



STARTER PLANTS  
2011-2012



## *Pennisetum* 'Burgundy Bunny'

### Key Features

- ✓ Compact clumping habit.
- ✓ Hot red summer accents to the foliage.
- ✓ Blazing fall color.



### Characteristics

<b>Genus &amp; Species:</b>	<i>Pennisetum alopecuroides</i>
<b>Protection Status:</b>	PPAF.
<b>USDA Zone:</b>	Zone 6 (-5°F or -23°C). (Currently testing in Zone 5).
<b>Bloom:</b>	Foliage selection. Soft cream, bottle brush type seed heads produced in summer.
<b>Bloom Time:</b>	Mid-late summer.
<b>Foliage:</b>	Fine fresh green foliage highlighted by red accents in summer. The whole plant is truly blazing by fall.
<b>Habit:</b>	Tight clumping habit 18" x 18".
<b>Propagation:</b>	Division. <i>License required for propagation.</i>
<b>Culture:</b>	Fertile well-drained soil in full sun to partial shade.
<b>Additional Comments:</b>	Drought tolerant once established. Sport of 'Little Bunny'.
<b>Uses:</b>	Pots & Containers, Summer Border, Modern courtyard.

### Approximate Finishing Time

4.5" Quarts:	4-6 weeks from a 128 cell transplant (Spring Planting).
6" Gallons:	6-8 weeks from a 128 cell transplant (Spring Planting).

<b>Closest Variety:</b> <i>P.</i> 'Little Bunny'	<b>Key Differences:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ 'Burgundy Bunny' red summer highlights <b>vs.</b> no summer highlights.</li> <li>✓ 'Burgundy Bunny' great fall color <b>vs.</b> no fall color.</li> <li>✓ 'Burgundy Bunny' long season of interest <b>vs.</b> average.</li> </ul>
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