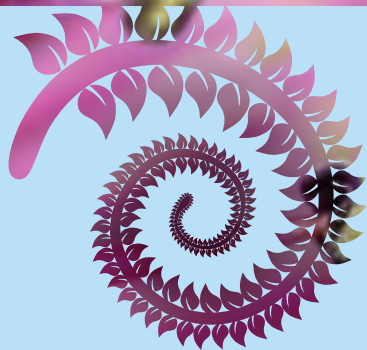


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SHINE UP TO COPROSMA

One look at their shiny smooth evergreen foliage and you'll know why New Zealanders call them Mirror Plants. In fact, many varieties resemble a multi-colored boxwood plant. Among the most textural and versatile plants around, there's a Coprosma habit and color for every taste – and every part of the garden or landscape. Coprosma foliage colors also darken and intensify in cool weather. Easy, fast-growing and deer-resistant, these rugged beauties do best in fertile, well-drained soil. Outstanding plants for the tropical garden and among the easiest for bonsai and container use.



COPROSMA hybrid

'Cappuccino'

Single Season: 15-24" h
Mature: 4-7' h x 4' w
Zones 8-11, Full Sun to Part Shade

Here's a new, compact cone-shaped introduction with unusual texture. Tiny lustrous leaves glow with rich cocoa and coffee bean colors. Enjoy its natural, loosely-upright shape, or snip and clip 'Cappuccino' into a tall hedge or a stunning topiary or bonsai plant. Uses: garden hedging, topiary, bonsai, containers, houseplant.



COPROSMA hybrid

'Karo Red'

Single Season: 12" h x 18" w
Mature: 48" h x 36" w
Zones 8-11, Full Sun to Part Shade

'Karo Red' is a wonderfully compact variety with shimmering emerald green to darkest red foliage. Clips well to form a neat low hedge or patio topiary. Uses: beds, borders, hedging, topiary, bonsai, containers, houseplant, floral arrangements.



COPROSMA kirkii

'Goldstream'

Single Season: 2' h x 2' w
Mature: 2' h x 5' w
Zones 8-11, Full Sun to Part Shade

Graceful, golden stems are a fabulous complement to 'Goldstream's narrow, glossy olive green foliage. A vigorous, fast-growing groundcover. Uses: groundcover, containers, hanging baskets, houseplant.



COPROSMA propinqua var. martinii

'Autumn Haze' PPAF

Single Season: 12" h x 12" w
Mature: 18" h x 8" w
Zones 8-11, Full Sun to Part Shade

Variegated creamy white and deep green foliage blushed with peach and apricot accounts for much of this Coprosma's appeal. Dense, spreading habit. Combines beautifully with burgundy-colored plants. Uses: groundcover, foundations, borders, containers, hanging baskets, houseplant.



COPROSMA prostrata

'Kiwi Gold'

Single Season: 12" h x 18" w
Mature: 12" h x 48" w
Zones 8-11, Full Sun to Part Shade

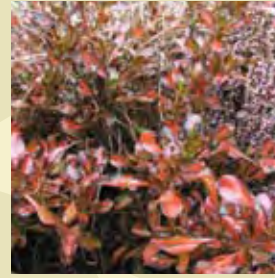
A popular groundcover and bonsai plant, narrow butter-yellow branchlets bear a plethora of small, shiny green leaves splashed and splattered with gold. 'Kiwi Gold' has a prostrate, compact habit. Uses: groundcover, bonsai, borders, containers, hanging baskets, houseplant.



COPROSMA repens
'Cutie'

Single Season: 8"h x 12"w
Mature: 48"h x 30"w
Zones 8-11, Full Sun - Part Shade

Small, glossy green and chocolate foliage and a tight, compact habit make 'Cutie' a standout in any setting. Easily shaped, and an excellent companion plant for flowering annuals. Uses: specimens, hedging, containers, beds, houseplant.



COPROSMA repens
'Evening Glow'

Single Season: 12"h x 12"w
Mature: 4-5'h x 3-4"w
Zones 8-11, Full Sun - Part Shade

Easy-to-grow 'Evening Glow' has bright green and gold variegated foliage in the summer, which darkens to a rusty red orange in late summer/fall. Prune to desired shape or leave in its naturally neat pyramidal form. Water regularly. Uses: hedging, specimens, containers, beds, houseplant.



