

## Dahlia Mystic Haze = 'Dark Side of the Sun'

## **Key Features**

- ✓ Unique sun kissed apricot to orange blooms with soft yellow halo and dark central discs.
- ✓ Glossy mahogany-black foliage.
- ✓ Outstanding retail appeal.

## **Characteristics**

**Genus & Species:** Dahlia variabilis (Hort). **Protection Status:** US Plant Patent 23,501.

**USDA Zone**: USDA Zone 9. (20°F or -6°C). Half hardy.

**Bloom:** Unique sun kissed apricot-orange blooms with soft yellow halo and dark central discs.

**Bloom Period:** Early summer– fall.

**Foliage:** Glossy mahogany-black foliage.

**Habit:** Compact rounded habit. No staking required. 31" x 24".

**Propagation:** Softwood Cuttings / Tissue Culture. *License required for propagation.* 

**Culture:** Full sun, in rich moist well-drained medium.

**Additional Comments:** Dead head spent flower to extend blooming. Attracts bees and butterflies.

**Uses:** Containers, borders, mass landscape planting.

## **Approximate Finishing Time**

1 Quart: 6-8 weeks 1 Gallon: 10-12 weeks

Comparison: D. Happy Single® 'Romeo'
PP17,961

**Key Differences:** 

- ✓ Mystic Haze sun kissed blooms vs. burgundy blooms.
- ✓ Mystic Haze glossy black foliage vs. dark foliage.
- ✓ Mystic Haze no staking required vs. staking required.

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