, and lemony yellow will brighten up your flower bed, path edges, and large container plantings.
Marigold	French Dwarf Double Mixed Colors		French Dwarf Double Mixed Colors Marigold blooms very early on compact plants and bears a profusion of showy double flowers; three brilliant colors in this petite mixture: gold, orange, and crimson.
Marigold	Kee's Orange		<i>Tagetes erecta</i> . Annual. An African marigold selected by the late Kees Sahin, a famous Dutch flower breeder. The robust plants stand 1.5-2' tall and are smothered in full and fluffy electric orange blooms, each reaching an impressive 2.5 to 3" across.
Marigold	Lemon Drop		A compact, bushy plant loaded with bright sunny-yellow flowers. A good choice for containers and borders. Quick to bloom from seed. Rarely bothered by heat or insects.
Marigold	Orange Flame		<i>Tagetes patula</i> . Annual. A dwarf French type marigold. Bronzy red to orange single petals with a bright orange plume of petals at the center.





Marigold	Spinning Wheels		<p>These long-blooming heirloom marigolds have dense, short-petaled centers with a pretty fringe of curved petals around the blossom edges. We've made a colorful mix of lemon yellow, soft gold and rich orange for bright bouquets.</p> <p>These branching plants with their attractive crisp, blue-green foliage bloom all summer with big, 2½" flowers that literally cover the plants, attracting myriads of butterflies, honeybees and many other pollinators.</p>
Mexican Bush Lobelia			<p><i>Lobelia laxiflora</i>. This bushy perennial/subshrub grows to a height of 1-2 feet and spreads via rhizomes. Its tubular red flowers bloom from late spring through summer and are loved by hummingbirds. Full sun in coastal environments to part shade inland. Drought tolerant. Prefers well-drained soils. Grows well in containers.</p>
Mexican Bush Sage			<p><i>Salvia leucantha</i>. A fast-growing evergreen shrub that reaches 3-5 feet wide and 4-6 feet high. Grows best in full sun. Low-water tolerant. Purple-white flowers appear from late summer into late fall. Stems should be pruned close to the ground in mid-winter to make room for new growth. Attracts butterflies and hummingbirds. Amenable to container culture.</p>




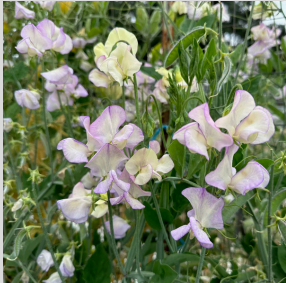
Mexican Hydrangea			<p><i>Glerodendrum bungei</i>. Deciduous shrub that can grow up to 6 feet high and spreads via runners. Fragrant magenta and lavender blooms sit atop deep green foliage, inviting butterflies and hummingbirds to visit during summer. Can spread aggressively if left unchecked. Grows well in containers.</p>
Milkweed	Narrow Leaf		<p>Narrowleaf Milkweed (<i>Asclepias fascicularis</i>) is a flowering perennial best known for the Monarch butterflies it will attract into the garden. Its long, thin pointed leaves give the plant a soft, wispy look. It blooms in summer to fall, with clusters of lavender or pinkish white flowers, each one an interesting button shape. The fruits are smooth pods, which split open to spill seeds along with plentiful silky hairs that may carry the seeds through the air.</p>
Nicotiana	Purple Perfume		<p><i>Nicotiana alata</i>. A heavenly-scented nicotiana with sumptuous star-shaped blooms the color of plum jam. These 2'-tall plants produce a spray of deep purple tinged flowers that will enrobe the garden in sweet fragrance, beckoning unique pollinators like the hawkmoth to your garden.</p>





