## Comtesse de Bouchard Clematis







## Clematis 'Comtesse de Bouchard'

- <u>Use:</u> "Queen of the climbers." Clematis are prized for their incredible flowers, most as large as your hand. Will train onto trellises, fences, or arch over doorways. Stunning when used alone or when several colors are mixed. Just make sure it's roots are in a fairly cool and shaded location. This cultivar is one of the best blooming pinks on the market.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Full sun–shade (not deep shade); Water regularly, when top 3" of soil is dry. Prefers to have its roots shaded and its flowers in the sun. Use slow release fertilizer twice a year. Once established needs only occasional water.
- <u>Growth</u>: Fast grower to 8 feet long, but still compact enough to be grown in a container. Pruning group 3. It blooms on old and new wood, so prune as often or as fully as you like to promote reblooming.
- Hardiness: Zone 4-9; Perennial, Vine
- Foliage: Deciduous. Delicate green foliage grows quickly.
- **Flowers:** A profusion of large, brilliant pink blooms with soft yellow centers. A beautiful flowering groundcover or climber for arbors, fences or onto tall shrubs. An excellent choice for small spaces.

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