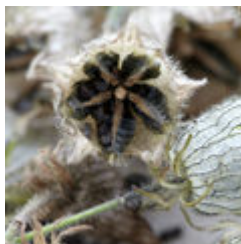


Hibiscus

Hibiscus Also known as: **Rose of Sharon**

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This description is for *Hibiscus (Hibiscus)*:

If the Hibiscus was a person, it would spend hours doing its makeup and worrying that its' shoes didn't match its' handbag.

There are hundreds of species in the hibiscus genus. They're known for their bright showy funnel shaped flowers and are native to warmer, tropical climates. Hibiscus come in many sizes, from small plants to shrubs and trees. They have oval leaves that usually have a toothed edge. The flowers come in all sorts of colours, including red, yellow, pink white and orange and purple and are between 4cm and 18cm in diameter. With some species, the colour of the flowers changes with age. Hibiscus flowers are often used to make a tea and they can also be candied to create an attractive garnish for dishes.



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Plant	Environment	Usage
Known dangers? no	Acidity Neutral Alkaline	Standard category Trees & shrubs Shrubs
Height [m] 15	Hardiness zone Z4-11	Grown for Attractive Flowers

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Spread [m] 3	Heat zone H8-3	Creative category Kid Approved For Beginners Colours Show-offs Neighbour repellent Roses & classics
Dominant flower colour Violet	Winter temperatures [°C] -34 - 4	Garden type Cottage garden Coastal Containers City
Flower Fragrance No, neutral please	Heat days 7 - 120	Garden spaces Flower beds Hedges and screens Borders
Flowering seasons Early summer Mid summer Late summer	Moisture well-drained well-drained but frequently watered	Gardening expertise beginner
Foliage in summer Green	Soil type sandy Clay chalky loams	Time to reach full size up to 20 years
Propagation methods semi-ripe cuttings Greenwood cuttings layering	Sun requirements Full sun	
Growth habit Branching Dense Upright	Exposure Sheltered	