COPROSMA repens
'Golden Glow' PPAF

Single Season: 12"h x 12"w
Mature: 5'h x 5"w
Zones 8-11, Full Sun - Part Shade

New, colorful glossy green-leaved plant with golden variegation in spring and summer. Colors turn rusty red in cool temps. Fabulous accent plant or showy hedge. For best color, feed regularly with an all-purpose fertilizer. Uses: beds, containers, hedging, landscapes, bonsai, houseplant.



COPROSMA repens
'Middlemore'

Single Season: 18"h x 12"w
Mature: 4'h x 6"w
Zones 8-11, Full Sun - Part Shade

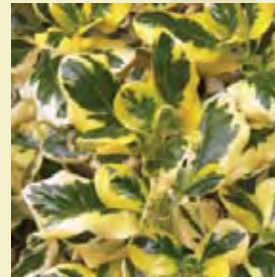
Compact and tidy with an upright habit, 'Middlemore's glossy emerald foliage adds a brilliant green accent to beds, landscapes and containers. Prefers an open, sunny position and is easy to clip and shape. A very hardy and versatile small shrub. Uses: containers, beds, landscapes, hedging, houseplant.



COPROSMA repens
'Pink Splendor'

Single Season: 18"h x 18"w
Mature: 6-8'h x 6'w
Zones 8-11, Full Sun - Part Shade

With its unusual, glossy contorted leaves in shades of green, yellow and pink, 'Pink Splendor' has drama and presence to spare. The mounding habit lends itself to a variety of uses, and the colors intensify in cool weather. Tolerates coastal winds and salt spray. Uses: hedging, beds, borders, houseplant, bonsai, containers.



COPROSMA repens
'Taupata Gold'

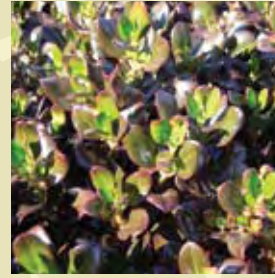
Single Season: 12"h x 12"w
Mature: 5'h x 2.5'w
Zones 8-11, Full Sun - Part Shade

An upright habit and variegated evergreen shrub with soft gold foliage and bright green centers, 'Taupata Gold' shines as a hedge or accent plant in mixed containers. Tolerates coastal winds and salt spray. Uses: hedging, beds, borders, houseplant, bonsai, containers.



COPROSMA repens
'Tequila Sunrise' PP18392
Single Season: 12"h x 15"w
Mature: 3.5'h x 3.5"w
Zones 8-11, Full Sun - Part Shade

A superior, easy-to-grow new variety with an upright divergent habit. Stunning foliage changes from lime green and yellow in the spring to sunset orange and burgundy as the weather cools. Uses: gardens, landscapes, beds, containers, hedging, bonsai.



COPROSMA repens
'Yvonne'
Single Season: 12"h x 18"w
Mature: 5'h x 3'w
Zones 8-11, Full Sun - Part Shade

Dark plants have a place in every garden and landscape, and 'Yvonne' is an especially showy example. Upright habit and glossy chocolate brown and bronze patina foliage that deepens in winter. Compact and tolerant of dry coastal conditions. Uses: gardens, beds, borders, bonsai, houseplant.



COPROSMA rugosa x robusta
'Emerald Spreader' PPAF
Single Season: 12"h x 16"w
Mature: 3'h x 4'w
Zones 8-11, Full Sun - Part Shade

This broad, spreading shrub features small rippled-green leaves and tan stems, and has a host of uses. An easy-to-grow, disease-free, low-maintenance plant. Uses: borders, landscapes, beds, hedging, houseplant.

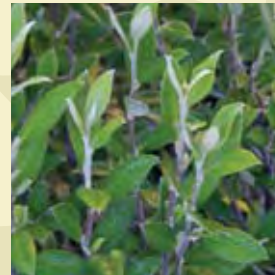
LET'S COROKIA

Into bonsai or just bonsai curious? A favorite of the miniature tree set, Corokia – or Wire Netting Bushes – are tough, versatile, and usually thrive where other plants fail. In spring, they produce star-shaped flowers followed in fall by bright red berries for the birds. Corokia add height and visual interest to mixed containers as specimen plants in a pot or garden. Resistant to salt spray and wind, they thrive in any well-drained soil.



COROKIA virgata
'Bronze King'
Single Season: 18"h x 12"w
Mature: 6.5'h x 6.5'w
Zones 8-11, Full Sun

A twiggy form and a slender, upright habit showcase 'Bronze King's beautiful, small, glossy bronze foliage. Masses of yellow flowers cover the plants in summer, wine-red berries in fall. A Scissorhands favorite. Uses: hedging, landscapes, bonsai, containers, beds, borders.



