

Presto™



Compact, dark leaf.

- The most uniform, compact, dark-leaved zonal geranium series.
- Presto produces a strong first flush of flowers – 3 to 4 blooms.
- Naturally compact habit needs no PGRs, saving you time and money.
- Best suited to 4 to 6-in. (10 to 15-cm) pots and 10 to 14-in. (25 to 35-cm) baskets.

Adds a true orange to the series. It replaces Dark Salmon.

General & Information

Height: 8-10" (20-25cm) Spread: 8-10" (20-25cm) Exposure: Sun

Propagation Guide

Tray Sizes (cells/tray):	Rooting Hormone: Optional	Average Days with Mist: 9-12	Pinch: No	Average Propagation Time (weeks): 3-4	Comments:
See					Stick immediately upon arrival. Geraniums are best rooted in a media in strip form to allow for maximum air flow and avoid foliage overlap. After initial rehydration, careful misting is required to optimize callus and root initiation. Mature leaves should show slight wilting at midday and regain turgor in the late afternoon under ideal mist conditions. Leaf petiole wilting indicates undermisting. Overmisting leads to Botrytis. Remove flower buds at transplanting.

Finishing

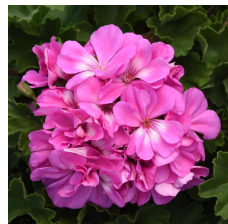
Soil Light pH: Levels	Temperature Day: 65-76°F (18-24°C)	Temperature Night: 62-67°F (17-19°C)	Fertilization (ppm N): 17-225-300	No. of Pinches: 0	Plant Growth Regulators (S) = spray / (D) = drench: Generally not needed. chlormequat chloride(S) 750-1,000 ppm to control growth; Florel(S) 200-300 ppm to improve branching.	Pests: Fungus gnats, thrips, aphids, mites	Diseases: Botrytis, Pythium, Xanthomonas	Comments: Presto Geraniums usually do not require PGRs to produce high-quality plants. They are naturally compact, well-branched and early to flower.
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Crop Time

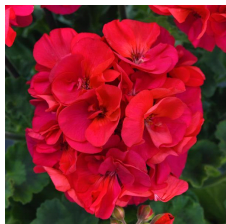
4- to 5-inch (10- to 13-cm) Pots, Quarts :6-inch (15-cm) Pots, Gallons:10- to 12-inch (25- to 30-cm) Tubs or Baskets:
 1 ppp, 8-9 weeks 1-2 ppp, 9-10 weeks 4-5 ppp, 11-13 weeks

NOTE: Growers should use the information presented here as guidelines only. Ball Floraplant recommends that growers conduct a trial of products under their own conditions. Crop times will vary depending on the climate, location, time of year, and greenhouse environmental conditions. It is the responsibility of the grower to read and follow all the current label directions relating to the products. Nothing herein shall be deemed a warranty or guaranty by Ball Floraplant of any products listed herein. Ball Floraplant's terms and conditions of sale shall apply to all products listed herein.

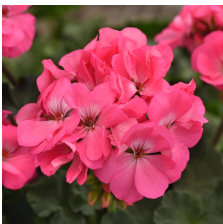
Other Presto™ Varieties



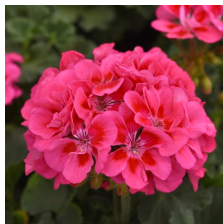
New Zonal Geranium Presto™ Shocking Blue



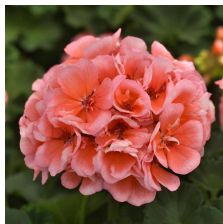
Zonal Geranium Presto™ Fuchsia



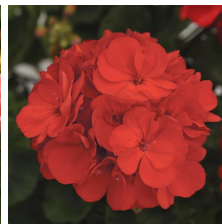
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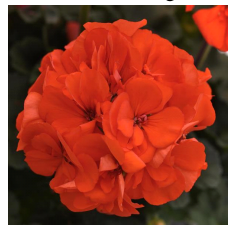
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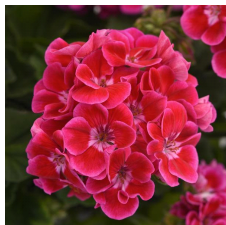
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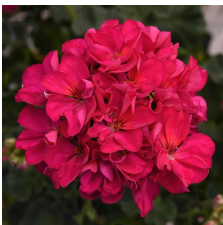
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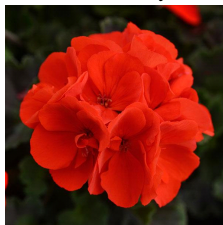
Zonal Geranium Presto™ Orange



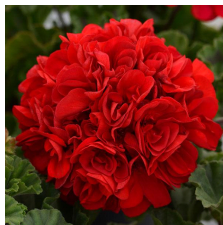
Zonal Geranium Presto™ Rose Flare



Zonal Geranium Presto™ Violet



Zonal Geranium Presto™ Deep Scarlet



Zonal Geranium Presto™ Dark Red



Zonal Geranium Presto™ White



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Presto™ Pink Sizzle