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Armeria 'Bees' Ruby'





Height: 15cm Spread: 30cm











FEATURES:

- Forms a tight, tufted mound of ornamental, grass-like foliage for year round interest.
- Long flowering perennial topped with masses of globe shaped, deep cerise coloured flowers through much of the year with main flush in spring.
- Low maintenance and easy to grow.
- Dry tolerant once established.

SUGGESTED USES:

- Edging garden beds, paths, drives etc.
- •Small gardens or spaces.
- Containers.
- Rockeries, mixed borders and general aarden use.
- Fast results for new gardens.
- Coastal regions.

CULTURAL CARE

Grows well in full sun in most soil types given good drainage. Low watering requirements withstanding some dryness but should be watered regularly during extended periods of heat. No pruning required although trimming off spent flowers will encourage further flushes. An application of a slow release fertiliser in late winter is recommended.

With garden spaces decreasing, and some confined to container gardens alone, armerias are compact enough to squeeze between larger shrubs and perennials and grow well in containers. The leafless long flower stems make very contemporary floral displays and last well as cut flowers. The attractive foliage comprises of broader leaves than normally found in this family providing an interesting, textural presence year round. Ideal companions could include - Erodium 'Marchants Purple', Rhodantheum 'African Eyes' and Salvias 'Imapact Purple' and 'Aztec Blue'.



