## **Growing Recipe**

## BEGONIA BIVER NILE

Approximate Finish Time From Liner					= Minimum	= Maximum	
Pot Size	Plug to 4"						
We	eks	1	2	3	4	5	6

**pH:** 6.0 - 7.0

Fertilization Recommendations: 150 - 200 PPM

EC: 1.2 - 2.4

Light Levels: Full shade to filtered light

Water Requirements: Dry slightly between waterings

Hardiness Zones: 10 - 11

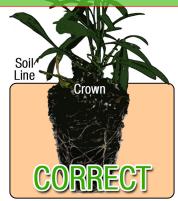
Possible Problems: Insect: Mealy bug if exposed

Habit: Rhizomatous, mounding

**Diseases:** Powdery mildew is possible

Day Length for Flowering: Day neutral





Do NOT bury the crown of the plug

## **Description**

More tolerant of cold than most begonias, this one sports bright chartreuse leaves that are heavily edged in dark red. The borders are also ruffled and the leaf bases swirl like a ram's horn toward the leaf center. White flowers. Great as a patio plant or as a houseplant, easier to grow than a Rex. This plant did especially well in our display gardens in amended garden soil.





