

NEW RELEASE - SEPTEMBER 2010

Rock & Roll® is an exciting Alstroemeria, with distinctive variegated foliage (yellow fading to white with a green edge) and striking red flowers. It creates an impact in the garden, pot or when used as a cut flower. Rock & Roll's dramatic colour combination of green, white and red make it ideal as an occasion plant for Christmas and an attractive long lasting specimen as a cut flower. Alstroemeria Rock & Roll flowers from Spring right through until early Autumn providing a sensational eye catching display of flowers and foliage that stand out in any surrounding.

Key Features

- Beautiful variegated yellow – white and green foliage
- Masses of dark red flowers borne on contrasting white stems
- Repeat flowering
- Long lasting cut flower

Compact and clump forming

Suggested Uses

Mass plant in the home garden or in decorative containers. Ideal as a potted gift in spring / summer or as a Christmas present. Ideal long lasting cut flower.

Growth Habit

Compact, bushy and clump forming from underground shoots.

Flower Size

60-70mm.

Mature Height

80-100cm.

Mature Width

50-70cm.

Spacing

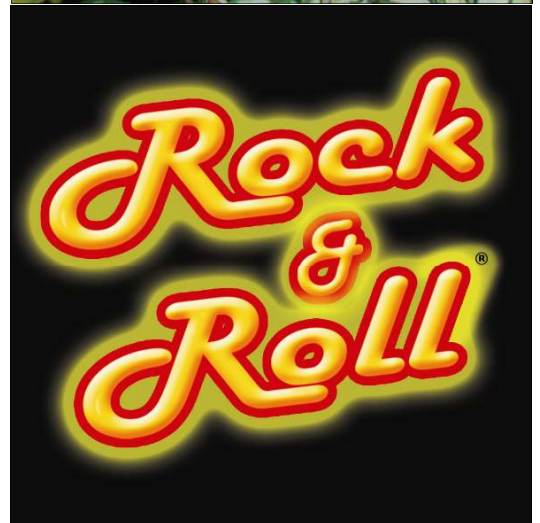
50cm spacing.

Hardiness

Frost tender and deciduous in cold climates.

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NB Garden Centres you can source this plant from your usual Flower Carpet Growers Trents, Growing Spectrum, Wallis Nurseries



Alstroemeria Rock n Roll Continued

Flowering Period

Spring right through until early Autumn.

Number Of Flowers

Masses of stems each with 6-12 individual flowers.

Flower Colour

Dark red.

Fragrance

None.

Foliage

Variegated green and yellow, with the yellow ageing to pure white.

Pruning/Pinching

Cut back to ground level as needed to refresh foliage and promote new growth and flowers.

Light Needs

Full sun to part shade.

Soil Needs

Free draining friable soil, will perform best with plenty of organic matter incorporated.

Water Needs

Average to moist, not boggy or very dry.

Fertiliser

Moderate requirements, a slow release fertiliser in spring and again in late summer / early autumn is ideal.

Disease Tolerance

No specific diseases.

Pest Issues

Susceptible to snails and slugs.

Special Care

Protect in very cold and hot climates.

Botanical Name

Alstroemeria ligtu

