

# Best of Breed for Summer 2002

This list identifies cultivars that had the *best* "All Season Average" for each species.

	source	# weeks in flower	all season avg	early season avg	late season avg	# weeks rated above 3
'Exciting Vine' - "Ipomoea lobata"		1			0.0	
Abutilon xhybridum 'Bella Pink' - "Abutilon"	PA	18	3.3	3.2	3.3	12
Ageratum houstonianum 'Artist Purple' - "Ageratum"	EAP	17	3.4	3.1	3.5	12
Alstroemeria xhybrida 'Jazze Rose Frost' - "Alstroemeria"	PA	21	3.3	3.0	3.5	12
Alternanthera ficoidea - "Alternanthera"		1			0.0	
Alternanthera sp. 'Snow Queen' - "Alternanthera"	CRN	0	3.9	3.5	4.0	16
Angelonia sp. 'AngelMist Lavender Improved' - "Angelonia"	BFP	21	4.2	3.6	4.6	20
Anisodentea hybrid 'Elegant Lady' - "Anisodentea "	EAP	13	3.3	3.0	3.6	8
Antirrhinum majus 'Luminaire Yellow' - "Snapdragon"	BFP	18	3.8	3.8	3.7	17
Argyranthemum sp. 'Luna White' - "Marguerite Daisy"	BFP	12	2.7	3.0	2.5	1
Begonia (semperflorens hybrids) 'Vodka' - "Begonia"	BEN	21	3.8	3.4	3.9	16
Begonia xhybrida 'Dragon Wing Pink' - "Begonia"	PA	11	2.4	2.7	2.2	0
Begonia Tuberhybrida Hybrids 'Pin Up Flame' - "Begonia"	AAS	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0
Bracteantha sp. 'Bracteata Basket Bon Bon' - "Bracteantha"	BFP	17	3.3	3.4	3.1	13
Brugmansia 'Yellow Angel's Trumpet' - "Brugmansia"		3	3.5	3.0	3.9	13
Calibrachoa hybrid 'Starlette Trailing Pink' - "Calibrachoa"	BFP	18	3.9	3.1	4.4	14
Canna xgeneralis 'Tropical Yellow' - "Canna"	AT	13	3.0	2.8	3.1	3
Capsicum annuum 'Explosive Ember' - "Ornamental Pepper"	SYN	19	4.3	3.7	4.7	19
Cartharanthus roseus 'First Kiss Ruby' - "Vinca"	BEN	21	3.5	3.0	3.9	12
Catharanthus roseus 'Jaio Scarlet Eye' - "Vinca"	AAS	21	4.0	3.3	4.6	17

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<b>Celosia plumosa '01F04'</b> - "Celosia"	AAS	20	3.5	3.3	3.7	14
<b>Centaurea gymnanthera 'Colchester White'</b> - "Centaurea "		0	3.8	3.3	4.0	15
<b>Cleome hasslerana 'Linde Armstrong'</b> - "Cleome"	CRN	13	3.3	3.3	3.2	11
<b>Cobaea scandens 'Cathedral Bells'</b> - "Cathedral Bells"		1			0.0	
<b>Cosmos sulphureus 'Cosmic Orange'</b> - "Cosmos"	AAS	11	2.0	2.6	1.4	0
<b>Cuphea purpurea 'Firecracker'</b> - "Cuphea "	BFP	21	3.6	3.1	4.0	13
<b>Cuphea sp. 'Twinkle Pink'</b> - "Cuphea "	BFP	21	4.5	4.1	4.7	20
<b>Dahlia xhybrida 'Kingston Queen'</b> - "Dahlia"	Heronswood	10	4.0	3.4	4.5	17
<b>Dalechampia roezliana 'Purple Dove Vine'</b> - "Dove Vine"		1			0.0	
<b>Datura metel 'Cornucopaea'</b> - "Datura"		15	3.8	3.2	4.2	16
<b>Datura metel 'Cornucopaea'</b> - "Datura"		1			0.0	
<b>Delphinium grandiflorum 'Summer Blues'</b> - "Delphinium"	BEN	8	1.4	2.6	0.6	0
<b>Dianthus barbatus 'Amazon Neon Duo'</b> - "Dianthus"	PA	13	3.1	3.2	2.9	8
<b>Dianthus caryophyllus 'Can Can Scarlet'</b> - "Carnation"	AAS	10	2.9	3.0	2.8	4
<b>Dianthus chinensis 'Melody Pink'</b> - "Dianthus"	AAS	19	3.5	3.3	3.7	16
<b>Dianthus sp. 'Heritage Crimson'</b> - "Dianthus"	AT	16	2.1	2.9	1.5	0
<b>Diascia barberae 'Whisper Cranberry'</b> - "Diascia"	BFP	15	2.8	3.7	2.0	12
<b>Duranta erecta 'Golden Edge'</b> - "Duranta erecta"		1			0.0	
<b>Eustoma grandiflorum 'Forever Blue'</b> - "Lisianthus"	AAS	13	2.5	3.2	2.0	3
<b>Fragaria xananassa 'Berries Galore'</b> - "Strawberry"	BALL	13	3.5	3.3	3.5	10
<b>Fuchsia xhybrida 'Angel Earrings Snowfire'</b> - "Fuschia"	J&P	14	2.4	3.1	1.7	4

