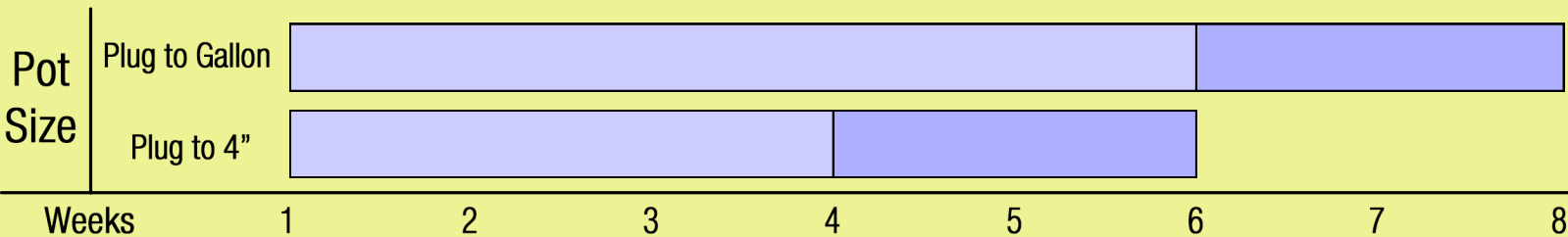


Growing Recipe

PENSTEMON 'DARK TOWERS'

Approximate Finish Time From Liner

☐ = Minimum ☐ = Maximum



pH: 5.5 - 7.0

Fertilization Recommendations: 150 - 200 PPM

EC: 1.8 - 2.2

Light Levels: Full sun

Water Requirements: Dry moderately between waterings

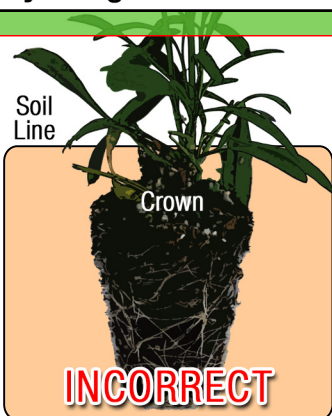
Hardiness Zones: 3 - 8

Possible Problems: Insect: No major problems

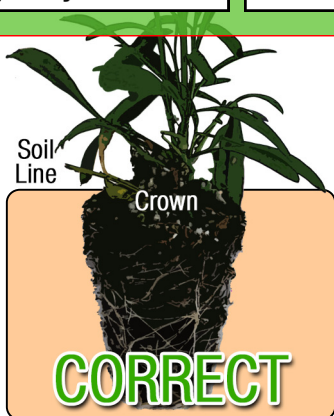
Diseases: No major problems

Habit: Upright, clumping

Day Length for Flowering: Day neutral



Do NOT bury the crown of the plug



Description

Glossy bronze-red foliage is topped with masses of pink flowers in July and August. Compared to 'Husker's Red', this beauty has much darker foliage which stays darker. Dale Lindgren of University of Nebraska created this dark leaf ultra-hardy, pink flowering form. A tough, carefree plant which tolerates high heat and humidity. A perfect dark background plant for the border.

