



Verbena bonariensis

# **Vanity**

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- Compact sister of Finesse<sup>®</sup>
- Long flowering season until frost
- Suitable for borders, containers and landscaping
- Well-branched, rain and heat tolerant plants
- Optimal storage: up to 6 months at 5 °C / 41 °F

#### **Technical Guide: Click here**

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Crop Time	Spring: 12 - 14 weeks
Height ∅	35 " / 90 cm
Width Ø	20 " / 50 cm
Exposure	Sun - Partial shade
Seed Form	ApeX
Best Uses	Landscape



## **CULTURE GUIDE**

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#### Usage

Border plant, containers, landscape – ideal for mixtures

#### Sowing method

3-5 seeds per plug for 12-19 cm pots, 1-2 seeds per plug for 9-12 cm pots, direct sowing is also possible. Cover the seeds thinly with vermiculite.

#### Germination

Maintain optimal conditions for seedling development, should begin on the day of sowing until root emergence. Expect the emergence of the first seedlings after 14 days. Avoid a high humidity.

#### **Growing on**

Facultative long day plant, flowering more quickly under a long day length. Typical cultivation as a flowering annual that flowers from June to late october.

#### Media

Use a well-drained, pre-fertilized growing substrate with 20-30 % clay. pH 5.8-6.2; E.C. 1.2-1.5. In field Verbena likes a humus, sandy-loamy soil with good drainage

#### **Temperature**

20-22 °C for germinating. The seedlings should be grown at an average temperature of 18 °C.

#### **Fertilization**

Verbena requires a high fertilization level with a weekly dose of nitrogen. Also a good potassium level is important. But avoid high ammonium or nitrogen levels during the growing.



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