**Cuphea 'Cuphoric'**
- Syngenta-Veg
- Annual
- Full sun
- Container mixer
- Use like Euphorbia
- Combine with Euphorbia
- Drought tolerant

**Diascia 'Flirtation Orange & Pink'**
- Proven Winners
- Cool Season Annual
- Long lasting
- Vigorous but compact
- One of our better performers in this genus

**Euphorbia 'Diamond Frost'**
- Annual-Veg.
- Heat & Humidity no problems!
- Full sun!
- Fine textured
- Not showy alone
- Think of it as 'Baby's Breath' for the South!!

**Gazania 'Sunbathers' series**
- Proven Selections
- Annual-Veg.
- Heat tolerant
- Blooms all summer
- Stays open longer
- Needs well drained soil

**Gomphrena 'Balboa'**
- Proven Selections
- Annual-Veg.
- Heat tolerant
- Drought tolerant

**Heliotropium 'Simply Scentsational'**
- Proven Winners
- Annual
- Scented
- Grows like verbena
- No mildew problems
- Blooms all summer
- 2011 Hottest summer on record! DID GREAT!

**Hemigraphis 'Moonlight Imp.'**
- Annual for Sun or Shade
- 10 x 48
- Lacy mounding foliage
- More heat tolerant than we thought!

**Impatiens 'Center Stage'**
- Proven Selections
- Annual-Veg.
- Burpee
- Ok... It's a variegated impatien
- Nuff said

**Lantana 'Luscious' series**
- Proven Winners
- Annual
- Best series of 2007
- Luscious Citrus Blend
- Luscious Lemonade
- Luscious Grape
- Luscious Tropical Fruit
- Luscious Pina Colada

**Lobularia 'Snow Princess'**
- Proven Winners
- Annual
- Sun
- The Alyssum 'That dare not utter it's name'
- Think it's fluffy kudzu!
- Will last through summer if you WATER & WATER

**Mecardonia 'Golddust'**
- Annual-Veg.
- Sun or shade
- Smaller habit and flower, but more floriferous
- Great cascading out of containers
- Flowers all summer
- Yes we use it as a perennial
Osteospermum 'Symphony' series
- Proven Winners
- Annual
- Large plant
- Best series trialed
- Cold tolerant
- Peach
- Melon
- Lemon
- Orange
- Vanilla
- Arboretum Approved

Otomeria O'premeira
- Danziger
- Annual-Veg
- African native
- Related to Penta
- Looks like Penta crossed with Phlox
- Heat Tolerant
- Well-drained soil
- 4 colors
- Baby Pink
- Pink
- Ruby
- White
- Arboretum Approved

Petunia Vista Bubblegum
- Proven Winners
- Annual - Sun
- 12x36
- Bubble gum pink
- Very vigorous
- Best in containers, or baskets
- Fast growing
- FERTILIZE
- Arboretum Approved

Petunia Vista Fuchsia
- Proven Winners
- Annual - Sun

Petunia Vista Silverberry
- Proven Winners
- Annual - Sun

Petunia Vista Bordeaux
- Proven Winners
- Annual - Sun

Petunia Vista Sangria Charm
- Proven Winners
- Annual - Sun

Petunia Mini Rose Veined
- Proven Winners
- Annual - Sun

Petunia 'Pretty Much Picasso'
- Proven Winners
- Annual
- Sun
- Cool color combo
- It's just funky fun!
- Arboretum Approved

Petunia 'Supertunia Raspberry Blast'
- Proven Winners
- Annual

Phlox 'Intensia' series
- Proven Winners
- Annual
- Sun
- Flowered all summer
- Colors available
- Caramel
- Lavender Glow
- Neon Pink
- Orchid Blast
- Pink
- Starbrite
- White
- Likes it hot
- Arboretum Approved

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- Annual

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Portulaca grandiflora 'Samba' series
- Grolink
- Annual
- Sun
- Large growing plants that are underused for landscape or containers
- Huge flowers in the worst heat
- Why has this plant been forgotten?

Salvia farinacea ‘Sallyfun’ series
- Danziger
- Annual-Veg
- This one keeps blooming!
- Even the white is nice
- Favorite S. farinacea series
- Blue Emotion
- Blue Tune
- White

Salvia 'Mystic Spires Blue'
- Annual/Perennial-Veg.
- Ball Horticulture
- Basically dwarf form of Indigo Spires
- Perfect as annual or use as perennial
- Best blue salvia I've tested!!!!