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<b>Gaillardia pulchella 'Sundance Bicolor'</b> - "Gaillardia"	AAS	13	2.9	2.8	3.0	4
<b>Gazania xrigens 'White Kiss'</b> - "Gazania"	GOLD	14	2.3	3.2	1.5	3
<b>Gypsophila muralis 'Garden Bride'</b> - "Gypsophila"	AAS	19	1.5	2.4	0.9	0
<b>Helenium autumnale 'Helena Red Shades'</b> - "Helenium"	BEN	2	1.7	1.9	1.5	0
<b>Helianthus annuus 'Soraya'</b> - "Sunflower"	AAS	8	2.2	3.4	1.0	7
<b>Helichrysum petiolare 'Petiolare Lime'</b> - "Helichrysum"	BFP	0	0.7	0.9	0.5	0
<b>Helichrysum sp. 'Silver Star'</b> - "Helichrysum"	BFP	0	3.5	3.1	3.8	13
<b>Impatiens hawkeri 'Sonic Fuchsia'</b> - "New Guinea Impatiens"	FIS	21	4.0	3.6	4.2	18
<b>Impatiens walleriana 'Accent Midnight Rose'</b> - "Impatiens"	GOLD	21	3.8	3.3	4.2	17
<b>Ipomoea alba 'Giant White'</b> - "Moon Flower"		1			0.0	
<b>Ipomoea batatas 'Sweet Caroline Purple'</b> - "Sweet Potato"		1			0.0	
<b>Ipomoea carnea fistulosa</b> - "Tree Morning Glory"		1			0.0	
<b>Ipomoea lobata</b> - "Spanish Flag"		1			0.0	
<b>Ipomoea nil 'Good Morning Blue'</b> - "Morning Glory"	BALL	11	3.2	3.3	3.0	13
<b>Kniphofia sp. 'Flamenco'</b> - "Tritoma"	AAS	1	2.4	2.5	2.2	0
<b>Lablab purpureus 'Hyacinth Bean'</b> - "Hyacinth Bean"		1			0.0	
<b>Lantana camara 'Samantha'</b> - "Lantana"		1			0.0	
<b>Lantana trifoliata 'Three Leaf Lantana'</b> - "Lantana"		18	3.8	3.3	4.3	16
<b>Lobelia xspeciosa 'Temptation White'</b> - "Lobelia"	BFP	16	2.7	3.4	2.0	10
<b>Lobularia maritima 'Wonderland Purple'</b> - "Alyssum"	BG	18	3.1	3.6	2.4	11
<b>Mandevilla xamoena 'Sun Parasol'</b> - "Mandevilla"		1			0.0	

