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Botanical Name:	Rosa Flower Carpet Red
Common Names:	Flower Carpet Rose, Ground Cover Rose, Groundcover Rose,
Native:	No
Foliage Type:	Evergreen
Plant Type:	Groundcovers, Hedging / Screening, Roses, Shrubs
Plant Habit:	Dense, Rounded

Description:

This is a genuinely easy-care groundcover rose - consistently one of the most disease-resistant roses ever bred - ideal for both home gardeners and professional landscapers. Flower Carpet® RED prefers hot warm conditions and just blooms and blooms. From mid-late Spring clusters of 25-30 of deep velvety deep-red single flowers appear all over the plant, accented by brilliant golden yellow stamens, sitting over deep glossy dark green foliage with a burgundy edge. And this show continues on until late Autumn. This rose can bloom up to 10 months of the year no fancy pruning required. Will grow to 60-80cm high and 120cm wide.

Mature Height:	60cm-1m	Position:	Full Sun
Mature Width:	60cm-1m	Soil Type:	Any, Well Drained

Landscape Use(s): Balcony / Roof, Borders / Shrubbery, Courtyard, Feature, Foliage Feature / Colour, Formal Garden, Groundcover, Hedging / Screening, Low Water Garden, Mass Planting, Rockery, Tropical Garden, Verge, Container / Pot

Pest & Diseases:

Aphids, Generally trouble free

Cultural Notes:

Plant 2-3 per square metre, for ground cover. Plant 100cm apart to establish boundaries. Can be planted anytime during Spring, Summer or Autumn. When planting in the landscape, water in well particularly during hot conditions and continue to water regularly until the plant is established. Flower Carpet roses are very tolerant of dry conditions once established. No fancy pruning needed. Cut back by 2/3rds annually in late winter or early spring. Trim to shape anytime of year, if desired. The bush is self-cleaning with few rose hips, no dead-heading required, petals fall away cleanly. For maximum flowering and performance, feed with a balanced (15:5.2:10) controlled release rose fertiliser in early spring and again in late summer. For established landscape plants apply 1 to 2 handfuls around the base of the plant and incorporate into the soil by gentle surface cultivation.

Plant Care:

Annual slow release fertiliser, Keep moist during dry periods, Mulch well

Family Name:	Rosaceae
Origin:	Europe
Characteristics:	
Foliage Colours:	Green
Flower Colours:	Red
Flower Fragrant:	No
Flowering Season:	Autumn, Spring, Summer
Fruit:	Yes
Requirements:	
Growth Rate:	Moderate
Maintenance Level:	Low
Water Usage:	Low
Tolerances:	
Drought:	High
Frost:	High
Wind:	High

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