

## Abelia SUNTASTIC® 'Pink'

## **Key Features**

- ✓ Tight compact habit.
- ✓ Colorful pink variegated foliage.
- ✓ Excellent year round volume sales potential.

## **Characteristics**

**Genus & Species:** Abelia x grandiflora nana (Code: 16001)

Protection Status: PP 34,886

**USDA Zone:** Zone 6. (-10°F or -23°C).

**Bloom:** Fragrant white tubular flowers from mid summer-fall.

Bloom Time: Summer-fall. (Long Blooming Season)

Foliage: Variegated foliage. Hot Flamingo Pink tone. Especially colorful in the cooler winter months. New

foliage blush pink medium green with creamy yellow margins. Stem color is vivid crimson.

**Habit:** Tight compact habit, 3' x 5' at maturity.

**Propagation:** Softwood cuttings. *License required for propagation.* 

**Culture:** Best grown in well-drained soil in full sun.

Additional Comments: Heat & drought tolerant once established. High fertility increase foliage retention in the winter.

**Uses:** Low accent plant, mass landscape plantings or as a container plant.

## **Approximate Finishing Time**

1 Quart: 3-4 months 1 Gallon: 6-12 months

Comparison: A. 'Kaleidoscope'

PP 16,988

**Key Differences:** 

- ✓ 'Pink' flamingo pink white & green foliage vs. golden-yellow & green foliage.
- ✓ 'Pink' small compact foliage vs. medium to large foliage.
- √ 'Pink' tighter, more compact mounding habit vs. compact mounded habit.

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