COROKIA virgata
'Frosted Chocolate'
Single Season: 18"h x 12"w
Mature: 4'h x 2'w
Zones 8-11, Full Sun

'Frosted Chocolate' has a sturdy, upright, well-branched habit and large chocolate-brown leaves. Combines well with white or pink flowering annuals and mounded perennials. Yellow flowers in summer. Uses: hedging, landscapes, bonsai, containers, beds, borders.



COROKIA virgata

'Phantom'

Single Season: 15"h x 10"w

Mature: 3.5'h x 3'w

Zones 8-11, Full Sun

Have some double dark chocolate foliage with a twist. 'Phantom's leaf undersides are flocked with silver, as is new growth. The starry flowers and red berries are sensational. A dark beauty for contrast or a black plants garden.

Uses: hedging, landscapes, bonsai, containers, beds, borders.

GRISELINIA GONE WILD

Used extensively by vineyards in the famous Marlborough Wine Region to protect the grapes from wind and weather, it's also a popular plant for use at beach resorts. This amazing evergreen shrub has a thing for stiff breezes and salt-laden ocean air. Called "Kapuka" by the Maori, Griselinia has alternate, smooth-edged, glossy oval leaves and short flower panicles that bear up to one hundred tiny yellow flower sepals – but no petals. Berries are small, dark purple and edible but bitter. Best leave them for the birds. Likes well-drained soil.



GRISELINIA littoralis

'Broadway Mint'

Single Season: 18"h x 12"w

Mature: 13'h x 7'w

Zones 8-11, Full Sun

A recent introduction with an upright habit and wavy-edged, shiny bright mint green foliage. A choice plant that looks great even without clipping. Uses: hedging, specimens, borders, topiary, large containers.



GRISELINIA littoralis

'Green Hedgemaster'

Single Season: 15"h x 10"w

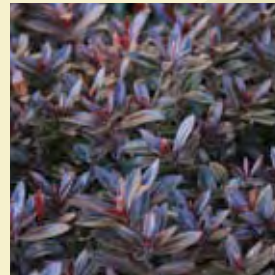
Mature: 26'h x 13'w

Zones 8-11, Full Sun

Tall hedges make good neighbors, and cost a lot less than a 25' high fence. But you don't have to be antisocial to want this upright beauty. The large, round, bright green foliage stays fresh-looking year round. Easy to grow and maintain. Uses: hedging, specimens, borders, topiary, large containers.

HEBE, NO JEEBEES

Nothing to worry about with our group of evergreen Veronica. Hebe are exceptionally easy to grow. The plants have a bushy, upright habit and attractive, narrow, spear-shaped green leaves. It's the blooms, however, that are the big story. The dense sprays of flower clusters in various shades of lilac are gorgeous. Blooms under short days of spring and fall. Very butterfly friendly. Plant in well-drained soil.



HEBE hybrid

'Turkish Delight' PP17664

Single Season: 10"h x 15"w

Mature: 3'h x 3'w

Zones 9-11, Full Sun to Part Shade

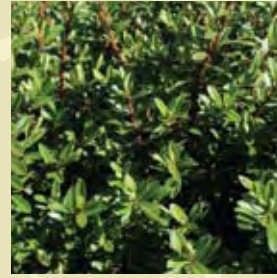
A yummy new treat for the purple gang. 'Turkish Delight's deep purple-bronze leaves hold on to their color year round. The plants also put on a lavish display of lavender flowers in summer. A fast grower with superior disease resistance. Uses: hedging, borders, beds, containers. Late-season pot crop.



HEBE speciosa x diosmofolia
'Inspiration'

Single Season: 10"h x 15"w
Mature: 2.5'h x 2.5'w
Zones 9-11, Full Sun to Part Shade

A neat, compact shrub, 'Inspiration' has shiny green foliage and deep purple flowers in summer that fade to white as they age. The result is a charming two-tone effect. Deadhead to prolong flowering. Uses: hedging, borders, beds, containers. Late-season pot crop.



HEBE diosmofolia x Inspiration
'Beverly Hills'

Single Season: 10"h x 15"w
Mature: 3'h x 3'w
Zones 9-11, Full Sun to Part Shade

'Beverly Hills' is green bling, Baby. Among its biggest fans are professional landscapers. They're all about the dark emerald green foliage and spectacular deep violet-blue flowers. Neat, compact, and easy to grow. Uses: rock gardens, hedging, borders, beds, containers, floral arrangements. Late-season pot crop.

