

# Armand clematis

*Clematis armandii*

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This description is for *Armand clematis (Clematis armandii)*:

**Shape up, prune hard! You need to get this fragrant clematis well trained to get the best out of it.**

*Clematis armandii* is also known as Armand clematis. This is a fast climber with delicate white flowers that have a lovely scent similar to hawthorn blossom. It was originally discovered in China by the famous plant hunter Ernest Wilson and introduced into England in 1900. This is a tender variety and so is best suited to a sunny sheltered position out of the wind. Frost damage will turn the leaves an unattractive brown colour. After flowering, remove any dead growth, other than this it requires no further pruning. They are also quite prone to disease and pest damage. Not really a clematis for a beginner.



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Plant	Environment	Usage
<b>Known dangers?</b> yes	<b>Acidity</b> Neutral Alkaline	<b>Standard category</b> Climbers
<b>Dangers: comments</b> Avoid eating this plant, or you may have mild stomach upset. Its sap may irritate your skin.	<b>Hardiness zone</b> Z7-11	<b>Grown for</b> None

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<b>Height [m]</b> 3 - 5	<b>Heat zone</b> H9-7	<b>Creative category</b> Fine fragrants For Beginners Colours Show-offs For birds & bees Roses & classics Author's choice
<b>Spread [m]</b> 2 - 3	<b>Winter temperatures [°C]</b> -18 - 4	<b>Garden spaces</b> Walls, trellises and pergolas Camouflage
<b>Dominant flower colour</b> White	<b>Heat days</b> 60 - 150	<b>Gardening expertise</b> beginner
<b>Flower Fragrance</b> Yes, let it smell	<b>Moisture</b> well-drained but frequently watered	<b>Time to reach full size</b> up to 10 years
<b>Flowering seasons</b> Early spring Mid spring	<b>Soil type</b> sandy Clay chalky loams	
<b>Foliage in spring</b> Green	<b>Sun requirements</b> Full sun	
<b>Foliage in summer</b> Green	<b>Exposure</b> Sheltered	
<b>Foliage in Autumn</b> Green		
<b>Foliage in winter</b> Green		
<b>Propagation methods</b> semi-ripe cuttings layering Hardwood cuttings		
<b>Growth habit</b> Climbing		