

# EMORY KNOLL FARMS

## SEDUM KAMTSCHATICUM

Sedum kamtschaticum is well known in the industry as a staple plant for extensive green roofs, with good reason. It reliably withstands a wide variety of conditions commonly found on green roofs, and is one of the most drought-tolerant species ever tested. It grows quickly into a dense cushion of fleshy foliage that appears mounded, adding some dimension to the roofscape. Large yellow flowers form a carpet in midsummer. Sedum kamtschaticum maintains its leaves at the beginning of the colder weather, turning pinkish to red before dropping its foliage in the coldest months. Dried flower stalks and stems remain through the winter, but new growth is early to emerge in the spring. Green rosettes persist through the winter underneath the previous year's growth. Also an excellent choice for planting on walls. This plant is tolerant of light shade, but must receive sun during the day.

### CHARACTERISTICS

Foliage Color: Green

Flower Color: Yellow

Bloom Time: Midsummer

Winter Interest: Red Fall color  
Small red rosettes in winter



### BOTANICAL INFORMATION

Place of Origin: Ural Mountains to Mongolia

Hardiness Zone: 4

Height: 6" Spread: 8" per year

Self-sowing: No

Light Requirement: Full sun  
Shade tolerant

Plant Use: Groundcover



### PLANT SIZE

Deep nursery plug  
3" deep x 1.5" across at the top

### PLANT SPACING

Typically planted at 2-3 plugs  
per square foot

### PLANTING MEDIUM

Green Roof Growing Medium  
4" Min. Depth



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