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SECOND NATURE



**Dalaya® Yogi Dahlia**  
*Dahlia 'KLEDH11031'*

Height: 16 inches

Spread: 16 inches

Sunlight: ☉ ●

Hardiness Zone: (annual)

**Description:**

Stunning bi-color blooms on a well branched plant with an exceptional habit; this series is early to flower and slow to fade, providing vivid color in the garden or landscape all season long

**Ornamental Features**

Dalaya Yogi Dahlia features showy lilac purple daisy flowers with yellow eyes and cherry red centers at the ends of the stems from mid to late summer. The flowers are excellent for cutting. Its pointy leaves remain green in colour throughout the season.

**Landscape Attributes**

Dalaya Yogi Dahlia is an herbaceous annual with an upright spreading habit of growth. Its medium texture blends into the garden, but can always be balanced by a couple of finer or coarser plants for an effective composition.

This plant will require occasional maintenance and upkeep, and should be cut back in late fall in preparation for winter. It is a good choice for attracting bees and butterflies to your yard. It has no significant negative characteristics.

Dalaya Yogi Dahlia is recommended for the following landscape applications;

- Mass Planting
- Border Edging
- General Garden Use
- Container Planting



*Dalaya Yogi Dahlia flowers*  
*Photo courtesy of NetPS Plant Finder*

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## Planting & Growing

Dalaya Yogi Dahlia will grow to be about 16 inches tall at maturity, with a spread of 16 inches. Its foliage tends to remain dense right to the ground, not requiring facer plants in front. Although it's not a true annual, this plant can be expected to behave as an annual in our climate if left outdoors over the winter, usually needing replacement the following year. As such, gardeners should take into consideration that it will perform differently than it would in its native habitat.

This plant does best in full sun to partial shade. It does best in average to evenly moist conditions, but will not tolerate standing water. It is not particular as to soil pH, but grows best in rich soils. It is somewhat tolerant of urban pollution. Consider applying a thick mulch around the root zone in winter to protect it in exposed locations or colder microclimates. This particular variety is an interspecific hybrid. It can be propagated by division; however, as a cultivated variety, be aware that it may be subject to certain restrictions or prohibitions on propagation.

Dalaya Yogi Dahlia is a fine choice for the garden, but it is also a good selection for planting in outdoor pots and containers. It is often used as a 'filler' in the 'spiller-thriller-filler' container combination, providing a mass of flowers against which the larger thriller plants stand out. Note that when growing plants in outdoor containers and baskets, they may require more frequent waterings than they would in the yard or garden.