



YOUR GARDENCENTER BUYERS GUIDE

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We would love to sit
down with you
and discover how
Luurtsema Sales
can help your
Garden Center grow!











GETTING ACQUAINTED WITH LUURTSEMA SALES

Our Story:

In 1946, Henry Luurtsema established Luurtsema Sales and it has remained a family business for three generations. Relationship building has been at the core of our business plan. Many of our customers have been with us for over 30 years. The foundation of our business is consistently delivering high quality and innovative products.

Our Goal:

We are here to be your garden center solution. Every retail location has unique needs and opportunities. We will help meet those needs and opportunities with our product line and services. Allow us to work with you to create a customized program. Since 1946 the Luurtsema family has been known for our quality, service, and integrity. We believe in the USA, so we have invested in molds to move an increasing portion of our container production to USA. We offer a recycling program with POP, free of charge to our customers to encourage recycling.

Our Solution:

We offer a full line of annuals, perennials, vegetables, succulents and much more. Our quality, and our service gives you an advantage over your competition. We have small minimums, short lead times. *We never charge delivery fees, drop charges, or fuel surcharges. We have 2,285,000 sq ft of greenhouse space near our 51,000 sq ft distribution facility designed to provide the best quality and freshest product on the market. We have invested in technology to improve our process from order to delivery. This has increased our ability to provide quality and accuracy of your orders.

^{*} when minimums are followed

SHIPPING SCHEDULE, MINIMUMS, RACKS

Shipping Schedule

| Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|---------|--------------------|------------|-----------|--------------------|----------|
| Chicago | Chicago | Chicago | Chicago | Chicago | Chicago |
| | Indiana | Central IL | Indiana | Indiana | Indiana |
| | Quad Cities | Indiana | Wisconsin | Quad Cities | |
| | Eastern, WI | | Kentucky | | |

Minimums

We have a two rack minimums*

*Check with your sales rep if you have questions on determination of racks

Racks

- Four types of racks
- All racks have a metal sign with our name and phone number
- NEW Galvanized 5, 6 shelf racks
- 11 Shelf Bedding 6 Shelf Specialty Rack Rack
- All racks are the same size:
 90" Tall x 32" Wide x 61" Deep
- All Racks have 4 swivel casters
 2 with wheel locking levers

5 - Shelf Specialty Rack

Adjustable Shelf Specialty Rack



Number of shelves: 11 Avg. shelf height: 8"



Number of shelves: 6 Avg. shelf height: 16"



Number of shelves: 5
Avg. shelf height: 20.25"



Number of shelves: 2-11

Avg. shelf height: adjusts w/n 4"



2023 NEW LIMITED PRODUCTS

12" Thriller Container

- Six great combinations and colors
- Cannova Canna is center will ship without Canna in flower

Full sun, likes 4-6 hrs sun, likes fertilizer so add to sales, and place by your display











QR Code

New shelf talker, with QR code to bring your patron to a webpage for that specific product with helpful growing tips, recipes, and gardening tips to help them succeed.

Icon on tag and shelf talker answer basic questions at a glance.

Color coding makes sorting and stocking quick and easy

Backyard Classic Vegetables and Herbs

- 4 Inch Pots Color Coded for easy sorting on bench, save labor time.
- Shelf talkers and tags are color coded Blue = Hybrid, Orange = Heirloom, Red = Herb
- Farm tested varieties considerably lower price point.



Quality & Value

6" Venti Dahlia pk 6

- Great choice of colors provides beauty and color all summer long!
- Sized for a table top pop of color and texture.
- Product is great in ground, has nice spread and will fill out more in ground.



RECYCLING



Free
Promotional Sign
by request while
supplies last

Luurtsema Sales will leave one delivery cart at your location with the first delivery of the season. Use that cart to collect the plastic pots, trays, and baskets. We will pick up the recyclables with the next delivery and leave another empty cart. The plastics are returned to our facility where they are sorted; we reuse as many items as possible.

- Great for the environment
 - Lowers disposal costs
 great for bottom line and keep clutter
 down in garden center.

eco friendly - reuse or remold of plastic.

- Easy to implement with no cost to you.
- Recycling plastic keeps cost down

reusing shuttle trays is cheaper, and helps keep product costs lower.

 Encourage patrons return to recycle plastic, and opportunity for more sales.

GERANIUMS

Available in a rainbow of colors providing beautiful texture and color to your guests containers.





Color of Geranium is listed on the pot



Item # 420 Available Mar 26-June 4

5" Cutting Geraniums pk 8

Item # 520 Available April 2-June 5

6" Martha Washington pk 6

Item # 603 Available March 19-April 16

10" Cutting Geranium w/spike

Item # 651 Available March 26-May 15

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12" Calliope Geranium

Item # 6762 Available April 16-May 28











EARLY SPRING PRODUCTS

Get your season started off right with early color and texture and the scents of spring!



