

ABELIA

# 'KALEIDOSCOPE'<sup>®</sup>

COLOURFUL FOLIAGE



'Kaleidoscope' provides a stunning change of foliage colour every season adding year round interest to any garden. The evergreen foliage is a mix of lime green inner leaf markings surrounded by stunning sunburn and yellow outer leaf markings. New foliage emerges in early spring providing a fresh lush look. In warmer months, the whole plant is massed with stunning white flowers making it perfect for entertaining areas. Cooler months provide the greatest kaleidoscope of foliage colours which are highlighted when the yellow outer leaf markings turn a fiery autumn orange to red.

## FEATURES

- A highly ornamental variety selected for its striking foliage
- New variegated growth emerges bright yellow with a light green centre in spring
- By late spring the bush is covered with soft pink buds that open to white blooms flowering well into autumn.
- Foliage turns to golden yellow with deeper green markings in summer
- Autumn foliage is bright orange turning into fiery red in the winter months

## USES

- Colour and interest year round
- Low water and low maintenance
- Mass plant for a striking effect
- Informal hedging

## CARE

Low water user once established. Sunny location in well drained soil. A light prune in early spring along with an application of slow release fertiliser is recommended. If hedging - regular light trims will be required to maintain preferred shape & size.

**ORIGIN:** United State of America // **SPECIES:** *Abelia x grandiflora* // **PROTECTION STATUS:** PBR Protected



FULL SUN



INFORMAL HEDGING



HEIGHT 70CM



SPREAD 90CM