AT LONG LAST LEPTOSPERMUM

Until recently, florists had a near monopoly on Leptospermum. Called "Manuka" by the Maori, the new hybrids are excellent – and especially the Wiri Series. Hybridized by Jack Hobbs at the Auckland Botanic Gardens, this series is more disease-resistant, better-branched and more compact than older forms. Resistant to salt spray and easy to grow.



LEPTOSPERMUM scoparium
'Wiri Donna'

Single Season: 10"h x 10"w
Mature: 5'h x 5'w
Zones 9-11, Full Sun

Deep red single flowers appear in spring on thick, rich green foliage tinted with purple. Uses: landscapes, groundcovers, hedging, garden cut flower, containers, beds, borders.



LEPTOSPERMUM scoparium
'Wiri Joan'

Single Season: 10"h x 10"w
Mature: 6.5'h x 6.5'w
Zones 9-11, Full Sun

A medium-sized upright bush with long stems of rich red double flowers that appear in late spring and fall. Uses: landscapes, groundcovers, hedging, garden cut flower, containers, beds, borders.



LEPTOSPERMUM scoparium
'Wiri Kerry'

Single Season: 10"h x 10"w
Mature: 2.5'h x 2.5'w
Zones 9-11, Full Sun

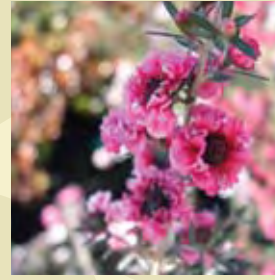
Nicely compact plant with small bronze leaves. The rose-red double flowers bloom fall through spring. Uses: landscapes, groundcovers, hedging, garden cut flower, containers, beds, borders.



LEPTOSPERMUM scoparium
'Wiri Linda'

Single Season: 10"h x 10"w
Mature: 5'h x 5'w
Zones 9-11, Full Sun

Double white flowers appear in spring and again in fall. A small bushy plant with attractive, narrow, spear-shaped leaves. Uses: landscapes, groundcovers, hedging, garden cut flower, containers, beds, borders.



LEPTOSPERMUM scoparium
'Wiri Lisa'

Single Season: 10"h x 10"w
Mature: 6.5'h x 6.5'w
Zones 9-11, Full Sun

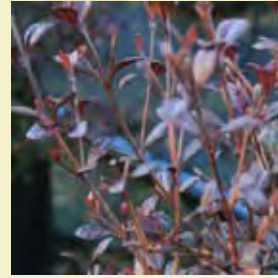
This fall bloomer has double flowers that range in color from softest pink to dark rose. Uses: landscapes, groundcovers, hedging, garden cut flower, containers, beds, borders.



LEPTOSPERMUM scoparium
'Wiri Shelly'

Single Season: 10"h x 10"w
Mature: 5'h x 1.5'w
Zones 9-11, Full Sun

Upright in habit and produces a profusion of rosy-red single flowers. Blooms in spring. Uses: landscapes, groundcovers, hedging, garden cut flower, containers, beds, borders.



LOPHOMYRTUS ralphii
'Red Dragon'

Single Season: 15"h x 8" w
Mature: 5'h x 5'w
Zones 9-11, Full Sun

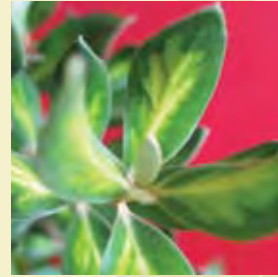
A handsome hybrid stunner, 'Red Dragon' has small, pointed, brilliant deep red foliage that darkens and intensifies in cool weather. Easily pruned to size, it prefers humus-rich soil. Uses: borders, containers, floral arrangements.



METROSIDEROS collina
'Tahitian Sunset' PPAF

Single Season: 12"h x 15"w
Mature: 3'h x 3'w
Zones 8-11, Full Sun

So pretty it barely looks real, the new 'Tahitian Sunset' has fantastic creamy white and green foliage and screaming scarlet red flowers that bloom from winter through summer. Makes a bold statement in any part of the garden or landscape. Uses: foundations, landscapes, beds, borders, containers.



