

First Editions®

Daybreak Barberry Culture Sheet



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Berberis thunbergii 'Daybreak' PP23, 747

Deciduous/Evergreen: Deciduous

Southern Region Container Production

pH: 5.5-6.5 **EC:** 0.5-2.0

Hardiness: Zone 4-8

Fertilization Requirements	Medium to high rate of complete controlled release fertilizer.
Overwintering Practices and Temperatures	Overwintering temperatures generally greater than 10°F. Do not attempt to overwinter in a warm greenhouse.
Light Levels	Full Sun.
Water Requirements	Keep plants moist, but do not over water plants when they are young.
Planting Season	Spring planting after liners break dormancy.
Propagation Method and Notes	Cuttings are taken in the spring. Hormodin #2 is applied.
Pest/Disease Management	No pests have been observed.
PGR Application	No experience with PGRs.
Flowers on new or old wood	Blooms on old wood.
Special Notes	Easy-to-grow, but will take time to establish. Tolerates heat. Best if started in an 8" container then shifted to a #3 container.

Estimated Finishing Times

	8" container	#3 container
Liner	Pot using a 2 1/2" plug in early spring. Plants will finish in late fall.	Plant using 8" upshift in late winter. Plants will finish early fall.

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Note: The information presented should be considered as a starting point for best practices. Production times and product applications will vary depending on the growing region and conditions. It is the responsibility of the applicator to follow all current manufacturer label directions in a responsible manner.