

KODIAK SPICED™ Diervilla



- Tough performance
- Bright new growth
- Native to North America

Diervilla x 'SMNDSF' PP36845

- **Use:** Warmth is the key word for Kodiak Spiced™_Diervilla. Its new leaves are a blend of orange and copper hues, held by burgundy stems. When trimmed in the spring, it all grows at the same speed and in such a unified manner that it's a bit mesmerizing when you realize its pops of color are so evenly spaced out. Mature foliage is an easy-on-the-eyes green that melds nicely with the new growth. These cheery sunset hues make a great low hedge, filler for the middle of the border, or staple in a cut flower garden. Where could your garden use a little spice?
- **Exposure/Soil:** Full sun to part sun. (Some late afternoon shade would be preferred. Moist, well drained soil; dislikes wet sites. Water regularly, when top 3 in. of soil is dry.
- **Growth:** Moderate growing; reaches 3-4' tall and 3-4' wide.
- **Hardiness:** Zones 3-8; Shrub (prefers protection from heat in zone 8 from afternoon sun).
- **Foliage:** Deciduous. Its new growth is a blend of orange and copper, doubly interesting with burgundy stems. In summer, the interior is a pretty green with a blush of bronze. While it does all of the work of providing color, it can also provide filler for cut flower arrangements.
- **Flower:** Yellow flowers arrive in the summer to attract pollinators and add to the array of warm accents.

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