## Trex Dancing Peacock Begonia





An eyecatching
selection
with fantastic foliage. Big,
glossy,
ruby-red
leaves
have a
dramatic
black
center, as

well as a touch of black on the edges. Great in shade containers or as a house plant, but also does well in amended garden soil. A showy addition to a shady border.

## Begonia sp. 'TRex Dancing Peacock'

- <u>Use:</u> A flashy begonia with peacock-tail foliage of magenta, olive green and silver topped by soft pink flowers in summer through fall. Makes a great addition to a shady border, container or even as a housplant. rib. Has won awards based on its vigor, uniformity, florif-erousness, and tolerance to environmental and biotic stresses.
- <u>Exposure/Soil</u>: Performs well in part sun to shade. Water regularly, when top 3 in. of soil is dry. Use slow release fertilizer for best results. Good drainage is a must. Likes high humidity.
- <u>Growth</u>: Grows 24" tall and 28" wide, maybe taller if deep shade or rich soil. Pinching tips and pruning outer stems in the growing season gives a bushier plant, good for hanging baskets. Exceptionally vigorous.
- *Hardiness:* Zone 8b-11, Annual, houseplant. Bring inside in winter (or below 50 degrees).
- **Foliage:** Medium large, palmate leaves that are wildly colored in rose purple, silver, and olive green.
- Flower: Not known for small flowers.

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