10" Primavera Planter



6" Martha Washington Geranium pk 6

6" Scrumptious Pansy

Available in:

5" Phlox Item # 8073 Available April 19-23

6" Pansy Planter Item # 604 Available Mar 19-May 2

6" Martha Washington Geranium Item # 603 Available April 9-23

10" Primavera Planter Item # 667 Available April 9-23

10" Scrumptious Pansy Item # 6681 Available Mar 12-Apr 2

10" Early Spring Annual Bowl Item # 698 Available Mar 19-Apr 16



5" Phlox



10" Early Spring Annual Bowl



10" Scrumptious Pansy Bowl



CONTAINERS



10" Red, White Blue Pot w/Flag Item # 654 Avail May 14-28



8" Square Planter Item # 6401 Avail April 23-May 14



Premium Planter Box Item # 670 Avail April 16-May 21



12" Butterfly Planter Item # 657 Avail April 23 May 14



12" Butterfly Planter NEW Item # 6578 Avail May 14-28



24" Deck Rail Planter Item # 6381 Avail April 30-May 16



12.5" Petal Planter Item # 653 Avail April 23-May 14



10" Annual Pot Item # 650 Avail April 30-May 21



14" Mixed Color Bowl/Insert Item # 641 Avail May 21-28



10" Sunflower Planter Item # 6375 Avail May 21-28



15" Premium Combo Planter Item # 642 Avail April 30 - May 14



10" Zinnia Planter Item # 656 Avail May 21-28

Great selection of sizes, price, colors, and textures to ensure your customer's satisfaction

LIVING TEXTURES



Living Textures Watering Can Item 8083 Available April 16 - May 21



Living Textures



3.5" Living Texture Starters Item 8087 Available April 3-May 17

Trending
Succulent products
to differentiate you
from your
competitors!



11" Succulent Planter Item 8081 Available April 3-May 17



SPECIALTY ANNUALS



#1 Pot Landscape Plants - 3 Grasses, 3 Shade Textured, 8 Flowers pk 6





6" Venti Dahlia

Great for indoor color now and beauty in ground later



5" Canna Cannaova F1 Plant - 6 Colors Item # 595 Avail April 30-May 28





SPECIALTY PLANTERS

Premium Designer Begonias





Great as desktop planter or great size to create your own container around.



Premium Designer Begonia Fern/Begonia Combo 2.38 gal 9.0l Item # 6594 Available April 30-May 14



Available Colors

PROVEN WINNERS



Inspiring your customer's to make their world more beautiful. Proven Winner is nationally advertised. #1 Plant Brand, follow them on Facebook, Instagram or Twitter, for great gardening videos and DIY Ideas.



Proven Winner Grande Pot pk 10 Item # 445 Available April 9-May 28







WAVE PETUNIAS

Inspiring Gardeners Since 1995





12" Wave Container Item # 676 Avail April 23-May 21









10" Wave Basket Item # 310 Avail April 16-June 5

eosy spreading color

wave

Easy Wave Series

- Grow beautiful containers and beds fast and easy
- · Height: 6 to 12 inches
- Spread: 2.5 to 3 feet

E3 Wave Series

- Flower with 10 hrs
- Height: 6 to 12 inches
- Spread: 25-30 inches

Shock Wave Series

- Petite flowers in high voltage color for small area
- Height: 7 to 10 inches
- Spread: 2.5 to 3 feet

Wave Series

- Creates a ground hanging carpet of color
- Height: 4 to 6 inches
- Spread: 3 to 4 feet

Blue

Burgandy Star

Great Lakes Mix

Lavender Sky Blue

Neon Rose

Opposites Attract Mix

Pink Passion

Silver

Violet

The Flag Mix

Easy Wave Colors

Burgandy Velour

South Beach Mix

Shock Wave Colors

Coral Crush

Purple Deep

Purple Tie-Dye

Rose

Spark Mix

Volt Mix

White

Wave Colors

Purple Classic

Indicates New

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*E3 Wave Colors

Lavendar Sky Blue

Pink Cosmo

Coral

Pink

Red

White

ESSENTIAL ACCENTS

Thrillers:

Big bold accents that use their tall height and distinct form to create the "centerpiece" of a combination

Item # 363 Available March 12-May 28



Pk 18 per flat 13.0 oz 384 ml per unit



Purslane Magenta (shown) Scarlet, Yellow



Zinnia Zahar



Hypoestes Pink (shown), Red, White



Gypsophilia



Mexican Heather



Fillers:

Build the bridge between

the tall, bold accents and

visual balance to the pot.

