



# Crimson Meidiland® Rose\* Rosa 'Meizerbil'

Height: 24 inches

Spread: 4 feet

Sunlight: 

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Hardiness Zone: 4a

Group/Class: Shrub Rose

## **Description:**

This hybrid is a breakthrough in groundcover rose breeding for its resistance to blackspot, controlled habit, and floriferousness; beautiful crimson blooms all season long followed by burgundy-bronze fall foliage as an added bonus



Crimson Meidiland Rose flowers Photo courtesy of NetPS Plant Finder

#### **Ornamental Features**

Crimson Meidiland Rose is bathed in stunning lightly-scented semi-double crimson flowers with gold eyes and white centers at the ends of the branches from late spring to late summer. The flowers are excellent for cutting. It has dark green deciduous foliage. The glossy oval compound leaves turn burgundy in fall.

# **Landscape Attributes**

Crimson Meidiland Rose is a multi-stemmed deciduous shrub with an upright spreading habit of growth. Its average texture blends into the landscape, but can be balanced by one or two finer or coarser trees or shrubs for an effective composition.

This shrub will require occasional maintenance and upkeep, and is best pruned in late winter once the threat of extreme cold has passed. Gardeners should be aware of the following characteristic(s) that may warrant special consideration;

- Disease
- Spiny

Crimson Meidiland Rose is recommended for the following landscape applications;

- Mass Planting
- Border Edging
- General Garden Use
- Groundcover
- Container Planting



### **Planting & Growing**

Crimson Meidiland Rose will grow to be about 24 inches tall at maturity, with a spread of 4 feet. It tends to fill out right to the ground and therefore doesn't necessarily require facer plants in front. It grows at a medium rate, and under ideal conditions can be expected to live for approximately 20 years.

This shrub should only be grown in full sunlight. It does best in average to evenly moist conditions, but will not tolerate standing water. It is not particular as to soil type or pH. It is somewhat tolerant of urban pollution. This particular variety is an interspecific hybrid.

Crimson Meidiland Rose makes a fine choice for the outdoor landscape, but it is also well-suited for use in outdoor pots and containers. With its upright habit of growth, it is best suited for use as a 'thriller' in the 'spiller-thriller-filler' container combination; plant it near the center of the pot, surrounded by smaller plants and those that spill over the edges. It is even sizeable enough that it can be grown alone in a suitable container. Note that when grown in a container, it may not perform exactly as indicated on the tag - this is to be expected. Also note that when growing plants in outdoor containers and baskets, they may require more frequent waterings than they would in the yard or garden.

\* This is a 'special order' plant - contact store for details