

# Firefly Leopard Plant



## *Farfugium japonicum* 'Firefly'

- **Use:** Its best ornamental feature may be the foliage which consists of huge, long-stalked, glossy, leathery, kidney-shaped, dark green leaves speckled with golden dots(8-10" or more across) that form a basal clump to 2' tall. In the autumn, farfugium produce cheery yellow daisy flowers atop its beefy foliage. Fairly deer resistant.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Prefers full–part shade. prefers at least a couple of hours of sun. In the South along with a slightly moist but well-drained soil. Wilts when dry but is amazingly drought-tolerant. It is also a great centerpiece for a dynamic container planting in colder regions!
- **Growth:** Grows 2' tall and 18"wide.
- **Hardiness:** Zone 6-10; Perennial. Mulch around the plant in winter.
- **Foliage:** Deciduous. The bold, round, shiny green, 8-10" wide leaves are spotted with yellow dots, similar to a leopard skin.
- **Flower:** Topped with numerous 30" stalks of spectacular yellow daisies in October and November.

**Great for filling  
spaces**