

Golden Shrimp Plant



We can't say enough about Lollipop Flower if you're looking for a reliable potted plant, one that is sure to bloom year-round under varying light conditions. To maintain size, we recommend a hard pruning and before you know it, the lollipops will return with vigor.

Pachystachys lutea

- **Use: AKA Lollipop plant** Bursts of long-lasting color . Large, vibrant golden yellow bracts with protruding white flowers seem to glow against a backdrop of lush tropical foliage. Easy to grow indoors or out in sun, the lollipop plant can be maintained at a medium or a larger size with simple pruning. This exotic specimen will amaze everyone with its unique appearance and long lasting flowers!
- **Exposure/Soil:** Outdoors, grow in full sun and moist, well-drained soil. It prefers lots of organic matter, such as compost, in the soil for best blooms. Water when the soil starts to dry out. Don't let it dry out. Indoors, as a flowering houseplant, give as much light as you can. It thrives in a sunny window or under bright artificial lights. Water when the soil surface starts to dry.
- **Growth:** Continues to grow up to 2-3' tall and wide in as season here, but could grow larger in S GA or Florida where they are evergreen.
- **Hardiness: Zone 9-11;** Annual /Could be a tender perennial in a mild winter
- **Foliage:** Evergreen if indoors in winter. Oval, green leaves.
- **Flower:** The little white flowers extend from yellow bracts, slightly resembling a raw shrimp, hence the common name of shrimp plant. The flowers emerge from bracts that form off the stems.