OLEARIA traversii
'Daisy Girl' PPAF

Single Season: 8"h x 10"w
Mature: 12'h x 12'w
Zones 9-11, Full Sun

Fast-growing, low-maintenance toughie, 'Daisy Girl' is a hedge lover's dream. The dark green foliage is splotted with yellow and has soft, silvery undersides. White flower panicles bloom year round. Practically immune to effects of dry salt air and strong winds. Easy to trim. Uses: hedging, foundations, specimens, tall borders, landscaping.



OZOTHAMNUS retorta

'Silver Cape' PPAF

Single Season: 15" h x 8" w

Mature: 36" h x 20" w

Zones 9-11, Full Sun to Part Shade

'Silver Cape's shimmering silver foliage is an elegant addition to beds, borders, containers and anywhere else in the garden that needs a makeover. Tolerant of wind, salty air, and has a tight upright habit. Uses: topiary, hedging, beds, borders, containers.



PITTOSPORUM tenuifolium

'Elfin'

Single Season: 10" h x 10" w

Mature: 20" h x 24" w

Zones 8-11, Full to Part Sun

A new dwarf cultivar that is just right for the smaller scale garden and landscape. 'Elfin' is well-branched with an extra tight habit. The short branches and tiny gray green leaves that's easy to trim into topiary balls or fanciful living sculptures. Uses: hedging, specimens, beds, landscapes, containers, topiary.



PITTOSPORUM tenuifolium

'Silver Star'

Single Season: 16" h x 8" w

Mature: 10-12' h x 4-5' w

Zones 8-11, Full to Part Sun

Silver Star's undulating, edged, gray-green foliage has a silvery sheen that shows well against the dark stems. Very dense and compact, use as a privacy hedge or showy garden specimen. Uses: hedging, specimens, beds, landscapes, containers, topiary.

PITTOSPORUM HOT

All the rage among landscape architects, Pittosporum – called "Kohuhu" by the Maori – is a dense evergreen shrub with attractive foliage. New varieties offer landscape professionals and home gardeners a range of interesting shapes, sizes and colors. Tolerant of coastal conditions and drought, they are delightful plants for difficult areas.



PITTOSPORUM tenuifolium

'Oliver Twist'

Single Season: 16" h x 8" w

Mature: 8-10' h x 5-7' w

Zones 8-11, Full to Part Sun

Contrasting thin black stems make 'Oliver Twist's small silver green leaves sparkle, especially on sunny days. Leave it untrimmed or clip into a more formal shape. Uses: hedging, specimens, beds, landscapes, containers, topiary.



PSEUDOPANAX lessonii

'Bronze Warrior' PPAF

Single Season: 18" h x 12" w

Mature: 5' h x 4' w

Zones 9-11, Full Sun to Part Shade

With cut leaves that resemble Japanese maple, 'Bronze Warrior' is a graceful and beautiful landscape and garden plant. From spring to fall the deep bronze colored foliage slowly matures to a rich, dark green. Does best in moist, rich soil. Uses: specimens, borders, containers.



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PHORMIUM Hybrids
"New Zealand Flax"

Single Season: 18"h x 12"w
Mature: 36"h x 30"w
Zones 8-11

These amazingly colorful structure plants are fantastic in mixed containers or as specimen plants in a large pot. Available in a large array of colors, they can fill in a gallon pot in 3-4 months and fetch a premium at retail.



ARTHROPODIUM *cirratum*
"Rock Lily"

Single Season: 12"h x 15"w
Mature: 36"h x 36"w
Zone 11

This adaptable Lily can be used as a durable groundcover for dry shade but also thrives in full sun. Excellent in mixed containers as a focal point. Fast-growing and easy to grow. Forming clumps of broad, medium-green, arching foliage, it bears graceful, airy sprays of lovely, white, star-flowers on 3' stems from spring to mid-summer.



ASTELIA *chathamica*
"Silver Spear"

Single Season: 12"h x 18"w
Mature: 48"h x 48"w
Zones 9-11

This beautiful plant has bold, architectural, silvery-green leaves which eventually form a large clump. The silver color works well in a variety of garden settings. Excellent as a focal point in mixed containers or as a specimen.



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CORDYLINE *australis* Hybrids

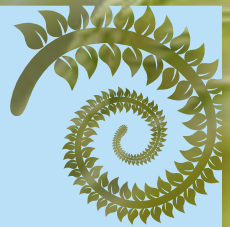
Single Season: 18"h x 12"w
Mature: 48"h x 24"w
Zones 9-11, Full Sun to Part Shade

Native to New Zealand and surrounding islands, this amazing genus has exploded on the scene with its structural, upright habit and brilliant colored leaves. Excellent as a specimen or in mixed containers.



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