# Begonia semperflorens "Cultorum Group"

## (Fibrous Begonia, Wax Begonia)

Classic bedding plants. They look beautiful whenever they are planted. Usually they are grown as annuals but in mild winter they can survive. In their origin they are evergreen perennials. Low growing, bushy with green or red foliage. The flowers are white, rose or red. Place them in partial or full shade. Don't over water them in the a shade as they will rot. In colder zones, begonias can be brought indoors to overwinter.



Plant Image

### Landscape Information

French Name: Bégonia Arabic Name: بيغونيا Plant Type: Groundcover Origin: Hybrid Origin, Brazil Heat Zones: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 Hardiness Zones: 10, 11, 12, 13 Uses: Mass Planting, Container, Ground cover Size/Shape Growth Rate: Fast Tree Shape: Spreading Height at Maturity: Less than 0.5 m

Spread at Maturity: Less than 50 cm

Time to Ultimate Height: 1 Year

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Flower Image

#### **Botanical Description**

#### Foliage

Leaf Arrangement: Alternate Leaf Venation: Palmate Leaf Persistance: Deciduous Leaf Type: Simple Leaf Blade: Less than 5 Leaf Shape: Ovate Leaf Margins: Serrulate Leaf Textures: Fleshy/Juicy Leaf Scent: No Fragance Color(growing season): Green, Red Color(changing season): Green, Red

### Flower

Flower Showiness: True Flower Size Range: 1.5 - 3 Flower Sexuality: Monoecious (Bisexual) Flower Scent: No Fragance Flower Color: Red, White, Pink Seasons: Spring, Summer

#### Fruit

Seasons: Spring, Summer

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#### Horticulture Management

Tolerance Frost Tolerant: No Heat Tolerant: Yes Drought Tolerant: No Salt Tolerance: Poor

### **Requirements**

Soil Requirements: Loam, Sand Soil Ph Requirements: Acidic, Neutral Water Requirements: Moderate Light Requirements: Part, Shade

#### Management

Toxity: No Invasive Potential: No Susceptibility to Pests and Diseases: Yes Fruit/ Leaves/ Flowers litter: No Surface Rooting: No Diseases: Powdery Mildew, Root rot Edible Parts: None Pests: Mites, Thrips Plant Propagations: Seed

Leaf Image

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Fruit Image



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