



Colour splashes are carefully blended mixtures of non native annual species that can embellish the landscape. These flower mixtures consist of species that can adapt to different soil types, climates and sun exposure. They will produce a gradual and varied flowering of different colours in a short period of time.

They are low maintenance and require neither fertiliser nor pesticides.

Colour Splashes can be used for many applications including the following:

- Flower beds
- Parks
- Municipal gardens
- Roundabouts
- Roadsides and embankments
- Landscape areas
- Entrances to towns
- Golf courses
- Schools and Universities
- Caravan and camping parks
- Home gardens



COLOUR SPLASHES!

The Colour Splashes range includes two carefully blended annual mixtures that have been trialed in the UK.

Jour De Fete

Ideally suited to screen areas or provide height as Jour De Fete can reach a height of approximately one metre. With stunning flowers from early July to October the mixture has good drought tolerance and will attract a multitude of insects and butterflies. Rich and Classical a real festival of colour.

Jour De Fete contains 5 species:

- Centaurea mixed
- Cosmos Bipinnatus Sensation
- Cosmos Sulfurates
- Zinnia Sunbow
- Tithonia Torch



Douce France

This is a shorter prolific flowering mixture that can reach a height of 0.5 metre. Flowering from June to October and will survive on the better soil types. Douce France can produce a fantastic display that will also compete well against weeds.

Douce France contains 5 species:

- Centaurea Polka Dot
- Zinnia Sunbow
- Cosmos Trianon
- Eschscholtzia
- South Pacific Beauty



Colour Splashes are supplied in 400 gram metallic cans (sow at 1 - 2 grams per m²).

These cans are hermetically sealed to preserve seed quality and will allow the seed to arrive in perfect condition.

Sowing Guide

Colour splashes should be sown in the spring ideally between end April and May. They are best sown in full sunlight and shaded areas should be avoided as the flowers within the mixtures have been selected for their ability to thrive in sunny positions. The soil temperatures help rapid germination and so cold wet seed bed should also be avoided. Shake the can before sowing to ensure a good mixture as smaller seeds often settle to the bottom of the can. Sow at 1 to 2 grams per m² which should give you the desired plant population.

Produce a firm fine seedbed, remove stones, weeds and any debris and rubbish before you sow. Seedbed preparation is critical to your success so spending a little bit of time and effort on this operation will pay dividends in the future! Fertiliser is not necessary for the mixtures to establish or bloom.

The seed can be broadcast or drilled but only needs lightly covering with soil. If you are broadcasting you can mix the seeds with sand or perlite to ensure good distribution of the seed.

After sowing lightly rake to cover the seeds and water and wait for your colour splash to appear.

After establishment colour splashes should need very little attention.