Euphorbia milii

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> Floral accents for todays outdoor living areas

Easy to grow in exposed places even in full sun. • Flowers all year

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Rapid Draining And Open For Aeration of Roots







Wear gloves and wash hands after gardening

Aussie Winners<sup>®</sup> 'Euphorics'<sup>TM</sup> will be available in all states. Look for them in the distinctive aluminium coloured pots printed with the AW logo.

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# Euphorbias - Euphoric<sup>™</sup> Series

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#### **KEY BENEFITS**

**'Euphoric'** *Euphorbias* are plants for today. Everyone is so busy that they do not have enough time to garden with its need of attention to plant care and in particular, watering. **'Euphoric™** *Euphorbias* are trouble free plants which grow well in full sun, exposed positions where wind and light are extreme and do not really care if you forget to water them for a week or two. Flowering on these new hybrids is year round in warmer areas.

#### ORIGIN

*Euphorbia milii* is native to Madagascar in the Indian Ocean. The garden *Euphorbia* is a variety of *E. milii*. It is thought that the larger flowered forms in the '**Euphoric'**<sup>TM</sup> **Series** are hybrids between *Euphorbia milii* with *Euphorbia keysii* as the other parent.

#### USES

Many homes and office buildings have exposed patios and terraces. These are ideal positions for **'Euphoric'** *Euphorbias*. Planted into decorator pots as single plantings they look great. Make sure that the pot is not too big, even quite large plants will live successfully in pots that really seem too small for them. Colours of flower are varied by variety so you are able to match up with your décor.

#### CARE

It is important that the basics are looked at when growing **'Euphoric'**<sup>TM</sup> *Euphorbias*. They need perfect draining media which must be coarse and open so that it drains rapidly.

Quoting from Tom Everett's New York Botanical Gardens Encyclopaedia he says " Soils that drain rapidly and admits air readily, that is nourishing yet without a high organic content is the first essential and grow in full sun, water sparingly especially in the cooler months."

We have not seen any real problems with diseases or insect problems in our trials over the last several years. With the larger flowering varieties remove the spent flower heads if they stay on the bush from time to time. Fertilise with monthly applications of dilute liquid fertiliser OR with blood and bone.

**Euphorics™** are another super selection from Aussie Winners.

### VARIETIES



## 'Armarillo'



Upright growth to 40cm. Bright lime yellow heads of flower. Larger variety.



**'Fireworks'** Open growth to 45cm, Bright red flowers and highly variegated leaves.



**'Apache Dwarf'** Compact to 30cm H&W. Massed red flowers all year. Smaller variety.



**'Cherry Cobbler'** Upright to 50cm. Dark, shining and large red flower heads.

Trials of Apricot and Dusky Rose: Large flowering varieties are completed, plants available in a couple of years.