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<b>Melampodium leucanthum 'Lemon Delight'</b> - "Melampodium"	AT	21	2.2	2.8	1.6	0
<b>Monopsis campanulata 'Blue Papillo'</b> - "Monopsis"	BFP	20	2.4	2.9	2.1	0
<b>Nemesia strumosa 'Aromatica Rose Pink'</b> - "Nemesia"	BFP	20	3.0	3.3	3.0	6
<b>Nierembergia hippomanica 'Fairy Bells Compact Blue'</b> - "Nierembergia"	J&P	21	3.3	3.3	3.2	14
<b>Osteospermum sp. 'Passion Mix'</b> - "Sparkler Daisy"	AAS	12	2.9	3.1	2.5	7
<b>Oxalis vulcanicola 'Copper Tone'</b> - "Oxalis "	EAP	4	0.8	2.0	0.1	0
<b>Pelargonium xhortorum 'Designer Scarlet'</b> - "Geranium"	BFP	18	3.8	3.4	4.0	16
<b>Pennisetum glaucum 'Purple Majesty'</b> - "Ornamental Millet"	AAS	2	4.0	3.8	4.0	19
<b>Pentas lanceolata 'Variegata'</b> - "Pentas"		1			0.0	
<b>Petunia xhybrida 'Double Wave Lavender'</b> - "Petunia (Dbl)"	BFP	21	4.3	4.3	4.1	19
<b>Phlox drummondii 'Promise Mix'</b> - "Phlox"	AAS	16	1.2	1.4	1.0	0
<b>Platycodon grandiflorus 'Miss Tilly Blue'</b> - "Platycodon"	GOLD	13	2.3	3.0	1.6	0
<b>Plectranthus sp. 'Nicodemus'</b> - "Plectranthus"		0	3.9	3.2	4.4	15
<b>Portulaca xgrandiflora 'Fairytale Snow White'</b> - "Portulaca"	BFP	20	4.3	3.8	4.7	20
<b>Portulaca grandiflora 'Sundial Gold'</b> - "Portulaca"	BG	18	3.0	3.3	2.5	9
<b>Rhodochiton atrosanguineum</b> - "Maroon Bell Vine"		1			0.0	
<b>Rudbeckia hirta 'Autumn Colors'</b> - "Rudbeckia"	BEN	14	3.5	3.3	3.7	15
<b>Saccharum officinarum 'Peles Smoke'</b> - "Purple Sugar Cane"		1			0.0	
<b>Salvia greggii 'Navajo Dark Purple'</b> - "Salvia "	BFP	18	3.7	3.4	3.9	17
<b>Salvia patens 'Blue Angel'</b> - "Salvia"	BEN	0	2.4	2.4	2.4	0
<b>Salvia splendens 'Blue Ribbon'</b> - "Salvia"	PA	19	4.1	3.6	4.4	17

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<b>Scaevola aemula 'Zig Zag'</b> - "Scaevola"	BFP	16	3.4	3.7	3.1	12
<b>Sedum sp. 'Angelina'</b> - "Sedum"	EAP	0	3.0	3.0	3.0	0
<b>Solanum mammosum 'Solanum mammosum'</b> - "Solanum mammosum"		1			0.0	
<b>Solanum pyracanthum</b> - "Wicked Dagger Plant"		18	3.4	3.2	3.5	12
<b>Solenostemon scutalleriodes 'Aurora Stoplight'</b> - "Coleus"	EAP	1	3.5	3.1	3.7	11
<b>Solenostemon scutalleriodes 'Aurora Sherbert'</b> - "Coleus"	BFP	9	3.2	3.5	2.9	10
<b>Spilanthes oleracea 'Peek-A-Boo'</b> - "Spilanthes"	PA	18	3.0	3.0	3.0	8
<b>Sutera cordata 'Abunda Jumbo White'</b> - "Bacopa"	BFP	18	3.6	3.1	4.0	15
<b>Tagetes erecta 'Perfection Mix'</b> - "Marigold"	GOLD	13	3.2	3.6	2.6	14
<b>Tagetes patula 'Bonanza Harmony'</b> - "Marigold"	PA	17	3.0	3.4	2.6	10
<b>Talinum paniculatum 'Variegata'</b> - "Variegated Jewels of Opar"		1			0.0	
<b>Thunbergia alata 'Sunny Lemon Star'</b> - "Thunbergia"	BFP	21	4.0	3.4	4.5	18
<b>Tithonia rotundifolium 'Fiesta Del Sol'</b> - "Mexican Sunflower"	BEN&AAS	14	2.6	3.2	2.0	8
<b>Torenia fournieri 'Blue Summer Wave'</b> - "Torenia"	J&P	20	3.2	3.9	2.5	11
<b>Trachelium caeruleum 'Devotion'</b> - "Trachelium"	AAS	10	3.1	2.4	3.6	10
<b>Verbena xhybrida 'Princess Dark Lavender (Wildfire)'</b> - "Verbena"	BFP	19	4.2	4.0	4.1	18
<b>Verbena pedula 'Superbena Dark Blue'</b> - "Verbena"	EAP	16	3.8	3.1	4.1	12
<b>Viola xwittrockiana 'Ultima Morpho'</b> - "Pansy"	AAS	14	1.6	2.6	0.9	0
<b>Viola cornuta 'Penny White'</b> - "Viola"	GOLD	12	2.0	2.7	1.4	0
<b>Zinnia xelegans 'Profusion Orange'</b> - "Zinnia"	AAS	16	2.9	1.9	3.5	8