

Peach Perfection Abelia



Abelia x grandiflora 'Peach Perfection'

- **Use:** Peach Perfection® Abelia displays attractive, tricolor foliage on stunning, red stems. New growth emerges bright orange, eventually turning to yellow and green as it ages. This plant will maintain a compact, rounded habit. The beautiful, yellow foliage holds up well in both the sun and heat. New to garden centers in 2021! They are salt tolerant and deer resistant and can be pruned to shape if desired although their natural arching to mounding form will often produce the most flowers for pollinators.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Full sun to part sun; moist, well drained soil; dislikes wet sites. Water regularly, when top 3 in. of soil is dry. Once established in the landscape they require very little care and maintenance. If flowering seems to slow down remove about one third of the oldest stems in the shrub for renewal and fertilize with a balanced slow release fertilizer.
- **Growth:** The mounded, and tightly-branched shrub remains small-med, with a height of 3-4 feet tall and 2-3' wide
- **Hardiness: Zone** 6 -9; Shrub
- **Foliage:** Evergreen. Offers shades of orange and copper that matures to bright yellow and chartreuse on reddish stems on a compact plant.
- **Flower:** Spring and summer bring clusters of large bell-shaped, nectar rich, white flowers that draw butterflies, bees, and hummingbirds. The clusters of long-lasting sepals darken to contrasting shades of pink adding to the continuous show of color this reliably tough semi-evergreen shrub has to offer.

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