

## Chinese Fringe - Plant



China Pink, Dianthus, Indian Pink, Chinese pink, Rainbow Pink

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Description Easily grown in average, medium moisture, well-drained soil in full sun to part shade. Best flowering occurs in full sun.

**Common name:** China Pink, Dianthus, Indian Pink, Chinese pink, Rainbow Pink

**Color:** red and white

**Bloom time:** May to June

**Height:** 10.00 to 20.00 feet

**Difficulty level:** easy to grow

**Planting & Care**

Loropetalum plants are native to Japan, China and the Himalayas. The plants may be as tall as 10 feet but are usually small trees of 5 feet. The leaves are oval and glossy green, set on stems with crinkly brown bark. Blooms appear in March to April and last for up to two weeks on the stems.

**Sunlight:** Full sun to part shade

**Soil:** well-drained soil

**Water:** Medium

**Temperature:** -5 or -6F

**Fertilizer:** Apply any organic fertilizer

**Care:**

- The plants may be pruned to keep them in a smaller size.
- Pruning is done in early spring and a light application of slow-release fertilizer right around the same time will enhance the plant's health.
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**Special Feature:**

Grow in groups or as specimens in lawns or in shrub or woodland borders. Also may be sited near streams or ponds. Can be spectacular in full

bloom.

Use

**Ornamental use:**

- The plant is used for ornamental purpose.
- Its generally kep indoor in living room and in terrac area.
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**Note:**

No serious insect or disease problems. Some susceptibility to mites, scale and borers. Watch for leaf spots, canker and powdery mildew. Plants sold in commerce may not be identified as either male or female.

**Reference:**

<http://www.missouribotanicalgarden.org/> <http://www.flowersofindia.net/> <http://www.gardeningknowhow.com/>