

# Elite Performer Trial 2003 *by FloraStar*

## Greenhouse performance

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### *Merit Award*

## MiniFamous Lavender Calibrachoa –

### *Selecta First Class*

- Very attractive flower color
- Generally flowers well on top of the basket
- Medium vigor
- Good growth habit
- Slightly more prone to microelement deficiency at high pH

#### Culture Information:

MiniFamous Lavender can easily be produced in both 4.5 inch containers with one cutting per pot as well as hanging baskets with 4 cuttings per basket. To promote even branching, if necessary pinch the cuttings at planting.

#### *Fertilizer:*

200 ppm of nitrogen with every watering.

*Note:* Calibrachoa grow best at pH below 6.0.

#### *Plant Growth Regulators in our trials:*

4.5 inch containers – Spray 1 week after planting or pinch with 2500 ppm B-Nine, and drench 3 weeks after B-Nine spray with 1 ppm Sumagic.

Baskets – Spray 3 weeks after planting or pinch with 2500 ppm B-Nine.

All plant growth regulator rates depend on temperature during production. For northern or early southern production, using half of this rate may provide effective control.