the cascading or spiller

plants. Fillers add lush

shape, texture, and

Accents that cascade over the container and soften its edges while connecting the

Spillers:

Vinca Vine 2 colors



Coleus Raspberry Tart (shown) 9 varieties



Sweet Potato Vine 4 varieties



Grasses Optical(shown) 9 varieties



Spikes



Sprengeri



Melapodium



Assorted Ivy 6 varieties



Licorice White (shown) Licorice Petite



Wandering Jew 2 varieties Purple, Red



Goldilocks Lysmachia



Lamium White Nancy



BEDDING ANNUALS & VEGETABLES



6/06 Bedding Annuals
Item # 250
Available March 12-June 5

Ageratum Alyssum Begonia Green Celosia Coleus Cosmos Dahlia Dianthus **Dusty Miller** Gazania **Impatiens** Lobelia Marigold Moss Rose Nicotiana **Pansies** Petunia Salvia Snap Dragon Stock Torenia Verbena Vinca Viola Zinnia



8/04 Fruit/Vegetables Pk 4 Item # 258 Available April 16-May 21





Assorted Veggies

Beans-Broccoli **Brussel Sprouts** Cabbage Cantaloupe Cauliflower Celery Cucumber Eggplant Greens -Kale Kohlrabi Lettuce, Onion **Pickles** Spinach Squash Sweet Corn Swiss Chard Watermelon Zucchini

Sweet Bell

Better Belle Golden Cal Wonder California Wonder Keystone Giant Green Purple Beauty Red Beauty Yolo Wonder Red

Sweet Non Bell

Banana Sweet Cubanelle Pimento

Hot Peppers

Cayenne Long Slim Habanero Hungarian Hot Jalapeño Poblano Red Chilli Serrano

Tomatoes

Beefmaster Better Boy Better Bush Big Boy Big Beef Celebrity Champion Early Girl Jet Star Jubilee Lemon Boy Patio Pineapple Red Cherry Roma Rutgers Sugar Rush Super Fantastic Sweet 100's Yellow Pear



Item # 258 Available April 16-May 21

PREMIUM ANNUALS 5" PK 8

Angelonia Archangel
Caladium limited
Coleus Flame Thrower
Dahlia Dahlietta
Dahlia City Lights
Dragon Wing Begonia
Fiesta Double Impatiens
Fuchsia Upright- Sunbeam
Gerbera Daisy
Geranium Cut
Geranium - Ivy
Gryphon Begonia
Kong Coleus
Lantana
New Guinea Impatiens

Sun Plants in Terracotta Pots Shade Plants in Grey Pots



Non-stop Begonia Osteospermum Petunia Portulaca-Sunpatiens -Thunbergia Whopper Begonia

5" pk 8 Premium Shade Annuals





Check order form on line for current availability!

4" Backyard Classic vegetables & Herbs Grown for generations!



Red Pots Herb Item #718 Orange Pots Heirloom Item #697

4" Diameter Pot (1.00 pt/473ml)

Color coded to make easy to create attractive and organized display. Great for guests to locate plants quickly! Saves labor time in blocking benches.

6 Pack allows for more diverse inventory.



Flat Talker is easy to read and help your patron pick the right



QR Code, scan with phone to bring patron to great website with recipes, growing tips.



6 pack with Flat Talker Tag Available March 27-May 29

confidence to buy!

 Flat Talkers gives customers
 Broad selection of hybrid & heirloom fruits and vegetables.

Tried and true varieties that ensure success

BYC Heirloom Varieties BYC Herbs

Tomatoes

Amish Paste Aunt Ruby's German Green Black Krim Box Car Willie Brandywine Red Cherokee Purple Garden Peach German Johnson Giant Belgium Japanese Black Trifele Matt's Wild Cherry Mortgage Lifter Principle Borghese Rutger Sausage Tigerella

Peppers - Hot

Bulgarian Carrot Hot Portugal Maule's Red Hot

Peppers - Sweet

Antohi Romanian Corno Di Toro Greek Pepperoncini - NEW Jimmy Nardello's Tollie's Sweet

Quality

Arugula - NEW Basil, Cinnamon Basil, Everleaf Tower Basil, Holy Basil, Red Rosie Basil, Sweet Genovese Basil, Sweet Large Leaf Basil, Sweet Queen of Sheeba Catnip Chamomile Chives, Garlic Chives, Grass Onion Cilantro, (Coriander) Dill, Fernleaf Fernleaf, Lavender Lavender, Ellegance Purple Lemon Balm Lemon Grass

