



# JOY

Gardenia

Bred in Australia, Gardenia Joy features all the best Gardenia characteristics. The flowers are highly fragrant with a strong, sweet scent, and a glittery, creamy colour. This gives a sophisticated contrast against the wide, lush green, glossy foliage.

This fast growing variety has a particularly large flower of up to 7cm diameter which are produced prolifically during the warmer months, and hold their fragrance even as they age.

Joy performed well in trials, proving to be hardy with a very neat, shrub like habit and good branching. It's easy to grow and is an excellent choice for use in mass plantings, as a hedge or in containers.



**Notes from the Ramm Botanicals R&D Team:**

- Holds its fragrance throughout the life of the flower
- Lovely large single flower up to 7cm diameter
- Clean, mid green, glossy foliage
- Tropical form with good branching
- A favourite among nursery staff due to its strong fragrance



## Key Information

Height	1.5m
Width	1.5m
Tray size	105 plugs per tray
Price per plug	
Label supplier	Norwood
Label bundle size	125
Label code	51-4901



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**TECHNICAL DATA**

**Gardenia Joy**

GENUS/SPECIES	<i>Gardenia jasminoides</i>
VARIETY	Joy
COMMON NAME	Gardenia
PRODUCED FROM	Cuttings
KEY NOTES/ATTRIBUTES	Highly fragrant, creamy white flowers against glossy green foliage with a neat habit.
HEIGHT	1.5m
WIDTH	1.5m
HABIT	Neat, shrub like habit with good branching
MAINTENANCE	Plant in well drained soil. Young plants may be pinched once in June and again in August to encourage heavy branching
SEASONAL CLIMATE ZONE	Warmer climates, zones 3-5
RECOMMENDED POT/PLUG RATIO	1 plug per 175-200mm pot
FLOWERING PERIOD	Late spring to mid summer
GROWING MEDIA PH RANGE	6.0-6.5 pH
WATERING	Water regularly but ensure soil is well drained. Do not allow pots to dry out between waterings.
FERTILISER	Fertilize in spring and summer with a slow acting, general fertiliser.
PESTS & DISEASES	Scale commonly found along the stem and on the back of the leaves. Mealy bug hide among leaf nodes. Treat with pestoil and ensure plant is not under stress.
FINISHING TIMES	in 175mm pot, 12-14 weeks.
LIGHT REQUIREMENT	Full sun/part shade, protect from hot afternoon sun.

Notes:

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- Argyranthemum Federation Daisy®
- Alstroemeria Princess Lilies®
- Osteospermum Astra
- Mandevilla Aloha
- Hibiscus Aloha & Klahanie
- Dahlia Mystic
- Arctotis Safari Daisies™

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