

First Editions®

Electric Lights™ Azalea Culture Sheet



First Editions® Electric Lights™ Double Pink Azalea
***Rhododendron* ‘UMNAZ 493’ PP26,600**

Deciduous/Evergreen: Deciduous

Pacific Northwest Region Container Production

pH: 4.9 **EC:** 1-2

Hardiness: Zone 4-7

Fertilization Requirements	8 month (18-6-11) incorp is used at time of planting.
Overwintering Practices and Temperatures	Plants are consolidated and overwinter outside. Overwintering temperatures are greater than 15°F.
Light Levels	Full sun
Water Requirements	Low water requirement.
Planting Season	Planting occurs in October.
Propagation Method and Notes	Tissue culture.
Pest/Disease Management	Powdery Mildew
PGR Application	No experience with PGRs.
Flowers on new or old wood	Blooms on old wood.
Special Notes	We grow pot-to-pot in 1st year, spaced in 2nd year.

Estimated Finishing Times

Liner Size	#2 container
LO (38) plug	Finish in 1 1/2 years. (July of 2nd year)

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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.