

AUGUSTA® BLUE SKIES

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If you think of *Nierembergia* as Mont Blanc and Purple Robe, Augusta Blue Skies will surprise you. Not only does it have large, beautiful, blue flowers but it has magnificent foliage to match. The lush evergreen leaves give body to the plant to back up the tremendous blooms. Plus, it has exceptional heat tolerance and will hold its blooms from mid-May all the way through summer and into multiple fall frosts. Though it is slow to start, heat and light will create a beautiful brancher and prolific bloomer.

Growing Tips:

Keep moist. Displays tremendous heat tolerance.

Exposure: Full to partial sun

Height: 8-12"

Spacing: 8-12"

Hardy Temp: 28°F (-2°C)

Uses:

Great in both landscapes and containers.

Features:

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Growing Tips for AUGUSTA® Blue Skies

- Requires high light in production.
- Pinch 1 week after transplant; a second pinch may be needed.
- 5 ppm Sumagic® is effective in controlling growth and leveling the pot.
- Sensitive to dry down. Does not recover well from wilting.

Additional Culture Information for AUGUSTA® Blue Skies

pH/EC: 6.0 - 6.5 / .6 - .9

Growing Temperature: 65-72°/55-65°

Holding Temperature: 50-60° outdoors

Water Requirements: Dry to Moderate

Planting and Timing: Late Spring through Fall Finish.
Standard Plants Per Pot.

Finish Times in Weeks: For 4-5", 7-8; for 6"/gallon, 8-10;
for 8", 8-10; for 10-12", 10-12

Spring Outdoor Finish: Second to go outside.

Note:

This is an 8-week crop from transplant.



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Including: Excellent Rating, Boerner Botanical Garden, Milwaukee, Wisconsin; Outstanding Rating, Disney Trials; Leader of the Pack, North Carolina State