

Tres Amigos® Abelia



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Abelia grandiflora 'Mincautri' PP33457

- **Use:** ***A vibrant tri-color foliage show!*** For gardeners on the hunt for elegant, but interesting foliage. It seems to change each time you visit it out in the garden. Its compact habit suits it nicely for use at the front of the border, in containers, and in mixed borders with perennials and annuals.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Full sun (best leaf coloring) to part sun; moist, well drained soil; dislikes wet sites. Water regularly, when top 3 in. of soil is dry.
- **Growth:** The tight compact habit reaches 2-3' tall and 2-5' wide at maturity and holds a beautiful form throughout the season.
- **Hardiness:** Zone 6a -9b; Shrub
- **Foliage:** Evergreen. In spring it starts out with green, cream, pink, and yellow-tinged foliage. Its most vibrant color is yellow, bringing sunshine into the slowly filling garden. By summer, the yellow has left completely and the pink edge on the leaf takes over. The new growth at the end of each stem is almost entirely a warm watermelon pink.
- **Flower:** Each fragrant white tubular flower is fluted, perfect for inviting hummingbirds and butterflies into the garden, and has a lovely jasmine-like fragrance.

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