

Container Garden Like a Pro

High Country Growers
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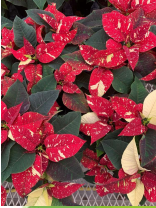


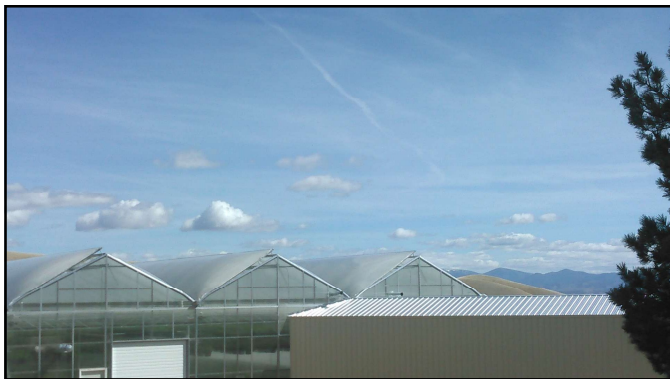
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Who We Are & What We Do

- ▶ Wholesale greenhouse grower since 1976
- ▶ High Country Growers established in 1994
- ▶ What we grow
 - ▶ Spring Bedding Plants
 - ▶ Fall Mums
 - ▶ Poinsettias

















Growth Habits to Match Container Sizes



Production

- Soil Mixing & Container Filling



Flat Filler

Dirt Burner

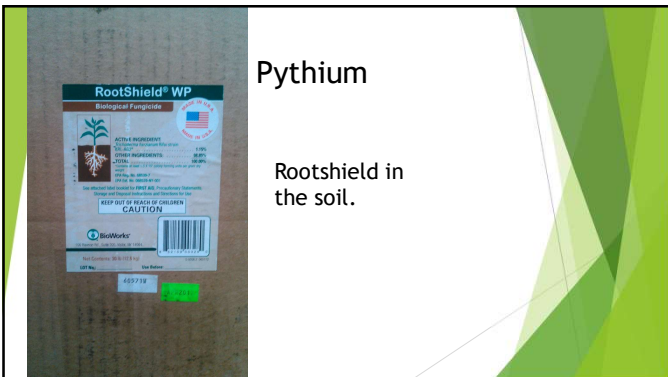




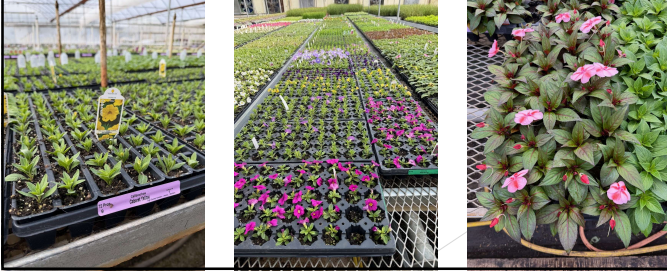
Production

► Soil & Fertility





Planting - Plug Flats



Sticking Cuttings



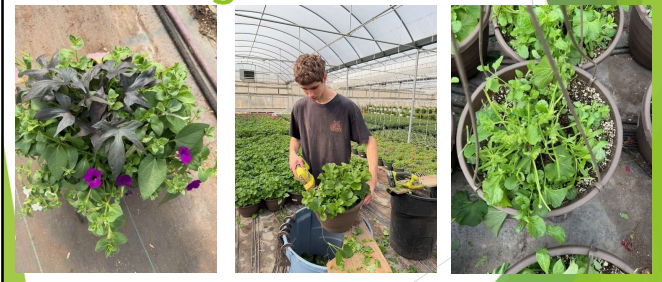
Timed Mist



Planting - Containers



Shearing

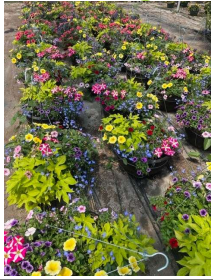


Growth Regulators

- Florel
- B-9
- Bonzai

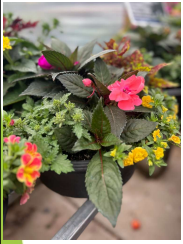


Finishing



Watering:

- ▶ Drip vs Overhead
- ▶ Slow Release Fertilizer
- ▶ Liquid Fertilizer



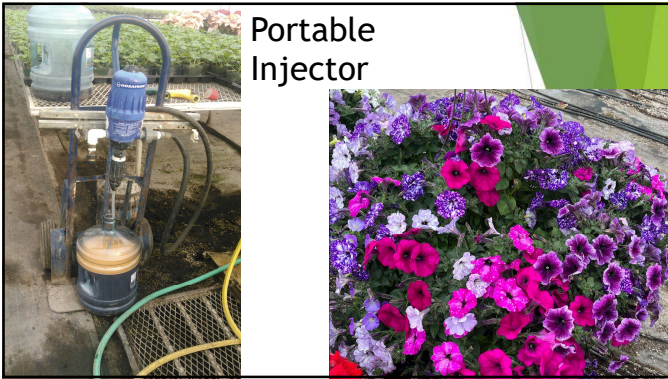


Injection System

Basket House Injectors



Portable
Injector



Outdoor Culture



Insect Control:



Pruning





Tips for growing your own containers

- ▶ Pot with good drainage
- ▶ Good soil- what we carry and other options

