

Gertens Plant Info.



Hope Peperomia *Peperomia 'Hope'*

Height: 12 inches

Spread: 24 inches

Spacing: 18 inches

Sunlight: ●

Hardiness Zone: 10a

Other Names: syn. *Peperomia tetraphylla*

Description:

This stunning plant features small, dark green, coin shaped leaves with light green veining; brown and green flower spikes are not showy and may be trimmed away to promote leaf growth; medium to bright light, but no direct sun

Features & Attributes

Hope Peperomia's attractive small glossy round leaves emerge chartreuse, turning dark green in color with distinctive light green veins throughout the year on a plant with a trailing habit of growth. The coral-pink stems can be quite attractive and add to the plant's interest.

This is an herbaceous evergreen houseplant with a trailing habit of growth, eventually spilling over the edges of hanging baskets and containers. This plant may benefit from an occasional pruning to look its best.



Hope Peperomia foliage
Photo courtesy of NetPS Plant Finder





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Planting & Growing

When grown indoors, Hope Peperomia can be expected to grow to be about 12 inches tall at maturity, with a spread of 24 inches. It grows at a slow rate, and under ideal conditions can be expected to live for approximately 5 years. This houseplant should only be grown away from direct sunlight or in a room with strong artificial light. It does best in average to evenly moist soil, but will not tolerate standing water. The surface of the soil shouldn't be allowed to dry out completely, and so you should expect to water this plant once and possibly even twice each week. Be aware that your particular watering schedule may vary depending on its location in the room, the pot size, plant size and other conditions; if in doubt, ask one of our experts in the store for advice. It will benefit from a regular feeding with a general-purpose fertilizer with every second or third watering. It is not particular as to soil type, but has a definite preference for acidic soil. Contact the store for specific recommendations on pre-mixed potting soil for this plant.

There are many factors that will affect the ultimate height, spread and overall performance of a plant when grown indoors; among them, the size of the pot it's growing in, the amount of light it receives, watering frequency, the pruning regimen and repotting schedule. Use the information described here as a guideline only; individual performance can and will vary. Please contact the store to speak with one of our experts if you are interested in further details concerning recommendations on pot size, watering, pruning, repotting, etc.

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