



Plant Information

Common Name: Chives
Scientific Name: *Allium schoenoprasum*
Plant Type: Perennial

Physical Characteristics

Height/Spread: 30-50cm height, 10-30cm spread
Growth Rate: Moderate
Flower Color(s): Pink/purple
Foliage Color(s): Green
Bloom Time: Late Spring to Early Summer

Plant Description

Chives are a versatile herb with a mild onion flavor, commonly used in cooking to add a fresh taste to dishes. This perennial plant produces attractive pink/purple flowers in late spring to early summer, making it a decorative addition to the garden. Chives are easy to grow and require little maintenance, thriving in well-draining soil and full to partial sunlight. They are not only a valuable culinary herb but also attract beneficial pollinators to the garden. With their low maintenance requirements and multiple uses, chives are a popular choice for both beginner and experienced gardeners in Canada.

Optimal Growing Requirements



Sun: Full Sun to Part Shade



Soil: Well-draining, fertile soil



Water: Moderate Watering



Hardiness Zone(s): Zone 3-9

Maintenance & Care

Maintenance Level: Low
Potential Pests & Diseases: Aphids, thrips, onion maggots

Additional Information

Special Features: Edible herb, attracts pollinators
Common Uses: Culinary herb, border plant

Notes



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