

GHOST®

Weigela florida 'Carlton'
pp#20,025, cbr#3860
Common name: weigela



Landscape Info:	
USDA/AHS zones:	USDA 4/AHS 8
Mature height:	4-5'/1.2-1.5 m
Exposure:	Part-full sun
Irrigation:	Moderate

Features & Benefits:	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - A large weigela with unusual foliage that starts green and develops into a glowing yellow as the season progresses. - Vivid red-pink flowers in late spring with notable rebloom in late summer/early fall. - A colorful choice for hedging or specimens. - Deer resistant. 	



Cultural info:		
pH Level:	5.6 - 6.2	
Nutrient Needs:	Average	
EC (2:1 extract):	0.6 – 0.9	
Light Level:	Moderate to high	
Watering:	Average	
Rooting Out Temp:	65 – 72° F/18.3 – 22.2° C	
Overwintering Temp:	Polyhouse - no heat (where hardy)	
Sales Window:	Spring-fall (late spring/early summer bloom)	
Blooms On:	Old and new wood	
Trimming/pruning:	Trim 2-4 times	
Vernalization:	Required	
Vigor Rating:	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"> • Though weigela are fast to produce, this variety must be wintered-over if in-bloom shipping is required. For landscape or commercial sales, you can ship same-season if desired. Uniquely colorful foliage provides season-long appeal. • Good rebloom; may be able to ship in late summer with flowers. • Spring and dormant pruning will remove the first set of flower buds. • Trim to shape frequently to produce a dense, compact plant that has longer retail appeal. Stop trimming in late July to allow flower buds to form for sale the following season. • If not grown in high light, place plants in full sun for 2 weeks before sale to develop the best leaf color. • Spider mites may become an issue; scout and treat as your IPM program dictates. 	
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