



## ***Strobilanthes dyerianus*** **Plant Culture Information**



<b>Common Name:</b>	<i>Strobilanthes dyerianus</i>		
<b>Description:</b>	Commonly called 'Persian Shield', this variety is an award winner with long dark green and silver-purple foliage		
<b>Features:</b>	A beautiful foliage plant with dark green and silver-purple leaves. Athena Brazil supplies a shorter URC with more nodes for better branching and a faster crop time.		
<b>Uses:</b>	Small or gallon containers, landscape, suitable for areas with a restricted water regime.		
<b>pH:</b>	5.8 - 6.2	EC	0.6 - 0.9
<b>Temperature:</b>	65° - 72° F Day and Night		
<b>Light:</b>	Partial shade		
<b>Irrigation:</b>	Suitable for areas with restricted water guidelines once established		
<b>Planting:</b>	4" Pot	1 cutting	5 to 6 weeks
	Gallon	1 - 2 cuttings	7 to 8 weeks
	10" - 12"	3 - 5 cuttings	9 to 10 weeks
<b>Rooting:</b>	N/A		
<b>Pinching:</b>	Pinch one time at transplant, second pinch only for large pots.		
<b>Fertilization:</b>	Feed with 20 - 10 - 20 at 200 ppm		
<b>Regulators:</b>	B-9 or Bonzi as needed		
<b>Diseases/Pest Control:</b>	N/A		