

SPICE GIRL®

Viburnum carlesii 'Spiro'

pp#24,251, cbr#5132

Common name: Koreanspice viburnum



Landscape Info:	
USDA/AHS zones:	USDA 4/AHS 8
Mature height:	6-7'/1.8-2.1 m
Exposure:	Part-full sun
Irrigation:	Moderate

Features & Benefits:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Flowers start out deep pink-red in bud and mature to pink and white. - Deer resistant and shade tolerant. - High quality foliage makes this an excellent landscaping plant.



Cultural info:		
pH Level:	5.6 - 6.2	
Nutrient Needs:	Average	
EC (2:1 extract):	0.6 – 0.9	
Light Level:	Moderate	
Watering:	Average	
Rooting Out Temp:	65 – 72° F/18.3 – 22.2° C	
Overwintering Temp:	40 – 50° F/4.4 – 10° C (see notes)	
Sales Window:	Spring-fall (spring bloom)	
Blooms On:	Old wood	
Trimming/pruning:	Trim 2-3 times	
Vernalization:	Required	
Vigor Rating:	Slow to average	
Finish Size	Liner Size	Weeks of Active Growth to Finish
1 gallon	2 ¼" • 4" • QT	14-16 • 13-15 • 12-14
2 - 3 gallon	4" • QT	18-22 • 16-20

Grower Tips:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An improved production variety, with better branching and container presentation. • Easy to ship in bloom for spring sales. Very fragrant flowers ensure high sell-through at retail. • The roots of Koreanspice viburnum are notoriously susceptible to cold damage in production; though plants are hardy, overwintering container plants above freezing is recommended. • Blooms on old wood – dormant and spring pruning will remove flower buds for the year. • Trim up to 3 times to encourage branching. Plants are slow to get established, so trimming may be less frequent. The season prior to sale, stop trimming in late July to allow flower buds to form. • Spider mites can be problematic; scout and treat accordingly. • Potting a 2 ¼" liner directly to a 3 gallon can is not recommended.
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