

## Dianthus Everbloom™



**Breeder:** Rick Grazzini, GardenGenetics

**Series Varieties:** EverBloom™ Watermelon Ice, Strawberry Tart, Plum Glory

**Zone hardiness:** Zone 4 - 9

**Bloom time:** Spring through fall

**Habit:** Groundcover

**Branching:** Densely branched

**Flower size:** 1.25 – 1.5”

**Flower form:** Semi double to double

**Height:** 6-8” high

**Spread:** 18-24” wide

**Spacing:** 15-18” apart

**Exposure:** Performs best in sun.

**Water:** Prefers regular moisture, but will tolerate dry conditions.

**Fertilizer:** 50-75 ppm N

**PGR:** Not recommended

**pH:** 6.0-6.4

**EC:** EC 0.5 – 1.8 (50-150 ppm)

**Temperature for rooting:** 65-70 °F

**Pinching:** Pinch at transplant, then as needed.

**Scheduling:** URC root in 7-10 days and plugs transplant in 3-4 weeks. Flowers from URC in 8-10 weeks and from plug transplant in 5-6 weeks. Plant 1 plug per qt for finish in 6-8 weeks, 2-3 plugs per 1 gallon for finish in 8-10 weeks, 3 plugs per 2 gallon for finish in 10-12 weeks

**Pests:** Scout for aphids & flower thrips.

**Disease:** None

Always follow label instructions carefully.

Test on a small portion of the crop prior to widespread application.



Plum Glory  
USPP 33,902



Strawberry Tart  
USPP 33,953



Watermelon Ice  
USPP 33,901

This is a mostly sterile Dianthus, with a high tolerance to botrytis & powdery mildew.

Dianthus EverBloom™ will provide everlasting color all season long with its quarter size, semi-double to double flowers. Currently available in three outstanding colors EverBloom™ Watermelon Ice, Strawberry Tart & Plum Glory.

