

Pilea Artillery, Pilea Microphylla - Plant



A varied group of upright and trailing plants valued chiefly for their foliage.

Rating: Not Rated Yet

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Description

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5 inch Grower Round Plastic Pot (Black)

Description for Pilea Artillery, Pilea Microphylla

Plant height: 0.5 - 1.0 inches

Plant spread: 3 - 5 inches

Artillery plant is an evergreen, ground-covering annual to short-lived perennial plant forming a dense mat of growth around 30cm high and up to 60cm wide. Its succulent stems hold small, lime-green cluster leaves that are blotched with colours of white and pink. Also known as the rockweed, the artillery plant is a fast-growing, adaptable evergreen that grows in most humid, shaded growing locations, including in indoor containers and rock gardens.

Common name(s): Pilea Artillery, Pilea Microphylla, Gunpowder Plant, Artillery plant, Rockweed, rip, Campeche, Merida, , Frescura, Baby tears,

Flower colours: Not defined

Bloom time: Not defined

Max reachable height: Up to 1.00 feet

Difficulty to grow: Easy to grow.

Planting and care

Artillery plant can grow through seed but easily propagate from stem cuttings. Feed monthly with a balanced liquid fertilizer during the growing season. Water moderately during the growing season, sparingly in winter.

Sunlight: Shade to Partial Sun.

Soil: Prefers organic soils

Water: Moderately

Temperature: 20 to 25 degrees C

Fertilizer: Feed liquid fertilizer

Caring for Pilea Artillery

- To encourage a compact, bushy plant, pinch off growing tips every so often.
- Prune your vigorously growing artillery plant and use the healthy stem clippings to propagate new plants. Trim the plant with sharp shears and make flush cuts at the desired location.
- Irrigate the soil periodically to maintain a slightly moist to the slightly dry soil environment.

Harvesting

NA

Typical uses of Pilea Artillery

Special features: An attractive plant with its fern-like appearance, it is often grown as a ground-cover in ornamental gardens and is also grown as a houseplant in cooler zones.

Culinary use: NA

Ornamental use: Used as ground cover.

Medicinal use: NA

References

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Reviews

Monday, 02 July 2018

Very nice plant. Beautiful plant. Nurserylive service very good replace policy is very very good.?

Joshi Prisy

Sunday, 01 July 2018

Nice packing & plants,like professional brand..

Barnali Rudra

Saturday, 30 June 2018

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Jeremy Cabral

Saturday, 30 June 2018

Couldn't find it anywhere else.

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