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Botanical Name: Chamelaucium verticordia Paddys Pink
Common Names: Waxflower,
Native: Yes
Foliage Type: Evergreen
Plant Type: Hedging / Screening, Shrubs
Plant Habit: Rounded, Shrub Like, Upright

Description:

Medium native shrub with fine green needle-like foliage and masses of delightful pink flowers from Winter through to Spring. Perfect for native garden beds, containers and coastal gardens. Great cut flower. Grows approx. 2m tall x 2m wide.

Mature Height: 1-2m **Position:** Full Sun, Semi Shade
Mature Width: 1-2m **Soil Type:** Loam, Sandy, Well Drained

Family Name: Myrtaceae
Origin: Australia
Characteristics:
Foliage Colours: Green
Flower Colours: Pink
Flower Fragrant: No
Flowering Season: Spring
Fruit: Insignificant

Requirements:

Growth Rate: Moderate
Maintenance Level: Low
Water Usage: Low

Tolerances:

Drought: Medium / Moderate
Frost: High
Wind: High

Landscape Use(s): Balcony / Roof, Bird Attracting, Borders / Shrubbery, Coastal Garden, Courtyard, Cut Flower, Feature, Fragrant Garden, Habitat, Hedging / Screening, Low Water Garden, Mass Planting, Playgrounds, Rockery, Container / Pot

Pest & Diseases:

Generally trouble free

Cultural Notes:

Prefers a full sun or semi-shade position in a well-drained soil. Tolerates coastal conditions and hot, dry winds. Drought tolerant once established.

Plant Care:

Keep moist during dry periods, Low phosphorus slow release fertiliser, Mulch well

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