



Outback Plants FASTFAX

CROP SCHEDULING

This FastFax provides general growing guidelines for Outback Plants®.

SPRING PRODUCTION

Mini Outback Daisies (*Brachyscome*)

Product	Color	Mix	Habit	Vigor	Timing	Comments
Mauve Delight	mauve	pastel	mounded	medium	8-12 wks.	Easy; requires minimal pruning; strong spready underground runners.
Mini Yellow™	yellow	vibrant	mounded	medium	10-12 wks.	Easy; moderate pruning required.

Jumbo Outback Daisies (*Brachyscome*)

Product	Color	Mix	Habit	Vigor	Timing	Comments
Jumbo Mauve™	mauve/ blue	pastel/ vibrant	mounded	medium	10-14 wks.	Jumbo Daisies have broader leaves, large flowers and perform well in areas of combined heat and humidity. Misty Lilac and Pink are more upright in growth habit than Jumbo Mauve.
Jumbo Misty Pink	light pink	pastel	mounded	medium	10-14 wks.	
Jumbo Misty Lilac	lavender/ pink	pastel	mounded	medium	10-14 wks.	

Outback Fan Flowers (*Scaevola*)

Product	Color	Mix	Habit	Vigor	Timing	Comments
Purple Fan	light purple	vibrant	trailing	vigorous	12-16 wks.	Benefits from several prunings, as branches trail beyond the sides of pots. Pinch back to sides 4-6 weeks after potting to force fuller growth habit.
Jacob's White	white	pastel/ vibrant	trailing	medium	12-16 wks.	

Outback Paper Daisies (*Bracteantha-Helichrysum*)

Product	Color	Mix	Habit	Vigor	Timing	Comments
Golden Buttons™	dark yellow	vibrant	spreading	compact	8-12 wks.	Tiny flowers, performs well in heat; strong spreading by underground runners; prefers slightly dry soil conditions.
Matilda Yellow™	yellow	vibrant	mounded	medium	12-16 wks.	Reliable; early blooming flowers; shapely plant habit. Prefers slightly dry soil conditions.
Florabella White	white	pastel/ vibrant	mounded	medium- vigorous	12-16 wks.	Nice, upright growth with full branching habit. Prefers slightly dry soil conditions and deep containers.
Florabella Pink	pink	pastel	mounded	medium- vigorous	12-16 wks.	
Florabella Gold	gold	vibrant	mounded	medium- vigorous	12-16 wks.	
Florabella Lemon	lemon	pastel	mounded	medium- vigorous	12-16 wks.	



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Joey Bronze	bronze	vibrant	mounded	compact	12-16 wks.	Compact habit, dwarf Bracteantha. Ideal for 4" pots.
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Joey Cream	cream	pastel	mounded	compact	12-16 wks.
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Suggested Combinations - Pastel mixes:

Moonlight, Jumbo Misty Pink, Jumbo Misty Lilac, Jumbo Mauve, Mauve Delight, Jacob's White, Florabella White, Florabella Pink, Florabella Lemon, Joey Cream.

Vibrant mixes:

Moonlight, Jumbo Mauve, Mini Yellow, Purple Fan, Jacob's White, Matilda Yellow, Golden Buttons, Florabella White, Florabella Gold, Joey Bronze.

SUMMER PRODUCTION

Mini Outback Daisies (*Brachyscome*)

Product	Color	Mix	Habit	Vigor	Timing	Comments
Mauve Delight	mauve	pastel	mounded	medium	8-12 wks.	Easy; requires minimal pruning; strong spreading underground runners.
Mini Yellow™	yellow	vibrant	loosely mounded	medium	10-14 wks.	Easy; moderate pruning required.
Strawberry Mousse	pink	pastel	mounded	medium	8-12 wks.	Cultivar has large leaves, strong spreading by underground runners.
Moonlight	white	pastel/vibrant	mounded	medium	8-12 wks.	Easy; minimal pruning required.

Outback Fan Flowers (*Scaevola*)

Product	Color	Mix	Habit	Vigor	Timing	Comments
Purple Fan	light purple	vibrant	trailing	vigorous	12-16 wks.	Benefits from several prunings. As branches trail beyond the sides of pots, pinch back to sides to force fuller growth bit.
Jacob's White	white	pastel/vibrant	trailing	medium	12-16 wks.	

Outback Paper Daisies (*Bracteantha-Helichrysum*)

Product	Color	Mix	Habit	Vigor	Timing	Comments
Matilda Yellow™	yellow	vibrant	mounded	medium	12-16 wks.	Reliable; early blooming flowers; shapely plant habit; prefer slightly dry soil conditions.
Golden Buttons™	dark yellow	vibrant	spreading	compact	8-12 wks.	Tiny flowers, performs well in heat; spreading by underground runners; prefer slightly dry soil conditions.
Florabella White	white	pastel/vibrant	mounded	medium-vigorous	12-16 wks.	Nice, upright growth with full branching habit. Prefers slightly dry soil conditions.
Florabella Pink	pink	pastel	mounded	medium-vigorous	12-16 wks.	
Florabella Gold	gold	vibrant	mounded	medium-vigorous	12-16 wks.	



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Florabella™	lemon	pastel	mounded	medium	12-16 wks.	
Joey™	bronze	vibrant	mounded	compact	12-16 wks.	Compact habit, dwarf Bracteantha. Ideal for 4" pots.
Joey™	cream	pastel	mounded	compact	12-16 wks.	

Suggested Combinations-Pastel mixes:

Moonlight, Jumbo Misty Pink, Jumbo Misty Lilac, Strawberry Mousse, Jumbo Mauve, Mauve Delight, Jacob's White, Florabella White, Florabella Pink, Florabella Lemon, Joey Cream.

Vibrant mixes:

Moonlight, Jumbo Mauve, Mini Yellow, Purple Fan, Jacob's White, Matilda Yellow, Golden Buttons, Florabella White, Florabella Gold, Joey Bronze.

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