

Red Imura Camellia



Camellia japonica 'Red Imura'

- **Use:** Flowers make a dazzling contrast with the glossy, dark green foliage. Common uses in landscape include hedges, shady foundation beds, cutting garden, woodland garden, mixed borders, privacy screen, specimen, container, or as cut flowers. The plant is noted for its willowy, spreading growth and long, narrow, dark green foliage.
- **Exposure:** Partial shade preferred, but tolerates sun with ample water, evenly moist, humus-rich; high in organic matter, acidic, well-drained (porous) soils, protection from cold, drying winter winds, ample moisture, mulch layer.
- **Growth:** Grows 8-10' tall and 6-8' wide. May be large up to 15' with age and without pruning.
- **Hardiness:** Zone 7a-9; shrub
- **Foliage:** Evergreen. Shiny, narrow, dark green leaves.
- **Flower:** Elegant semi-double red flowers. Blooms in late winter.

Every southern garden must include a winter showy camellia. An ideal beginner's plant, the easy-care camellia is covered year-round with broad and glossy toothed leaves.

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