Marjoram, Sweet Mint, Pineapple
Mint, Peppermint
Mint, Chocolate
Mint, Mojito
Oregano, Greek Oregano, Greek
Oregano, Hot n Spicy
Parsley, Curled
Parsley, Italian Flat Leaf
Rosemary, Prostrate
Sage, Garden
Sage, Golden
Sage, Purple Stevia Tall Curry Tarragon, Russian Thyme, French Thyme, Golden Lemon

CLASSICS BACKYARD

BYC Vegetables Beans, Carson Yellow - NEW Beans, Derby Green Beans, Derby Green Broccoli, Desitiny Brussel Sprouts, Jade Cross Cabbage, Chinese Sweet Thang Cabbage(early)Fast Vantage Cabbage (late)Bravo Cabbage Red Acre Collards, Flash - NEW Cucumber - Speedway Cucumber, Marketmore Eggplant, Black Beauty Eggplant, Patio Baby - NEW Lettuce - Leaf

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BYC Vegetables Lettuce, Head Lettuce, Romaine
Muskmelon, Ambrosia
Muskmelon, Hale's Best - NEW
Onion, Yellow Sweet Spanish
Peas, Sugar Snap - NEW
Pickles, Homemade
Squash, Acorn - NEW
Squash, Butternut -NEW
Squash, Bomsdale
Swiss Chard, Bright Lights
Watermelon, Crimson Sweet
Watermelon, Sugar Baby
Zucchini, Black Beauty Lettuce, Romaine Zucchini, Black Řeauty

BYC Tomatoes
Beefmaster
Better Boy Better Boy
Big Beef
Big Boy
Celebrity
Dark Star
Early Girl
Golden Girl
Health Kick
Mountain Pride
Patio
Red Cherry Red Cherry Red Grape Roma San Marzano Sun Sugar Super Steak Sweet 100 Sweet Casady Wisconsin 55

BYC Peppers - Hot

Anaheim Carolina Reaper Cayenne Durango Garden Salsa Habnero Hungarian Yellow Jalapeno Nemex Big Jim Pablano Sriracha

Super Chili BYC Peppers - Sweet Baron Red Better Bell

Big Bertha Chocolate Beauty Golden Summer Marconi Shishito

California Wonder Cubanelle Gypsy Purple Beauty Snackabelle Red



BACKYARD CLASSICST

Living Salad Bowl



- 14" bowl 3.4 gallons (12.87 l)
- · Large Informative tag
- Great for people with limited space
- 5 great recipes, two with herbs, one kale one arugula

A unique impulse item

48 to a shelf



The Living Salad Bowl is an eclectic mix of popular herbs and lettuces growing in a large patio bowl.

When placed in a convenient, sunny location and kept well-watered, the Living Salad Bowl will continue to grow all summer providing a full season of fresh salads!



How Valuable is a Backyard Vegetable Garden?

200-400 Square feet is a good size garden for the intermediate gardener with a hectic schedule. It will yield adequate fresh produce for three to four people throughout spring, summer, and fall. You will have some produce left for preservation and canning. Two to three hours of work a week will be sufficient, with more time needed at the end of summer for preservation.

8" BYC Vegetable & Herbs

Great product for new gardener or the instant gratification crowd. Fruit will come earlier, so more time to enjoy!

We offer 8" Backyard Classic in great tasting **Tomato's**,

Peppers, Vegetables and Herbs

Item #699 or #6993 Available April 17- May 22



BYC Container Garden

Item 747

Available May 14-28



Container Garden allows limited space patrons the ability to grow their own healthy food

Cage supports tomato plants and works great to move container around for sun and watering.

Produces great tasting tomatoes faster.

Offer cherry, slicer or paste type fruit.

PERENNIALS & MORE



Qt. pk 12 & #1 Pot Assorted Daylilies Item #822 Qt Item #797 #1 Pot



Qt. pk 12 **Assorted Perennials** Item #820



Qt. pk 12 & #1 Pot **Assorted Hostas** Item #824 Qt, #798 #1 Pot



Creeping Phlox 5" Container Item #8073 5" 807 #1 Pot Available Mar 20-April 20



#1 Pot **Assorted Perennials** Item #806

Perennials Avail Mar 12-June 12

We have worked hard to select the most popular varieties proven to perform well in the garden, assuring you the best selection for your guests.



#1 Pot Asiatic Lily Item #8063



Ornamental Grass



5" Citronella pk 8 Item #585 Available May 1-28

#1 Pot & 4" Lemon Grass Item # 718 4" pk 6 Item # 800 #1 Pot Available April 30-June 4

Natural Pest Deterrent Products

Variety lists available upon request or refer to the order form





HELPING GARDEN CENTERS SUCCEED

Since 1946 **Providing Quality**

Bedding Baskets Containers Potted Annuals Succulents

Vegetables Herbs Perennials





