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Coral Canyon Twinspur

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Coral Canyon® Twinspur

Diascia integerrima 'P009S'

Plant Height: 12 inches

Flower Height: 18 inches

Spread: 16 inches

Spacing: 14 inches

Sunlight: ○ ◐

Hardiness Zone: (annual)

Description:

This tough, vigorous variety will produce masses of lovely coral to salmon flowers, blooming profusely all season; perfect for borders, edging, containers, and mass plantings; this heat tolerant selection has a wide tolerance of soil and exposure



Coral Canyon Twinspur flowers
Photo courtesy of NetPS Plant Finder

Ornamental Features

Coral Canyon Twinspur features showy spikes of coral-pink pea-like flowers with salmon overtones and black eyes at the ends of the stems from early summer to mid fall. Its pointy leaves remain green in colour throughout the season.



Coral Canyon Twinspur in bloom
Photo courtesy of NetPS Plant Finder

Landscape Attributes

Coral Canyon Twinspur is a dense herbaceous annual with an upright spreading habit of growth. Its relatively fine texture sets it apart from other garden plants with less refined foliage.

This plant will require occasional maintenance and upkeep, and should not require much pruning, except when necessary, such as to remove dieback. It is a good choice for attracting butterflies to your yard. It has no significant negative characteristics.

Coral Canyon Twinspur is recommended for the following landscape applications;

- Mass Planting
- Rock/Alpine Gardens
- Border Edging
- General Garden Use
- Container Planting
- Hanging Baskets

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Planting & Growing

Coral Canyon Twinspur will grow to be about 12 inches tall at maturity extending to 18 inches tall with the flowers, with a spread of 16 inches. When grown in masses or used as a bedding plant, individual plants should be spaced approximately 14 inches apart. Its foliage tends to remain dense right to the ground, not requiring facer plants in front. Although it's not a true annual, this fast-growing plant can be expected to behave as an annual in our climate if left outdoors over the winter, usually needing replacement the following year. As such, gardeners should take into consideration that it will perform differently than it would in its native habitat.

This plant does best in full sun to partial shade. It is very adaptable to both dry and moist growing conditions, but will not tolerate any standing water. To help this plant achive its best flowering performance, periodically apply a flower-boosting fertilizer from early spring through into the active growing season. It is not particular as to soil type or pH. It is highly tolerant of urban pollution and will even thrive in inner city environments. Consider applying a thick mulch around the root zone over the growing season to conserve soil moisture. This is a selected variety of a species not originally from North America.

Coral Canyon Twinspur is a fine choice for the garden, but it is also a good selection for planting in outdoor containers and hanging baskets. It is often used as a 'filler' in the 'spiller-thriller-filler' container combination, providing a mass of flowers against which the larger thriller plants stand out. Note that when growing plants in outdoor containers and baskets, they may require more frequent waterings than they would in the yard or garden.