Salvia ‘Wendy’s Wish’
- Proven Selections
- Annual-Veg.
- Full sun to light shade
- Big! 4 ft in a season
- Plum violet flowers all summer
- BEST INTRO 2010

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Streptocarpella 'Concord Blue'  
- Proven Selections  
- Annual  
- Light shade  
- Awesome container plant  
- Why isn’t it grown more???

Torenia 'Summer Wave'  
- Proven Winners  
- Annual-Sun  
- Most vigorous  
- Full sun or shade  
- Heat tolerant  
- My go to plant for baskets  
- It’s a “horticultural slip cover for the landscape”  
- Amethyst  
- Blue  
- Large Violet

Torenia 'Catalina' series  
- Proven Winners  
- Annual  
- Sun or Shade  
- Blue  
- White Linen  
- Midnight Blue  
- Gilded Grape  
- Pink

Torenia 'Summer Wave' Large Silver  
- Proven Winners  
- Annual-Veg  
- Suntory Flowers  
- Did well in pots and in ground

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Torenia Catalina White Linen  
- Proven Winners  
- Annual-Shade or full sun  
- 12x24  
- Compact  
- Heavy flowering  
- Heat tolerant

Torenia Catalina Gilded Grape  
- Proven Winners  
- Annual-12x24  
- Shade or full sun  
- Heavy flowering  
- Large upright blooms

Pansy 'Plentifall'  
- Ball Seed  
- Full sun  
- Brand new  
- It Trails!  
- Use in containers, pots and hanging baskets  
- Lavender Blue  
- Yellow  
- White  
- Frost  
- Purple Wing

Verbena Lanai Twister Pink  
- Proven Selections  
- Annual  
- One of our best performing verbenas in the south  
- Heavy bloom  
- Long flower time  
- Mildew resistant

Verbena Tapien Blue Violet  
- Proven Winner  
- Annual  
- One of our top performers  
- Great in heat & humidity  
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Begonia Gryphon  
- Annual to houseplant  
- PanAmerican Seed  
- Shade  
- Silver foliage  
- Fast growing  
- Well-drained

Alternanthera 'Brazilian Red Hots'  
- Athena-GroLink  
- Annual-Sun or Shade  
- 24 x 36  
- Spreads!  
- Hot bright pink and cream variegated foliage!

Foliage annuals & Tempting Tropical’s

Foliage annuals

Alternanthera 'Little Ruby'  
- Athena-GroLink  
- Annual-Sun or Shade  
- Perfect Meatball  
- Bronze red foliage all summer  
- The hotter the redder  
- 18" x 18"

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Basil 'Pesto Perpetuo'  
- Annual  
- Proven Winners  
- Sun  
- Gorgeous variegation  
- FAST Growing  
- Smells Good with compact foliage  
- Edible
Ipomoea
Sweet Caroline
‘Bewitched Improved’
- Annual for Full sun or shade
- Sweet potato vine that doesn’t take over
- Stays compact
- Neat leaf shape

Ipomoea
Sweet Potato Vine
‘Sweetheart’ series
- Proven Winners
- Annual-Veg
- Compact habit
- Variegated foliage of green & yellow

Pelargonium
‘Charity’
- Annual-Veg
- Durell Nelson
- Variegated Rose Scented Geranium
- Cool foliage and heat tolerant
- Great for combo’s

Pennisetum setaceum
‘Fireworks’
- Proven Selections
- Annual
- White variegated purple fountain grass
- As growth ages it turns solid bronze
- Shear occasionally

Strobilanthes dyerianus
- Proven Selections
- Annual-Shade
- Persian Shield
- Perfect companion for impatients
- Pinch occasionally to keep shorter
- Indescent foliage
- Best shade plant ever

Perennials for Purgatory
- Proven Selections
- Perennial-Full Sun
- Yellow flowers from May to July
- Thick carpet of foliage

Aloe
Grassy Lassie
- Proven Selections
- Summer annual to houseplant
- Very xeric
- Full sun to light shade
- Grass like foliage
- Flowers hundreds of spikes in fall
- Great in terra cotta pots

