

# BURMESE PLUMBAGO

## CERATOSTIGMA GRIFFITHII

FOR YOUR COLLECTION OF FALL BLOOMERS, BURMESE PLUMBAGO, (AKA GRIFFITH'S LEADWORT) PROVIDES A FOIL TO THE MANY GOLDS AND REDS OF AUTUMN, ITS VIBRANT SKY BLUE BLOSSOMS SURROUNDED BY BRICK RED BRACTS THE PERFECT COMPLIMENT. TALLER THAN THE MORE OFTEN SEEN CAPE PLUMBAGO, WHICH GROWS AS A GROUND COVER, IT HAS WIRY, MOUNDING STEMS THAT REACH 3' HIGH AND AS WIDE AS 6' ACROSS. THE SMALL, LEATHERY LEAVES ARE SEMI-EVERGREEN, BUT TAKE ON A DEEP RED HUE AS COOLER TEMPERATURES ARRIVE, OFTEN WHILE THE PLANT IS STILL BLOOMING! DROUGHT TOLERANT, AND FROST HARDY TO ZONE 7A, BURMESE PLUMBAGO IS NOT ON THE DEER'S PREFERRED EATING LIST AND GROWS HAPPILY IN THOSE DIFFICULT, DRY, PARTIALLY SHADED CONDITIONS WHERE FEW PLANTS THRIVE.



SUN TO PARTIAL SHADE

ZONES 7-10