

Gaillardia X 'Arizona Sun' Arizona Sun Blanketflower

Blanketflower is native across a wide swath on the United States, occupying the prairie lands ranging from the east coast to the desert Southwest. Arizona Sun is a cultivated hybrid that is grown for its large, two-tone flowers and the overall hardiness of the plant. Arizona Sun will form clusters about 1 foot tall and wide with 3 inch long soft leaves. Large red and yellow flowers begin in late spring and continue through the fall. Best flower production occurs if plants are periodically deadheaded. Grows well in full sun at higher elevations, but prefers partial shade in the lower deserts. Arizona Sun is remarkably cold hardy, and can handle temperatures down to -40°F.

AT A GLANCE SUMMARY	
SIZE (H X W)	1 foot x 1 foot
FLOWER COLOR	Red and yellow
FLOWER SEASON	Late spring through fall
EXPOSURE	Full sun, part shade
WATER	Low to moderate
GROWTH RATE	Moderate
HARDINESS	-40° F, USDA Zone 3
PRUNING	Prune to remove spent flowers



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