

BEE BALM

MONARDA DIDYMA

PLANT CHARACTERISTICS

Size

2-4' high, 2-3' wide

Sun/Shade

Full sun to Part Shade

Water

Medium

Maintenance

Medium

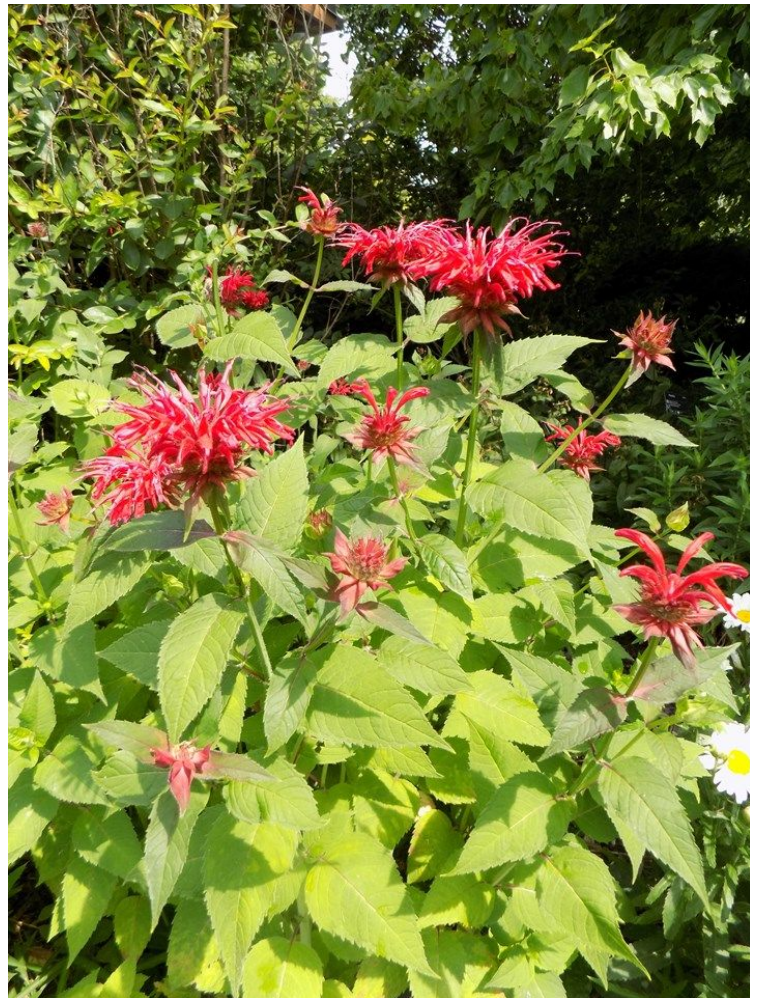
Life Span

Herbaceous Perennial, Zones 4-9

Description

This native plant features tubular, two-lipped, bright scarlet-red flowers that bloom for about 8 weeks from early/mid-summer to late summer. Attractive to bees, hummingbirds, and butterflies. Powdery mildew can be a serious problem. If the soil is allowed to dry out, the stressed plant can be susceptible to disease. Deer and rabbits tend to avoid this plant.

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