Buddleia
‘Lo & Behold Blue Chip’
- Perennial-Veg
- Proven Winners
- Sun
- Low growing plants
- Small 6” flowers all summer
- No heat burn
- Great color

Beschorneria
Flamingo Glow
- Perennial-Veg
- Plug Connection
- Perennial zone 7
- Variegated foliage
- SHADE!
- Evergreen
- Low water use
- Crazy flowers

Kale
‘Glamour Red’
- Annual Seed
- American Takii
- Glossy foliage
- Dark burgundy
- Colors up early
- Compact grower
- BEST NEW INTRO

Ornamental Pepper
‘Sangria’
- Full Sun-Annual
- Great color
- Trailing habit
- HOT
- Keeps fruited

Ajuga
Black Scallop
- Proven Selections
- Dark black foliage
- 4 years in trials and never looked bad

Calyophus
‘Southern Belle’
- Proven Selections
- Perennial-Full Sun
- 4 x 24
- Yellow flowers from May to July
- Thick carpet of foliage
Dianthus
'Devon Cottage' series
- Perennial-Full Sun
- 12" x 12"
- Heavy bloomer
- Nice foliage
- SCENTED
- Heat tolerant

Dianthus
Witch Doctor
- Perennial-Veg
- Proven Selections
- Sun
- Hot PAINK flowers
- 4" x 12"
- Shorter petals
- Fragrant

Hesperaloe
'Brake Lights'
- Monrovia & Mountain States
- Full Sun
- Zone 6b
- RED
- Compact
- Great container plant
- Improvement

Heuchera
Caramel
- Proven Selections
- Perennial Shade
- Color
- Size
- Heat tolerant
- Winter containers is my favorite use

Heuchera
Citronelle
- Proven Selections
- Perennial Shade
- Color
- Size
- Heat tolerant
- Winter containers is my favorite use

Heuchera
Pinot Gris
- Proven Selections
- Perennial Shade
- Color
- Size
- Heat tolerant
- Winter containers is my favorite use

Leucanthemum
Daisy May
- Perennial-Veg
- Proven Winners
- 12-24"
- Large single flowers
- Very floriferous

Lavender stoechas
Silver Anouk
- Perennial-Veg
- Ball-Darwin Perennials
- Sun
- Silver gray foliage
- Didn’t rot out in summer like others
- Flowers are nice too
- 20" H x 24" W

Lysimachia
Superstition
- Perennial-Shade
- Perennial Sun or Shade
- 1" tall 18" across
- Great groundcover
- Basket or container plant
- Variegated foliage
- Heat tolerant

Muehlenbeckia
Creeping Wire Vine
- Perennial
- Proven Selections
- Sun
- Perfect meatballs
- Actually mildew resistant
- Doesn’t take over

Nierembergia
'Blue Skies'
- Perennial-Veg
- Proven Winners
- Large growing
- Great in baskets or containers
- 1½" flowers all summer

Oxalis regnellii
'Charmed' series
- Perennial Sun or Shade
- 10x10
- Purple foliage all summer
- Full sun or shade
- Velvet
- Jade
- Wine

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Penstemon
‘Red Riding Hood’
- Perennial-Veg
- Pacific Plug & Liner
- Sun
- Best Penstemon we’ve tested
- Long flowering
- 3 ft. tall
- Repeats
- Actually takes heat, drought, heavy rainfall and soil pH doesn’t seem to be a problem

Penisetum purpureum
‘Prince’ & ‘Princess’
- Proven Selections
- Perennial-Veg
- Sun
- Incredible color
- Thick leaves
- Prince taller
- Perennial to zone 7
- WaterWise

Pennisetum purpureum
‘Vertigo’
- Proven Winners
- Perennial-Veg
- Sun
- More upright foliage that spikes out
- 5 ft. by 3 ft.
- Heat and drought tolerant

Salvia elegans
‘Golden Delicious’
- Proven Selections
- Annual ??
- Sun or Shade
- Pineapple Sage… I think it smells like…
- Beautiful red flowers on golden foliage in the hottest part of summer

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Sedum
‘Lemon Coral’
- Proven Selections
- Perennial
- Full sun or shade
- Bright chartreuse foliage
- Fast grower
- Great in winter
- Container plant
- Doesn’t burn out in summer

Sedum mexicana
Angelina

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