Rudbeckia	Indian Summer		<i>Rudbeckia hirta</i> . Annual or short-lived perennial. These golden, single and semi-double flowers hold their heads up high even in heat and drought without the need for staking. Enjoy their glorious beauty as they seduce butterflies with promises of nectar and provide seeds for birds in winter. A long-lasting cut flower with a long bloom period.
Rudbeckia	Sahara		<i>Rudbeckia hirta</i> . Annual or short-lived perennial. An artful assortment of unusual colors with fluffy 2-3" semi double and fully double blooms. Easy-to-grow flowers in hues of orange, yellow and burgundy. The tidy plants reach just 20-22" tall, making them suitable for garden design and cut flower use.
Salvia	Pink		Salvia is a large genus of plants that are widespread around the globe. Ornamental salvias are known for densely packed floral spikes in a wide range of colorful flowers. Bees, butterflies and hummingbirds visit salvia flowers for nectar and pollen.
Salvia	Coccinea (Scarlet Sage)		Salvia coccinea, the blood sage, scarlet sage, Texas sage, or tropical sage, is a herbaceous perennial in the family Lamiaceae that is widespread throughout the Southeastern United States, Mexico, Central America, the Caribbean, and northern South America





Scabiosa	Formula Mix		<i>Scabiosa atropurpurea</i> . Annual. A brilliant vibrant mix of strong stemmed scabiosa, perfect for cutting and floral design, as well as landscaping. Plants reach 2-3' tall. Sturdy stems make this rainbow mix of colors a perfect choice for cut flower production. 1.5-2.5" blooms come in a wild range of colors.
Scabiosa	Summer Fruits		<i>Scabiosa atropurpurea</i> . Annual. This mix honors summer fruit tones, from the blackberry to the scarlet woodland strawberry, a gorgeous range of color! A pollinator magnet and delightful cut flower.
Scarlet Monkeyflower	-		<i>Erythranthe cardinalis</i> . California/Santa Clara County native perennial. Up to 3' tall and 2' wide. Full sun to part shade, but it seems to do best in partially shaded areas. An herbaceous, creeping plant with downy, apple-green leaves and tubular orange-red flowers that is a hummingbird magnet. Blooms from summer into fall. Cut back hard in late fall or early winter to improve appearance. Self sows. Does well in containers. Provide regular water.

Snapdragon	Flames		<i>Antirrhinum nanum</i> . Tender perennial. May be grown as an annual. A perfectly pleasing rainbow mix of dwarf snaps! This bicolored blend includes light pink with magenta, apricot with cherry, lemon with cream, and flamingo with rose. Easy to grow plants reach 1 foot tall, ideal for containers, beds and borders.
Snapdragon	Mango Twist		<i>Antirrhinum majus</i> . Tender perennial. May be grown as an annual. These snapdragons are painted with mango gold and luxurious maroon. Produces delightful tall flower spikes that omit an irresistible candy shop-like smell and are ideal for beds, borders, containers, and the cutting garden. These beautiful blooms are also edible and can be used to decorate baked cakes, tossed into salads, or brewed into tea.
Statice	Pastels Mixture		<i>Limonium sinuatum</i> . Short lived perennial often treated as an annual. A perfect flower for drying as it holds its color well, statice also shines in borders and fresh cut bouquets. It's easy to grow (and thus great for beginners!) and will produce compact, colorful, long-lasting blooms all summer long. This pastel mix includes violet, lavender, blush, rose, and mauve blooms. Plants have sturdy stems and reach 28" - 32".

Strawflower	King Size Silvery Rose		<i>Xerochrysum bracteatum</i> . Annual. Shimmering pearlescent blooms make the most regal display in the garden, arrangements and flower crowns! These extra-large heads reach 2-2.5" across. The bracts are ivory with a pretty pink blush. This everlasting dried flower is highly sought after for design work, crafts and landscape design. Plants stand 3-3.5' tall with sturdy, long stems, ideal for arranging.
Strawflower	Tall Double Mix		<i>Xerochrysum bracteatum</i> . Annual. The popular everlasting flower that is easy and fun to grow. These come in red, pink, salmon, lemon, white, lilac, and more. A wonderful dried flower for floral craft projects.
Sunflower	Lemon-Queen		Majestic, multi-branched plants provide gorgeous cut flowers throughout summer. Easy to grow in almost any well-drained soil, and drought tolerant. A highly attractive plant for bees according to the UC Berkeley Urban Bee Lab.
Sunflower	Music-Box		A dwarf sunflower mix designed to dazzle in containers and other small spaces! Vibrant 4 to 5" heads that grow on multi-branching plants just 28" tall and about 17" wide. The blooms range from lemon-yellow to mahogany and some are bicolored! These will turn on the welcome sign for pollinators!

