

TIPS AND FAQs

UPON ARRIVAL

When you receive your plants, immediately open the package to give your plants some fresh air and remove your plants from the box. Preferably open your box outside or somewhere that you don't mind getting messy, as some of the soil may have been shaken loose in transit.

Remove the plastic bag and sleeve from around the potted plant and discard any packing material clinging to the leaves or soil.

WATER

Water your plants immediately after taking them out of the box. Give them enough water so that the soil appears damp and water trickles out the bottom of the pot.

IF PLANTS APPEAR DRY

Sometimes plants may appear dried out and wilted after the voyage. Do not despair. Generally, when this happens the foliage may look lackluster but the rootstock is still perfectly healthy and alive. To plump your plants back up, water them and wait 5 minutes and then water them again. This will generally rehydrate them. Keep these plants well-watered until you can re-plant them into larger containers or in the garden.

If plants arrive dry, it is often because the roots have outgrown the small shipping pots and need more room to grow; roots tend to dry out quickly in small containers. This also means your plants are very much alive and when you transplant them into larger pots or the earth, they will start growing quickly! So, re-plant them as soon as possible.

YELLOW OR BROWN LEAVES

When you receive your plants, there may be some yellowed or browned foliage on the plant. This is normal. Pull those leaves off your plant. This will encourage new leaves to grow.

If a lot of your plant looks yellow or brown and it makes you worried, take some scissors and cut your plant back, leaving about one inch of stem on the plant. This will give your plant a chance to restart and will promote bushier first season growth.

TIME TO PLANT!

Your plants are now ready to be replanted! Pick a large container or area of the garden that you wish to place your plants. Give the soil you are about to plant into a nice deep watering before planting your plant. Pop your plants out of the shipping containers, replant, and water again.

We recommend replanting in the morning or evening when outside temperatures are not at extremes. This will allow for proper water uptake from the roots.

WHAT MAKES IMARA® IMPATIENS SO AMAZING?

These Impatiens are the most resistant to the downy mildew currently available. That makes them one of the most low maintenance bedding impatiens you can grow. They perform exceptionally in the sun, shade, rain, or shine – producing flowers all the while, with flowers up to late spring to frost.

BEST PLACES TO PLANT

These Impatiens do wonderfully in your flower beds, along the borders, planted in mass setting, window boxes, hanging baskets, or large containers by your porch.



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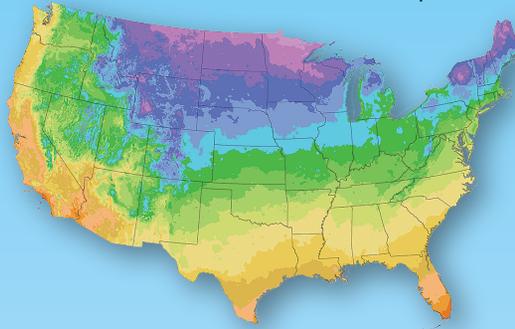
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Plant Hardiness Zone Map



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ROBERTA'S GARDENS PLANTING AND GROWING GUIDE



Impatiens Imara® Series
(Impatiens hybrids)



QUICK REFERENCE PLANTING GUIDE

LIGHT/SUN EXPOSURE:	Partial Sun to Shade
USDA HARDINESS ZONES:	10-11
PLANT TYPE	Annual
PLANTING DISTANCE:	12"
MATURE HEIGHT/SPREAD:	10-12" 10-12"
BLOOM TIME:	Late Spring to Frost

PLANTING GUIDE

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STEP

Remove plastic bag and sleeve from around potted plant(s). Discard any packing material clinging to the leaves or soil. Pull away any yellow or brown leaves or spent flowers that may have occurred during transit. If you cannot plant into the garden or a larger pot right away, make sure the plants stay well-watered.

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STEP

Water your plants just before popping them out of the shipping containers. Transplant into the garden as soon as evening temperatures stay above 50F. Dig holes the width of the root ball and about 5-6 inches deep. Place them in the holes and pack soil around the roots, filling the hole and making sure all the roots are covered with soil. Water them well again.

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STEP

Alternatively, you may plant them in containers. Transplant into a 10-12" container. You may also choose an even larger container and plant multiple plants together in the same pot.

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STEP

It is important to keep new plants well-watered making sure they do not become dried out for prolonged periods. This may mean watering your plants 3-4 times per week or more, depending on your region's weather. Planted in containers they may require more frequent watering.

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STEP

Planted now, your plants will produce flowers in late spring to the first frost.

CONTINUING CARE

SHELF LIFE

Plant into garden or larger pots and place outside immediately after the night temperatures stay above 50 degrees.

PLANT PREPARATION

Remove plastic bag and sleeve from around potted plant(s). Discard any packing material clinging to the leaves or soil. Pull away any yellow or brown leaves that may have occurred during transit. If you cannot plant it into garden or larger pot within a few days, make sure it stays well-watered.

PLANTING DEPTH AND SPACING

Dig a hole that is about 5-6" deep and about twice the width of the root ball. After you've placed the plant in the hole, cover with soil ensuring all the roots have been covered. In the garden, space about 12" apart.

POTTED PLANTS

Rather than in the garden you may re-pot into large containers. Re-pot the plants into a container that is about 12" wide. You may also plant multiple plants together in an even larger pot.

SOIL PREPARATION

Plants prefer normal potting mix that drains well.

PLANT HEIGHT AND WIDTH

These grow to about 10-12 inches tall and wide.

WATER

Water upon planting and every few days during the hot summer months. They may require more water if planted in containers.

FERTILIZER

They respond to feeding with a high bloom fertilizer like Roberta's Bounty. Fertilizing every two weeks is recommended.

LIGHTING

They prefer partial sun to shade.

BLOOMING

Under correct conditions blooming is from late spring to the first frost.

TEMPERATURE ZONE 10-11

When nights stay above 50F, place your plants outside and leave them there all season.

WINTER SEASON

These are annuals and can't take a freeze. In warm winter areas, plants often do not rest even after 3 years.

ADDITIONAL REFERENCE



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