

GLOW GIRL®

Spiraea betulifolia 'Tor Gold'
cbr#5121

Common name: birch-leaf spirea



Landscape Info:	
USDA/AHS zones:	USDA 3/AHS 9
Mature height:	3-4'/.9-1.2 m
Exposure:	Part-full sun
Irrigation:	Low - moderate

Features & Benefits:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Neat and tidy birch-leaf spirea offers handsome golden foliage and white flowers in mid-spring. - Naturally forms a dense mound; ideal for planting as an edging or foundation landscaping. - Exceptionally hardy - Native to North America.



Cultural info:		
pH Level:	5.6 - 6.2	
Nutrient Needs:	Average	
EC (2:1 extract):	0.6 – 0.9	
Light Level:	Moderate-high	
Watering:	Average	
Rooting Out Temp:	65 – 72° F/18.3 – 22.2° C	
Overwintering Temp:	Poly house, no heat	
Sales Window:	Spring-fall	
Blooms On:	New wood	
Trimming/pruning:	Trim 3-5 times	
Vernalization:	Required	
Vigor Rating:	Average-fast	
Finish Size	Liner Size	Weeks of Active Growth to Finish
1 gallon	2 ¼" • 4" • QT	8-10 • 7-9 • 6-8
2 - 3 gallon	2 ¼" • 4" • QT	16-18 • 14-16 • 12-14

Grower Tips:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attractive gold foliage extends sales season beyond mid-spring bloom. • Trim frequently for the first season to produce a well-shaped, nicely branched plant; give it a dormant prune the season before sale. • Trim to shape; avoid pruning into thick stems. • Aphids may proliferate; scout and treat according to your IPM protocol. • Powdery mildew may develop on foliage if conditions are right. To minimize, space plants appropriately, provide good air circulation, and water only in the mornings.
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