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Lysimachia punctata Golden Alexander

Breeder: David Tristram, Tim Crowther
Protection status: EU: PVR granted EU15929
US: US Plant Patent number 13,547
Canada: registered with COPF
New Zealand: PVR application filed (number HOM221)

Characteristics:

Golden Alexander is a sport of well-known variety Lysimachia Alexander. Golden Alexander has stable, variegated foliage with gold margins and yellow summer flowers. It is slightly more compact than Alexander and the foliage does not seem to have the drawstring effect of the white margined parent. The plant is upright, vigorous, and non-invasive. High tolerance of a wide range conditions makes this an ideal garden plant.

Golden Alexander can be used as an accent plant, in the perennial border or in a container. The foliage is also useful in floristry.

Hardiness: USDA zones 5 – 10 (minimum temperature -25 Celsius)
Bloom: rich yellow, from June to September.
Foliage: mid green with broad gold margin. Pink tinted young growths in spring.
Habit: compact and upright. 75cm/30" high.
Propagation: cuttings.
Note: a licence is required for propagation.
Culture: sun or part shade. Any soil that is not very dry.

Additional information:

Lysimachia punctata Golden Alexander has already been launched on both sides of the Atlantic. It makes an excellent impulse purchase plant in pot sizes ranging from 1.5 litre to 3 litre, and can be grown in larger containers for specimen sales.

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Left: 3 litre container specimen.

Below: a mature plant in the garden. Note how the flowers combine well with the foliage. Also note that, unlike *Lysimachia Alexander*, the foliage does not burn in bright sun.



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