

Burgundy Cotton®

Crapemyrtle (Code G-15-1-A)

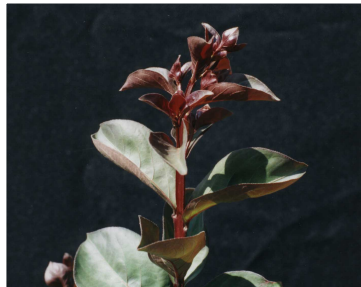
***Lagerstroemia indica* 'Whit VI' Cultivar**
U.S. Plant Patent Applied For



Burgundy Cotton® is a vigorous grower with burgundy new growth and white flowers. It can grow 5 feet or more in one growing season. Mature height may be 10-15 feet or more. Flowers appear by early July and continue until frost. Mature leaves are larger than typical *Lagerstroemia indica*. Burgundy Cotton® grows and flowers best when NOT pruned back in winter. Remember: pruning is always stunting. Flowering is best in full sun.

Features

- * Flowers: white with yellow stamens. (During cool weather or in shade conditions, flowers may be a light pink.)
- * Buds: crimson in sun
- * Foliage: burgundy until flowering begins, then dark green with wine tint
- * Fall color: unknown at this time as flowering generally continues until frost
- * Growth habit: upright growing large shrub or small tree, 10 to 15 feet or more
- * Very drought tolerant
- * Highly resistant to powdery mildew



Developed and patented by Dr. Carl Whitcomb, Stillwater, Oklahoma

Crapemyrtle grow best and flower most profusely in full sun. Crapemyrtle will grow in most soils, however the better the plant growth, the more flowers. Water during droughts for better flowering. Fertilize moderately ONLY in spring; do not fertilize crapemyrtle in the fall.

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