

Crystal Series Ornamental Cabbage



Brassica oleracea Crystal series

- **Use:** Glossy leaves and vigorous growth make this variety of flowering kale an excellent choice for fall and early winter gardens and containers. Frost tolerant. Looks great planted against pansies and parsley! Prefers cool weather and thrives all winter in the garden. The center leaves turn brilliant colors in late October as the weather cools. Veining in center leaves indicates color it will turn into later. Glossy leaf adds to salability earlier. Good tolerance to heat and frost.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Plant in full sun. Prefers moist, but not wet soils.
- **Growth:** Grows 1' tall and wide.
- **Hardiness:** Zone 4-8; Annual; Lasts winter to spring. In case of severe weather or an ice storm cover with frost cloth to protect them.
- **Foliage:** Evergreen; You could eat it, but probably a bitter flavor they were bred for color not flavor. As the weather cools the leaves intensify in color in the center. Protect from cabbage looper moths.
- **Flower:** Tall stalks of sulfur yellow flowers in spring.



Deep Red



Red



Pink



Snow

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