

Pinkerella Hydrangea



Pinkerella blooms reliably on new wood, so even an unexpected late freeze won't ruin your chances of seeing new flowers that year.



Hydrangea arborescens 'Pinkerella'

- **Use:** Glorious pink! Large clusters appear mid July to late summer and retain their colour straight through the season – and beyond; dry flowers long past the growing season remain just as pink. You'll find it's easy to care for, as it's a cultivar of our native *arborescens* and produces nice clean foliage in North American gardens. It's great in a hedge, a long-lasting perennial accent and a delight in a large patio pot. Feature it in fresh arrangements and the strong stems will keep the blooms standing tall. Or use it in a dried arrangement for a vintage accent that'll last months and months.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Plant in a sunny, well-drained spot; some early afternoon shade is beneficial in hot southern regions. Prune in late winter or early spring. Soil pH does not affect flower color.
- **Growth:** Fast-growing to 4-5 feet high; equal width in only 3 –4 years. Plant 6' apart.
- **Hardiness:** Zone 3-9 Shrub
- **Foliage:** Deciduous. Coarsely toothed, glossy, dark-green leaves.
- **Flower:** It blooms in mid to late summer, and has a beautiful colorway from the moment it blooms to the day it finally dries, without ever going murky or dull. You won't have to deadhead either, the dried flower heads are a beautiful accent in the winter garden. Native.

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