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## Brandon Pink Coral Bells\*

*Heuchera 'Brandon Pink'*

Plant Height: 10 inches

Flower Height: 24 inches

Spread: 12 inches

Spacing: 10 inches

Sunlight: ○ ● ●

Hardiness Zone: 2b

Other Names: Coralbells, Alumroot

### Description:

Low mounds of deep green foliage are featured in this low maintenance variety; produces long spikes with bright pink flowers during the summer months; flowers are suitable for cutting; adds contrast and color to beds, borders and rock gardens

### Ornamental Features

Brandon Pink Coral Bells features dainty spikes of pink bell-shaped flowers rising above the foliage from late spring to mid summer, which emerge from distinctive dark red flower buds. Its crinkled lobed leaves remain dark green in color throughout the year.

### Landscape Attributes

Brandon Pink Coral Bells is a dense herbaceous evergreen perennial with tall flower stalks held atop a low mound of foliage. Its relatively fine texture sets it apart from other garden plants with less refined foliage.

This is a relatively low maintenance plant, and should be cut back in late fall in preparation for winter. It is a good choice for attracting hummingbirds to your yard. It has no significant negative characteristics.

Brandon Pink Coral Bells is recommended for the following landscape applications;



*Brandon Pink Coral Bells in bloom  
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*Brandon Pink Coral Bells flowers  
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- Mass Planting
  - Rock/Alpine Gardens
  - Border Edging
  - General Garden Use
  - Groundcover
  - Container Planting

### **Planting & Growing**

Brandon Pink Coral Bells will grow to be about 10 inches tall at maturity extending to 24 inches tall with the flowers, with a spread of 12 inches. When grown in masses or used as a bedding plant, individual plants should be spaced approximately 10 inches apart. Its foliage tends to remain low and dense right to the ground. It grows at a medium rate, and under ideal conditions can be expected to live for approximately 10 years. As an evergreen perennial, this plant will typically keep its form and foliage year-round.

This plant performs well in both full sun and full shade. However, you may want to keep it away from hot, dry locations that receive direct afternoon sun or which get reflected sunlight, such as against the south side of a white wall. It prefers to grow in average to moist conditions, and shouldn't be allowed to dry out. It is not particular as to soil type or pH. It is somewhat tolerant of urban pollution. Consider covering it with a thick layer of mulch in winter to protect it in exposed locations or colder microclimates. This particular variety is an interspecific hybrid. It can be propagated by division; however, as a cultivated variety, be aware that it may be subject to certain restrictions or prohibitions on propagation.

Brandon Pink Coral Bells is a fine choice for the garden, but it is also a good selection for planting in outdoor pots and containers. With its upright habit of growth, it is best suited for use as a 'thriller' in the 'spiller-thriller-filler' container combination; plant it near the center of the pot, surrounded by smaller plants and those that spill over the edges. Note that when growing plants in outdoor containers and baskets, they may require more frequent waterings than they would in the yard or garden.

*\* This is a 'special order' plant - contact store for details*