

# Begonia 'Looking Glass'



## *Begonia* sp. 'Looking Glass'

- **Use:** A gorgeous houseplant or for use in mixed planters on a shady porch in the warmer months. Short upright stems hold richly silver dotted pebbly angel wing leaves with rose blush beneath; brilliant red stems; pink tinted flower clusters.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Performs well in part sun to shade. Water regularly, when top 3 in. of soil is dry. Use slow release fertilizer for best results. Good drainage is a must. Likes high humidity.
- **Growth:** Grows 16-20" tall and 16-20" wide, maybe taller if deep shade or rich soil. Pinching tips and pruning outer stems in the growing season gives a bushier plant, good for hanging baskets.
- **Hardiness:** Zone 9-11, annual, houseplant. Bring inside in winter.
- **Foliage:** This glistening silver hybrid combines good looks with an easy-to-please personality. Its large, shiny leaves have olive-green veins and cranberry underneath.
- **Flower:** Pink clusters of blossoms on and off throughout the year.

**Use in patio containers, hanging baskets, beds, or as a houseplant.**