### MEGA PAZZAZ™

Portulaca oleracea





MEGA PAZZAZ™ Tropical Twist



- Brand new series for 2021
- MEGA PAZZAZ™ has extra large blooms on a moderate trailing habit Well suited for gallons and hanging baskets
- Perfect for heat tolerant/drought tolerant programs
- Mature Height and Width 14 inches X 24 inches (36cm x 61cm)

#### More varieties in the MEGA PAZZAZ™ series:



MEGA PAZZAZ™ Papaya Twist



MEGA PAZZAZ™ Fuchsia



MEGA PAZZAZ™ Pink Twist



MEGA PAZZAZ™ Mango Twist



MEGA PAZZAZ™ Red



MEGA PAZZAZ™ Purple



MEGA PAZZAZ™ Gold



MEGA PAZZAZ™ Orange



MEGA PAZZAZ™ Dark Pink

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#### **PROPAGATION TIPS**

• Stick on priority - Number 1 out of 4 categories







Flowering time

Width

Height

Late Spring / Summer Flowering

(18 - 24") 46- 61 cm (14 - 16") 36 - 41 cm

Average Time	Temperature	Hormone	Fertilization	Fungicide
4 weeks	Weeks 1 - 2 70°-72° F (21° - 22°C)	No	Weeks 1-2 50 ppm N	Spray fungicide to control Botrytis and bacteria day of sticking
	Weeks 3 - 4 68° - 70° (20° - 21° C)		Weeks 3-4 100 to 150 ppm N	Day of sticking & Week 2



**Irrigation specification** – Reduce mist as soon as possible/excess misting will create uneven rooting and delay rooting



This genera is top priority for sticking. Remove plants from box upon receiving allowing air-movement around bags. Daminozide at 1500 ppm the day after sticking. Depending on growth, pinch week 3 or at transplant to allow improved branching.

Rooting	рН	EC	Temp	Feed	Light	PGR	Fungicide	Comments
Week 1	5.8 / 6.2	0.80	72 / 74 F (22 / 23 C)	50 ppm N in mist	Additional lighting is not required	Daminozide day after sticking	Day of sticking	Feeding through Mist
Week 2	5.8 to 6.2	.80 to .90	72 / 74 F (22 / 23 C)	50 ppm N in mist			Second fungicide app	
Week 3	5.8 to 6.2	.90 to 1.0	Cool to 68 / 70 F (20 / 21 C)	Feed 100 ppm to 150 ppm				
Week 4	5.8 to 6.2	1.0 to 1.2	68 to 70 F (20 / 21 C)	feed 100 to 150 ppm		Daminozide as required		

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### **FINISHING TIPS**

- · Allow plants to dry completely between irrigations
- Maintain warm temperatures allowing plants to develop

Average Time (from liners)	Temperature	Pinch/ Daylength Modification	Fertilization	Plant Growth Regulator	
5 to 6 wks	Average Day	Pinch 1 to 2 times	150 200 nnm N	Daminozide @ 2500 ppm or tank mix of Daminozide / Uniconazole for finishing	
(12 cm) 5" pot	68° to 72°F (20° to 22°C)		150 - 200 ppm N		
6 to 7 wks		Additional lighting will hasten	Soil EC 1.0 - 1.2		
(15 cm) 6 ½"		flowering under short days	pH 5.8 to 6.2		
7 to 9 wks					
(20 cm) 8"	3 plants per container				

Docto	Aphids	ACETAMIPRID, FLONICAMID, IMIDACLOPRID, DICHLORVOS
Pests	Thrips	METHIOCARB, ACRINATHRIN, ABAMECTIN, DICHLORVOS, SPINOSAD
	Botrytis	CYPRODINIL+FLUDIOXONIL, IPRODIONE, POLYOXIN
Diseases	Pythium	PROPAMOCARB
	Phytophthora	PROPAMOCARB



- <u>PGR</u> Spray Daminozide / Uniconazole tank mix to control height
- Scout for Aphids, Thrips and Whiteflies

Finishing	рН	EC	Temp	Feed	Light	PGR	Fungicide	Comments
Week 4 Transplant		1.0 to 1.2	68 to 72 F (20 to 22 C)	feed 100 to 150 ppm		Daminozide as needed	Drench fungicide after transplant	
Week 5 to 12	5.8 to 6.2	1.2 to 1.5	68 to 72 F (20 to 22 C)	feed 100 to 150 ppm		Daminozide @ 2500 ppm or tank mix of Daminozide / Uniconazole for finishing		

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