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# Wild Romance Blush Pink New Guinea Impatiens

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Impatiens 'Wild Romance Blush Pink'

Hardiness Zone: (annual)

Other Names: New Guinea Impatiens, Busy Lizzie, Busy

Lizzy

Group/Class: Wild Romance Series

### **Description:**

A lovely upright-mounded variety that features ruffled, semi-double blooms of soft pink, nestled on top of mounded, deep green foliage; an excellent choice for shaded landscapes, hanging baskets and patio containers; low maintenance and easy to maintain

#### **Ornamental Features**

Wild Romance Blush Pink New Guinea Impatiens features bold shell pink round flowers with white overtones at the ends of the stems from mid spring to early fall. Its pointy leaves remain dark green in colour throughout the season.

### **Landscape Attributes**

Wild Romance Blush Pink New Guinea Impatiens is a dense herbaceous annual with a mounded form. Its medium texture blends into the garden, but can always be balanced by a couple of finer or coarser plants for an effective composition.

This plant will require occasional maintenance and upkeep, and should not require much pruning, except when necessary, such as to remove dieback. It has no significant negative characteristics.

Wild Romance Blush Pink New Guinea Impatiens is recommended for the following landscape applications:



Wild Romance Blush Pink New Guinea Impatiens flowers Photo courtesy of NetPS Plant Finder



Wild Romance Blush Pink New Guinea Impatiens in bloom Photo courtesy of NetPS Plant Finder

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- Mass Planting
- Border Edging
- General Garden Use
- Container Planting
- Hanging Baskets

### **Planting & Growing**

Wild Romance Blush Pink New Guinea Impatiens will grow to be about 12 inches tall at maturity, with a spread of 12 inches. When grown in masses or used as a bedding plant, individual plants should be spaced approximately 12 inches apart. Its foliage tends to remain dense right to the ground, not requiring facer plants in front. This fast-growing annual will normally live for one full growing season, needing replacement the following year.



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This plant does best in partial shade to shade. It does best in average to evenly moist conditions, but will not tolerate standing water. 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. This particular variety is an interspecific hybrid. It can be propagated by cuttings; however, as a cultivated variety, be aware that it may be subject to certain restrictions or prohibitions on propagation.

Wild Romance Blush Pink New Guinea Impatiens 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 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.