Sunflower	Red Sun		These stately branching plants reaching 5-6' tall are covered with dozens of ornamental blooms. Red to red-orange single flowers are highlighted with a hint of yellow around the centers. Blooms over a very long season, attracting bees and butterflies. After blooming, the tiny seeds will attract birds.
Sunflower	Short Stuff		A treat for the kids' garden; this short, squat variety stands just 2.5' tall but produces large heads up to 8" wide. This unique variety was selected by Merlyn and Mary Ann Niedens, dedicated lifelong seed savers from Illinois. This bold, very uniform variety looks stunning in borders or in the garden, and the seeds make excellent wintertime bird food.
Sweet Pea	Spencer Ruffled & April in Paris Mix	 	<p>Spencer Ruffled: This lovely mix represents the royalty of classic English Spencer sweet peas, with perfectly formed, big ruffled flowers. The long stems of beautiful blossoms make glorious-scented displays both in the garden and as perfumed bouquets.</p> <p>April in Paris: The large ruffled blossoms are a soft primrose cream, tinted at the edges in dark lilac that deepens and increases with age. These strong growing vines produce heavy sets of long-stemmed flowers that beg to be cut for heavenly-scented bouquets.</p>

Tithonia	Heirloom Torch		Blazing Torch Tithonia is also known as Mexican Sunflower. These Central American natives bloom non-stop from midsummer, with multitudes of star shaped, 3 to 4" red-orange flowers on densely branching velvety stems. Maturing 4 to 6' high, tithonia plants attract both Monarch and Swallowtail butterflies.
Zinnia	Agave		Zinnia elegans. Annual. A gorgeous blend of sunset colors and large, heavily quilled double blooms. Early flowering plants produce 4-6" densely petaled blooms in a cohesive blend of muted buff, coral, gold, peach, pink, and orange hues. Contains a very small percentage of semidouble and/or single blooms.
Zinnia	Apricot Blush		These gorgeous cutting zinnias have densely petaled flowers that bloom in shades of apricot-rose through salmon-blush. These florist quality zinnias' fully double flowers make beautiful and long-lasting bouquets you can cut often to enjoy indoors.
Zinnia	Aurora		<i>Zinnia elegans</i> . Annual. Unique two-tone flowers with contrasting centers. Early flowering plants produce 4-6" wide dahlia-shaped double blooms. Hues of apricot, butter yellow, coral, gold, orange, and pink give this special mix a nuanced vintage look. May yield a small percentage of semidouble or single blooms and approximately 5% cactus-flowered blooms.

Zinnia	Giant Cactus Mix		Rolling, feathery petals are spectacular in bouquets and as garden adornments. At 4"–6" wide, this is one of the largest zinnias available! Double and semi-double blooms in brilliant shades of pink, white, red, orange, and yellow. The petals are long with rolled edges that turn under and sometimes twist.
Zinnia	Giants of California Mix		Open-Pollinated. Mix that contains Cherry, Orange, Pink, Purple, Scarlet, Yellow and White. These flowers are very large and can become 4-5 double flowers. Blooming all season, they make great cut flowers. Thin to 12" apart. Deadhead spent flowers to prolong bloom season.
Zinnia	Polar Bear		This white dahlia-type zinnia has very large blooms that are quite magnificent looking. The large, double flowers can reach 4" in diameter. A pretty bloom that's a must for bouquets!
Zinnia	State Fair Gold Medal		State Fair Gold Medal zinnias are both free flowering and long-blooming in coordinating shades that add glowing color and beauty to summer beds and borders. You can cut armfuls of these pretty flowers for bouquets all season long; the more you pick, the more flowers will develop. Butterflies and many other pollinators flock to zinnias all summer long.