

## Mussaenda ( Red ) - Plant



Mussaenda, mussaenda bushes are evergreens in the rubiaceae family that bloom from spring to fall in mild-winter areas.

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## Description for Mussaenda ( Red )

**Plant height:** 11 - 17 inches

**Plant spread:** 4 - 6 inches

Winter hardy to USDA Zones 10-11 where it is best grown in fertile, organically rich, medium moisture, well-drained soils in full sun. In St. Louis, grow plants in pots/containers that are overwintered indoors in bright sunny rooms as houseplants.

**Common name(s):** Mussaenda ( Red ),Mussaenda,Mussaenda, Ashanti Blood, Red Flag Bush, Tropical Dogwood, Mussaenda Red Single,Mussaenda Single Lal, Bedina, Hanu rei, Vellaiyilai, Mithai Phool,Mussaenda incana (Dwarf Mussaenda),Mussaenda &apos;Queen Sirikit&apos;, Mussaenda &apos;Capricorn Dream&apos;.

**Flower colours:** it comes in various colors:-Red,white,yellow,pink

**Bloom time:** Flowers freely

**Max reachahble height:** 2.00 to 6.00 feet

**Difficulty to grow::** easy to grow

## Planting and care

Tecoma capensis, commonly known as cape honeysuckle, is a flowering, versatile evergreen that is suitable as a climbing vine, border plant, shrub or ground cover. It blooms in clusters of tubular, red-orange flowers that are about 2 inches in length in the late summer, fall and winter.

**Sunlight:** Full sun

**Soil:** well-drained soil

**Water:** Medium

**Temperature:** 20 C to 30C

**Fertilizer:** Apply any organic fertilizer

## Caring for Mussaenda

- Train a climbing vine cape honeysuckle plant on a trellis or other supporting object using plant ties to support the vines.
- To maintain the shape of shrubs, prune long or unruly branches back to a side branch or bud with sharp pruning shears.
- Cut off old, damaged or dead branches at their base and remove them.

## Typical uses of Mussaenda

**Special features:** Popular plants in southern Florida and California where they are often planted as specimens, massed in gardens and shrub borders or planted as informal hedges or screens.

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

## References

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