

**Ebb Tide Rose***Rosa 'Ebb Tide'*

Height: 4 feet

Spread: 4 feet

Sunlight:

Hardiness Zone: 4a

Group/Class: Floribunda Rose

Description:

This outstanding floribunda is a carefree continuous bloomer throughout the season and even into the first frost; a lovely spicy clove fragrance will greet you along walkways and borders as you look upon the stunning smokey purple full double blooms

Ornamental Features

Ebb Tide Rose features showy lightly-scented fully double purple flowers with dark red overtones at the ends of the branches from late spring to early fall. The flowers are excellent for cutting. It has dark green deciduous foliage which emerges burgundy in spring. The glossy oval compound leaves do not develop any appreciable fall color.

Landscape Attributes

Ebb Tide 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. Gardeners should be aware of the following characteristic(s) that may warrant special consideration;

- Insects
- Disease

Ebb Tide Rose is recommended for the following landscape applications;



Ebb Tide Rose flowers
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- Mass Planting
- Hedges/Screening
- General Garden Use

Planting & Growing

Ebb Tide Rose will grow to be about 4 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. 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.