

Dipladenia splendens

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Common Names: Rocktrumpet

Family: Apocynaceae

Origin: Brazil

Growth: Vining

Light: Full sun

Foot Candles: 250+

Water: Keep evenly moist

Humidity: 40% - 80%

Temperature: 16°C - 30°C

Soil: Well draining potting mix

Container: Self-watering planter, irrigated bed with trellis

Nutrients: 10-20-10 Monthly

Propagation: Seed, cuttings

Interiorscape Use: Patio fence climber, pillars



Common Pests: Mealybugs, Aphids, Spider Mites, Scale, Thrips.

Common Issues: Leaf drop and limited blooms with insufficient light.

Comments: Very similar to Mandevillas, to the point that some even consider them to be the same plant. The key difference between the plants is their growth habit. Dipladenia grows bushy while Mandevilla grows sprawling vines. Dipladenia is commonly sold as an annual in planters but can be kept as an indoor houseplant year-round. They are great pollinators and will attract butterflies and hummingbirds.

Toxicity: Very low chance of mild indigestion.



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