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# Abutilon 'Veronica Tennant'

*Abutilon vitifolium* 'Veronica Tennant'

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*Abutilon* (*Abutilon vitifolium*):

Abutilon vitifolium is a large and attractive shrub. It can grow up to 8m high and 5m wide. A great space filler if you have a blank area of the garden. The leaves are dark green and look rather like maple-leaves. The saucer-shaped flowers grow in abundance all over the plant and are purple in colour. It grows well in most conditions as long as it gets some sun, although partial shade is fine. The flowers are edible and are slightly sweet. They'll make an unusual addition to a summer salad. It's easy to grow and gets established quickly.



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Plant	Environment	Usage
<b>Known dangers?</b> no	<b>Acidity</b> Acidic Neutral	<b>Standard category</b> Trees & shrubs Shrubs
<b>Height [m]</b> 2.5 - 4	<b>Hardiness zone</b> Z8-9	<b>Grown for</b> Attractive Flowers
<b>Spread [m]</b> 1.5 - 2.5	<b>Heat zone</b> H9-8	<b>Creative category</b> Kid Approved For Beginners Colours Show-offs For birds & bees Author's choice
<b>Dominant flower colour</b> Pink	<b>Winter temperatures [°C]</b> -12 - -1	<b>Garden type</b> Containers

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<b>Flower Fragrance</b> No, neutral please	<b>Heat days</b> 90 - 150	<b>Garden spaces</b> Walls, trellises and pergolas Borders
<b>Flowering seasons</b> Early summer Mid summer Late summer	<b>Moisture</b> well-drained well-drained but frequently watered	<b>Gardening expertise</b> beginner
<b>Foliage in spring</b> Green	<b>Soil type</b> sandy loams	<b>Time to reach full size</b> up to 10 years
<b>Foliage in summer</b> Green	<b>Sun requirements</b> Full sun	
<b>Foliage in Autumn</b> Green	<b>Exposure</b> Sheltered	
<b>Awards?</b> Yes, let it smell		
<b>Propagation methods</b> Greenwood cuttings softwood cuttings seed		
<b>Growth habit</b> Bushy		