



Cinnamon Snow



Pink Frost

Helleborus Gold Collection® Cinnamon Snow & Pink Frost

GENERAL DESCRIPTION

This outstanding series brings magical, new life to winter and early spring-blooming Hellebores. Flowering the first year, they are long blooming, with lots of buds and blossom. Large flowers are forward facing and can be enjoyed indoors as winter and holiday decorations, and later planted outside as a long-lived perennial. These are no-fuss, reliable additions to modern gardens. *Hybridized by Heuger.*

- **Cinnamon Snow**—Pink buds open to large, creamy white flowers blended with rose and warm cinnamon. Petal reverse has a reddish hue. Handsome dark foliage.
- **Pink Frost**—Elegant, burgundy and white buds open to pink flowers that age to a burgundy red. Rich green foliage has red stems and veins and a silvery sheen marbled across the top.

USES

Deer resistant, these selections make a good ground cover and are choice perennials for shady borders. Outstanding in patio tubs or planters, they should be placed where their early flowers can be appreciated.

GROWER NOTES

The following information is based on our own experience with this crop in the Pacific Northwest. Growth will vary depending on location, climate, growing medium and cultural practices. As always, where chemical use is involved, read the labels, follow the instructions and practice careful trialing methods.

- Plant liners level with the soil, taking care not to bury the crown. This will increase branching, resulting in more flower stems.
- Avoid planting into soils with a high nitrogen starter charge, or during periods of high temperature.
- Provide light shade, cool temperatures and soil rich in organic matter.
- Monitor root development and fertility levels early in production to avoid excess salts and prevent root problems.
- Use a preventive drench with a broad-spectrum fungicide directly after planting, and as needed in hot weather.
- Apply well-balanced fertilizer to encourage root development and to control height. During the growing season, and when plants are established, a fertilizer higher in nitrogen is recommended.
- Protect foliage from severe weather to avoid winter burn.
- Do not allow to wilt; roots should be moist, but not wet.
- Monitor for thrips and aphids.

PLANT DATA

Cinnamon Snow

Height: 15–18"/18"

Spread: 24"

Bloom time: Dec–Feb

USDA Zone: 5(–20°)

Pink Frost

Height: 12–15"/15"

Spread: 24"

Bloom time: Jan–Mar

USDA Zone: 5(–20°)

APPROXIMATE FINISH TIMES

- Gallon: to achieve flowering at natural bloom time, transplant in late spring or early summer
- Quart: to achieve flowering at natural bloom time, transplant in early fall

PATENT INFORMATION

Asexual propagation prohibited

H. x ballardiae 'HGC Cinnamon Snow': USPPP

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