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Botanical Name: Mesembryanthemum hybrida Hot Pink
Common Names: Pigface, Succulent,
Native: No
Foliage Type: Evergreen
Plant Type: Groundcovers, Succulents & Cacti
Plant Habit: Dense, Prostrate, Spreading

Description:

Tough, evergreen groundcover with greyish green succulent leaves and masses of Hot-Pink daisy-like flowers throughout Spring and Summer. Great for rockeries, coastal gardens and hot spots in the garden where not many other plants would survive. Grows approx. 20cm tall by 1m wide.

Family Name: Aizoaceae

Origin: Africa

Characteristics:

Foliage Colours: Green, Grey

Flower Colours: Pink

Flower Fragrant: No

Flowering Season: Spring, Summer

Fruit: Yes

Requirements:

Growth Rate: Fast

Maintenance Level: Low

Water Usage: Low

Tolerances:

Drought: High

Frost: Moderate

Wind: Moderate

Mature Height: 15-30cm **Position:** Full Sun

Mature Width: 60cm-1m **Soil Type:** Loam, Sandy, Well Drained

Landscape Use(s): Balcony / Roof, Borders / Shrubbery, Coastal Garden, Courtyard, Foliage Feature / Colour, Formal Garden, Groundcover, Low Water Garden, Mass Planting, Rockery, Tropical Garden, Container / Pot

Pest & Diseases:

Generally trouble free

Cultural Notes:

Grows best in well-drained positions in full sun. Can grow in part shade but will not flower as well. Trim back runners when required. Feed with a slow release fertiliser.

Plant Care:

Annual slow release fertiliser, Mulch well

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