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# **Bidy Gonzales Bidens** Bidens ferulifolia 'Bidy Gonzales'

Height: 12 inches

Spread: 16 inches

Spacing: 14 inches

Sunlight: O

Hardiness Zone: (annual)

Other Names: Beggarticks

## **Description:**

Large bright yellow blooms flower early on this compact-mounded selection; neat habit with ferny green foliage; long blooming, from late spring to mid fall; low maintenance, remove spent flowers to promote new growth

### **Ornamental Features**

Bidy Gonzales Bidens has masses of beautiful yellow daisy flowers at the ends of the stems from late spring to mid fall, which are most effective when planted in groupings. Its tiny deeply cut ferny leaves remain green in color throughout the season.

### Landscape Attributes

Bidy Gonzales Bidens is an herbaceous annual with a mounded form. It brings an extremely fine and delicate texture to the garden composition and should be used to full effect.

This is a relatively low maintenance plant, and should not require much pruning, except when necessary, such as to remove dieback. It is a good choice for attracting butterflies to your yard. It has no significant negative characteristics.

Bidy Gonzales Bidens is recommended for the following landscape applications;



Bidy Gonzales Bidens flowers Photo courtesy of NetPS Plant Finder

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Bidy Gonzales Bidens will grow to be about 12 inches tall at maturity, with a spread of 16 inches. When grown in masses or used as a bedding plant, individual plants should be spaced approximately 14 inches apart. Its foliage tends to remain dense right to the ground, not requiring facer plants in front. Although it's not a true annual, this fast-growing 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 should only be grown in full sunlight. It is very adaptable to both dry and moist growing conditions, but will not tolerate any standing water. It is considered to be drought-tolerant, and thus makes an ideal choice for a low-water garden or xeriscape application. It is not particular as to soil type or pH. It is highly tolerant of urban pollution and will even thrive in inner city environments. This is a selected variety of a species not originally from North America. It can be propagated by cuttings; however, as a cultivated variety, be aware that it may be subject to certain restrictions or prohibitions on propagation.

Bidy Gonzales Bidens 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 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.