

Mahonia Silver Caress



KEY FEATURES

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| Exposure | Part shade to shade |
| Mature Size | 3.5' H x 3' W |
| USDA Zones | 7-9 |

- » Compact fine textured plant
- » Yellow blooms in the inter
- » Tolerates dryer soil when established

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HOW TO GROW FROM A LINER

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| MEDIA | Type | Regular ornamental soil mix |
| | Soil / Bark | 60% new screened bark plus 40% old screened bark. |
| | Lime | Pulverized dolomitic, 5 lbs per cubic yard |
| | Talstar | 3.5 lbs per cubic yard |
| | pH | 5.5 – 6.5 |
| | EC | 1.5 – 2.0 |

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| FINISHING TIME | 1 Gal | Plant liner in spring, finish that fall. |
| | 2 Gal | Plant liner in spring, finish that fall and following spring. |
| | 3 Gal | Plant liner in late summer or early fall. Will finish the following fall. |

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| SHIFTING UP | 1 ➔ 2 Gal | Shift 1 gallon in fall / winter. Finish next spring with flush. |
| | 1 ➔ 3 Gal | Shift 1 gallon in fall / winter. Finish next fall. |

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| FERTILIZER | Type | Top dress with slow release fertilizer |
| | App Rate | Medium |
| | Brands | Harrell's 18-5-13 or Osmocote 15-9-11 or Nutricote 18-8-8 |

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| CARE | Light | Part shade to shade |
| | Growth Rate | Moderate |
| | Water | Medium. Drought tolerant when established |
| | Trimming | Prune in late winter early spring if needed |

PROPAGATION

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| Timing | Anytime (May to fall is best) |
| Type | Semi-hardwood cuttings |
| Hormone | IBA 1875 |
| Root Rate | Fast |

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| PESTS & DISEASE | Rabbits, scale, mealy bugs and whitefly |
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