

Hibiscus Panama Red



Hibiscus acetosella 'Panama Red' PP20121

- **Use:** This remarkably beautiful plant retains its rich, carmine-red color through even the hottest days. Grown primarily for its foliage it also infrequently produces bright red flowers. Looking for a touch of the tropics in your landscape? Then look no further than this Southern Living Plant Collection favorite! Furthermore, there's another aspect of the Panama Red that deserves mentioning. ***Both the leaves and flowers on this Hibiscus are edible! The leaves are tart, and lemon-like, and can be eaten cooked or raw. Throw them in a salad, steep them in tea, or mix them in a stir-fry a few minutes before you're ready to serve. They're sure to add some extra flavor and color that may just take your dish to the next level.***
- **Exposure/Soil:** Plant in full sun to partial sun. Use slow release or water soluble fertilizer. Keep soil moist watering under leaves and flowers for best results. Prefers to be watered under the leaves. Needs good winter drainage and a layer of mulch.
- **Growth:** Full, well branched plants grow QUICKLY to 4' tall and wide in one season.
- **Hardiness:** Zone 8-10 Perennial. Will come back from the roots. Very heat tolerant!
- **Foliage:** Deciduous. Beautiful burgundy red foliage that can handle even the hottest dog days of summer.
- **Flower:** Brilliant red flowers in summer.



Attracts hummingbirds!
Fast-Growing and has red Blooms!

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