Above: Bracteantha Sundaze ‘Totally Yellow’
A double flowered golden yellow that blooms early and continues to flower for a long season. It excels as a patio plant in a large pot. Bedding Plant of the Year 2010 in Germany.

Left: Bracteantha Sundaze Dazette ‘Flirt’
Open orange-red petals recess somewhat backwards making the bright yellow central parts of the bloom stand out. Easy to grow with slender leaves and bright upright flowers.

Below: Bracteantha Sundaze Dazette ‘Salsa’
Single blooms of colour. Tangerine orange flowers with flecks of red and yellow depending on maturity of the flower and a bright yellow centre. Easy Low growing.

Below: Bracteantha Sundaze ‘Double Red’
Brilliant red with large, fully double blooms that have shades of cream through the opening petals. The petals show interesting changes as the flowers mature.

Aussie Winners® Sundaze and Sundaze Dazettes™ will be available in all states except Tasmania. Look for them in the distinctive aluminium coloured pots printed with the AW logo.

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Bracteantha (Xerochrysum)

KEY BENEFITS

Flowers of Sundaze and Dazettes are paper-like and are featured either fresh or dried in floral arrangements. They are often used in dried mixed arrangements where they are wired into place to good effect. As a tub plant Sundaze grows quickly and gives of its best. Pots are grown in a sunny position with maybe a little shade during the heat of the day if possible. In garden beds the plants grow quickly flowering almost immediately.

ORIGIN

These Australian Paper Daisies are a native of Australia, they are forms of Bracteantha bracteata. These are now called Xerochrysum bracteantha. They have proven themselves to growers all over the world with their showy, very vibrant colours that shimmer in the wind. They were bred by Dr. Kerry Bunker on our property at Redland Bay. They have been successfully sent to growers to introduce to gardeners around the world. Genetics have advanced so much since the mid 90’s until today so that the latest plants of Sundaze we offer today are just so much better than the earliest which have faded into history.

USES

In gardens Sundaze like most well draining garden composts in the beds, an addition of water storing granules and a rewetting agent is useful. A large planted expanse of Sundaze in a garden gives the gardener a rewarding display, borders on garden beds look good. Garden tubs are especially showy. In this situation one can remove the dying flowers which prolongs the flowering period.

CARE

Sundaze are lovers of sunny garden beds and freely draining soils. Watering is important. Keep the soils moist but not over wet. Weekly watering in Summer and monthly watering in the cooler months seems sufficient in our growing beds here in South-East Queensland.

It is important to shear the bushes every few months to remove old flowers and seed heads. Taking some foliage including the shoots on the outside of the bushes induces new growth which quickly comes back into flower.

Fertiliser is kept to a minimum. Excessive levels of fertilizer can result in rank growth and in some cases death. Garden beds should be well prepared with digging in leaf mulch and humus. This is followed by mulching the beds with around 75mm of bark chips then very little other fertilizer is needed for the first 8 to 10 months. A light dressing of a complete plant food could be needed if plants start to yellow and flower size gets smaller.

Spectacular and heavy flowering for most of the year with easy care make Sundaze and Dazettes a great addition to the gardens of Australia.

Other Sundaze And Dazettes super selections from Aussie Winners

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Sundaze Everlasting Gold
Sundaze White
Sundaze Flame
Dazette Satin
Dazette Elektra

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