



Collection Selection

Mimosa pudica Sensitive Plant

Native to Brazil, this short lived evergreen sub shrub is usually treated as an annual. It is grown for its curiosity value- the fern like leaves close up and droop when touched, usually re-opening within minutes. It has prickly stems and small, fluffy, ball shaped pink flowers in summer.

- ◆ **Prefers full sun. Sensitive to over watering**
- ◆ **Grows 5' tall by 3' wide**
- ◆ **Likes moderately fertile, well draining soil**
- ◆ **Pharmaceutical companies are working to find a medical use for this plant**

