REDBIRD™
RHAPHIOLEPISTM
Rhaphiolepis indica
‘Pg-3-003’ PP 25,770

SELLING FEATURES

• New foliage emerges bright red.
• Low maintenance landscape plant; tolerates a wide range of growing conditions, including coastal areas.
• Produces masses of pure white flowers in spring.
• Has shown less leaf spot in production trials than other Rhaphiolepis varieties.
• Upright, well branched habit.
### GENERAL INFORMATION

- **Light:** Full sun
- **Mature Size:** 4–6’ h x 4–6’ w
- **Natural Bloom Season:** Spring
- **USDA Hardiness:** Zone 7
- **Uses:** Mass plantings, specimen, coastal conditions, waterwise

### PROPAGATION INFORMATION

- **Time of Year:** June–August
- **Type of Wood:** Semi-hardwood; Minimum 3–4 nodes with 1 node below the soil.
- **Rooting Hormone:** 3000ppm IBA-talc or solution
- **Time to Fully Rooted:** 10–12 weeks
- **Trims:** One trim minimum recommended in liner stage.

### FINISHING INFORMATION

- **Media:** Standard Ornamental Nursery Mix
- **Media pH:** 6.0–7.5
- **Media EC:** 1.0–1.5
- **Moisture:** Maintain even moisture in well-drained soil.
- **Fertilizer:** 13-5-9 Harrell’s 8–9 month slow release feed, top dressed.
  - 20 grams in 1 gallon
  - 40 grams in 2 gallon
  - 60 grams in 3 gallon
- **Common Pests & Disease:** Watch for aphids, thrips, and scale. Leaf spot may occur during periods of cool, wet weather.
- **Trimming:** Recommend one trim during the first year of production to bulk. Trim immediately after flowering.
- **PGRs:** None needed
- **Additional Notes:**
  - If using overhead irrigation, water in the early morning hours to avoid excess water remaining on foliage overnight.

### FINISHING TIMES:

- **1 gallon:** Shift 21c in spring and grow on. Plants will be saleable the same fall.
- **3 gallon:** Shift 21c in spring and grow on. Overwinter containers. Plants will be saleable the following spring.

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