

The bower vine



Pandorea jasminoides, the bower of beauty, bower vine or bower plant, is a species of woody climbing vine in the family Bignoniaceae. It is native to New South Wales and Queensland, Australia. Growing to 8 m (26 ft), it has compound, evergreen leaves, and in spring and summer produces trumpet-shaped flowers which are white or pale pink with a hairy, deep maroon throat, and fragrant. The petals may be 55mm long. It forms large pointed pods filled with papery seeds, and is easy to germinate, having two-lobed dicotyledons. It grows in USDA zones 9 and 10. It usually does not tolerate temperatures below 5 °C (41 °F), especially when young, and must be grown in a cool greenhouse or conservatory. Plants may be placed outside during summer months.

Category: Flowering shrubs

Families: Bignoniaceae

Genus: *Pandorea*

Species: *jasminoides*

Geographical Area of Origin: Oceania

Climatic Zones: Sub-tropical, USDA 10 b (Southern Italy and islands)

Habit: Shrub-climber

Leaves: Evergreen

Colore Foglie: Verde Variegato

Flowering Period: Aprile / Maggio / Giugno / Luglio / Agosto / Settembre / Ottobre

Flower: Tubular

Colore Fiori: Rosa Viola

Favorite soil: Sub-acid / medium acid / Middle-Dough / Medium soil

Water needs: Medium

Light Exposure: Medium shade / Half shade / Full light / Full sun

Form: Wired on stick / Plant on cane / Pyramid

Colore Frutti: Marrone



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Parfumed: yes