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This superb compact selection of the variegated dogwood has a dense plant form and fine textured foliage. The great advantage of Ivory Halo® over regular growing forms of variegated dogwoods is it can be planted in smaller spaces in the landscape. This shrub requires much less pruning and attained a height of only 90 cm after 5 years in our tests. The variegated foliage brightens up a shady area and the red twigs in the winter are attractive. There have been many reports stating that this cultivar does not produce seed. Dogwoods such as Ivory Halo® are ideally suited to shaded areas or full sun and prefer moist growing conditions..

Botanical Name: *Cornus alba* 'Bailhalo'

Family: *Cornaceae*

Common Name: Ivory Halo® Dogwood

Origin: Developed at Bailey Nurseries, St. Paul, MN..

Hardiness: Zones 3 - 7 (Canadian and USDA)

Growth Rate: A slow to medium growing plant developing into a compact and dense shrub.

Description: This dogwood has a dense, compact plant form and fine textured foliage. The variegated foliage brightens up a shady area and the red twigs in the winter are attractive. This shrub requires much less pruning and attained a height of only 90 cm (3') after 5 years in our tests. A mature height of 150-175 cm (5-6') and a spread of 200-250 cm (7-8') can be expected in 15-20 years. Reported seedless.

Culture: Performs well in shaded to full sun areas. It is adaptable to a wide range of soil types and growing conditions but prefers moist growing conditions.

Pest and Disease: No specific problems.

Landscape Value: Use in mass plantings, in borders or alone in smaller landscapes.

Propagation: Softwood cuttings by license only.

Sales Potential: Ivory Halo® Dogwood has a finer textured, more compact form that lends it to use in smaller areas. Excellent for home gardens and commercial landscapes.

Production: Propagation by licensed growers. Protected by Canadian P.B.R. applied for and U.S.P.P. #8722. COPF Royalty of 45 cents per plant.

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