## Jasminum polyanthum

### (Winter jasmine, pink jasmine)

Fast growing twining vine with glossy, compound leaves and very fragrant white flowers in late winter and spring, preceded by delicate pink buds. In warmer climates, pink jasmine can be used freely to cover walls and high fences, to grow on arbors, or train up any surface where a verdant cover is desirable. This is especially nice grown around windows, where it can provide a visual frame and where its heavenly scent can waft inside. It can escape from cultivation in subtropical climates and is considered an invasive plant.



Plant Image

## **Landscape Information**

French Name: Jasmin rosé d'hiver

Pronounciation: JAZ-mih-num pol-ee-ANTH-

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Plant Type: Vine

Origin: China

**Heat Zones:** 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10

**Hardiness Zones:** 8, 9, 10, 11

**Uses:** Hedge, Indoor, Container, Reclamation,

Ground cover

### Size/Shape

**Growth Rate:** Fast **Tree Shape:** Upright

Canopy Symmetry: Irregular
Canopy Density: Dense
Canopy Texture: Medium
Height at Maturity: 5 to 8 m
Spread at Maturity: 3 to 5 meters

Time to Ultimate Height: 5 to 10 Years

**Notes** 

Grow it near decks, pools and meditation gardens where its pleasant, sweet scent may be

fully appreciated

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Flower Image

### **Botanical Description**

### **Foliage**

Leaf Arrangement: Opposite

Leaf Venation: Pinnate

Leaf Persistance: Evergreen

Leaf Type: Odd Pinnately compund

Leaf Blade: 5 - 10 cm
Leaf Shape: Lanceolate
Leaf Margins: Entire
Leaf Textures: Smooth
Leaf Scent: No Fragance

Color(growing season): Green Color(changing season): Green

#### **Flower**

Flower Showiness: True Flower Size Range: 3 - 7 Flower Type: Cyme Flower Scent: Pleasant Flower Color: White Seasons: Year Round

#### Trunk

Trunk Susceptibility to Breakage: Generally

resists breakage

Number of Trunks: Multi-Trunked Trunk Esthetic Values: Not Showy

#### Fruit

Fruit Type: Berry

Fruit Showiness: False Fruit Size Range: 1.5 - 3 Fruit Colors: Black

Seasons: Year Round

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Leaf Image

### **Horticulture Management**

#### **Tolerance**

Frost Tolerant: No
Heat Tolerant: Yes
Drought Tolerant: No
Salt Tolerance: Moderate

### Requirements

Soil Requirements: Clay, Loam Soil Ph Requirements: Neutral Water Requirements: Moderate Light Requirements: Full, Part

### Management

Toxity: No

Invasive Potential: No

Susceptibility to Pests and Diseases: Yes Pruning Requirement: Little needed, to

develop a strong structure

Fruit/ Leaves/ Flowers litter: No

Surface Rooting: No Life Span: Less than 25 Edible Parts: None

Plant Propagations: Cutting