Big Momma™ Rose

Rosa 'Meitafnah'



Big Momma Rose flowers
Photo courtesy of NetPS Plant Finder

Height: 6 feet

Spread: 4 feet

Sunlight:

Hardiness Zone: 5b

Group/Class: Hybrid Tea Rose

Description:

A stunning, big pink selection with a high petal count, that is very fragrant with a strong fruity scent; robust, very glossy green foliage is disease resistant and attractive; makes a nice cutting rose

Ornamental Features

Big Momma Rose features showy fragrant fully double pink flowers at the ends of the branches from late spring to mid fall. The flowers are excellent for cutting. It has dark green deciduous foliage. The glossy oval compound leaves turn yellow in fall.

Landscape Attributes

Big Momma Rose is a multi-stemmed deciduous shrub with an upright spreading habit of growth. Its average texture blends into the landscape, but can be balanced by one or two finer or coarser trees or shrubs for an effective composition.

This shrub will require occasional maintenance and upkeep, and is best pruned in late winter once the threat of extreme cold has passed. It is a good choice for attracting bees to your yard. It has no significant negative characteristics.

Big Momma Rose is recommended for the following landscape applications;

- Accent
- Mass Planting
- Hedges/Screening
- General Garden Use

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60 Turnpike Rd (Route 1)
Ipswich, MA 01938
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Wolf Hill Gloucester
104 Eastern Ave
Gloucester, MA 01930
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Planting & Growing

Big Momma Rose will grow to be about 6 feet tall at maturity, with a spread of 4 feet. It tends to fill out right to the ground and therefore doesn't necessarily require facer plants in front, and is suitable for planting under power lines. It grows at a fast rate, and under ideal conditions can be expected to live for approximately 30 years.

This shrub should only be grown in full sunlight. It does best in average to evenly moist conditions, but will not tolerate standing water. It is not particular as to soil type or pH. It is highly tolerant of urban pollution and will even thrive in inner city environments. This particular variety is an interspecific hybrid.