

# First Editions®

## Evermore™ Azaleas Culture Sheet



**First Editions® Evermore™ Light Pink Azalea**  
*Rhododendron* 'MBXOHI-32'

**First Editions® Evermore™ Hot Pink Azalea**  
*Rhododendron* 'SCHXOHI-17'

**First Editions® Evermore™ Orange Azalea**  
*Rhododendron* 'MAXXOHI-02'

**Deciduous/Evergreen:** Evergreen Shrub

### Southern Region Container Production

**pH:** 5.5-6.5

**EC:** 1.0-1.5

**Hardiness:** Zone 7-9

Fertilization Requirements	Top dress or incorporate with slow release fertilizer.
Overwintering Practices and Temperatures	Temperatures are greater than 10°F. Protect from drying winds.
Light Levels	Full sun to partial shade.
Water Requirements	Medium water requirements for this plant.
Planting Season	Planting occurs spring and/or fall.
Propagation Method and Notes	Semi-hardwood cuttings. KIBA 4000 or comparable.
Pest/Disease Management	Lace bugs, spider mites, and Strawberry Rootworm have been observed.
PGR Application	Can be useful.
Special Notes	Do not overwater. Evermore Hot Pink and Light Pink have simultaneous blooms that completely cover the plant. Evermore Orange is a slower grower and will continue blooming while older blooms are senescing. Evermore Light Pink blooms first, followed by Hot Pink. Evermore Orange is the last to bloom.
Flowers on new or old wood	Blooms on new wood.

### Estimated Finishing Times

Liner	#1 Container	#2 Container	#3 Container	#5 Container
Plug	3" liners. Finish in 6 months.	1-2 3" liners. Finish in 1 year with flush.		
Upshift Material			Finish in 12 months using #1 container.	Finish in 12 months using #1 container.

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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.