

## Abelia 'Radiance'

### Key Features

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

### Characteristics

<b>Genus &amp; Species:</b>	<i>Abelia x grandiflora</i>
<b>Protection Status:</b>	US Plant Patent 21,929.
<b>USDA Zone:</b>	Zone 6. (-10°F or -23°C).
<b>Bloom:</b>	Fragrant white tubular flowers from mid summer-fall.
<b>Bloom Time:</b>	Summer-fall. (Long Blooming Season)
<b>Foliage:</b>	Variegated foliage. New foliage is medium green with creamy yellow margins, aging to silvery-green with cream white margins. Stem color is vivid crimson.
<b>Habit:</b>	Tight compact habit, 3' x 5' at maturity.
<b>Propagation:</b>	Softwood cuttings. <i>License required for propagation.</i>
<b>Culture:</b>	Best grown in well-drained soil in full sun.
<b>Additional Comments:</b>	Heat & drought tolerant once established. High fertility increase foliage retention in the winter. Sport of A. 'Kaleidoscope' PP 16,988
<b>Uses:</b>	Low accent plant, mass landscape plantings or as a container plant.

### Approximate Finishing Time

<b>1 Quart:</b>	<b>3-4 months</b>
<b>1 Gallon:</b>	<b>6-12 months</b>

<b>Comparison:</b> A. 'Kaleidoscope' PP 16,988	<b>Key Differences:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ <b>Radiance</b> creamy white, yellow &amp; green foliage <b>vs.</b> golden-yellow &amp; green foliage.</li> <li>✓ <b>Radiance</b> creamy white &amp; silvery-green fall color <b>vs.</b> golden-yellow, red &amp; green.</li> <li>✓ <b>Radiance</b> tighter, more compact mounding habit <b>vs.</b> compact mounded habit.</li> </ul>
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**Note:** PlantHaven varieties are subject to patent protection: unlicensed propagation prohibited.

