

Prairie Winds® 'Apache Rose' Switch Grass

Panicum virgatum

A sturdy, durable ornamental grass that withstands adverse weather conditions. Grey-green leaves form a strictly upright, dense clump. Rose-colored flower panicles and leaf tips in fall. This is one of the easiest ornamental grasses to grow in full sun! Top reasons to grow Prairie Winds Apache Rose- Foliage Interest; Fall Interest; Winter Interest; Drought Tolerant; Salt Tolerant; Erosion Control

Resists: Deer

CHARACTERISTICS

Plant Type: Perennial

Height Category: Medium

Garden Height: 48 Inches 1.2m

Spacing: 30 Inches 76cm

Spread: 30 Inches 76cm

Flower Colors: Pink/Tan

Flower Shade: Rose

Foliage Colors: Green

Foliage Shade: Gray-green

Habit: Upright

Container Role: Thriller

PLANT NEEDS

Light Requirement:

Sun

The optimum amount of sun or shade each plant needs to thrive: Full Sun (6+ hours), Part Sun (4-6 hours), Full Shade (up to 4 hours).

Maintenance Category: Easy

Bloom Time: Late Summer

Hardiness Zones: 4a, 4b, 5a, 5b, 6a, 6b, 7a, 7b, 8a, 8b, 9a, 9b

Water Category: Average

Soil Fertility Requirement: Average Soil; Fertile Soil; Poor Soil

Soil PH Category: Acidic Soil; Neutral Soil

Uses: Border Plant; Container; Cut Flower; Dried Flower; Landscape; Mass Planting; Specimen or Focal Point

Maintenance Notes: One of the easiest ornamental grasses to grow in full sun. Does well in any soil from sand to clay. Cut back in spring before new growth appears. It is a warm season grass, so dig and divide in spring or summer, while the plant is in an active growth pattern.

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