

THE HYDRANGEA GUIDE

Love hydrangeas, but not quite sure how to maximize blooms?
It all starts with knowing what kind of hydrangea you have and then a few quick tips!

BIGLEAF - (Mophead & Lacecap)



Likes: Morning sun, afternoon shade. Moist, well-drained soil.

Bloom: Warmer regions: June-Oct | Cooler regions: July-Oct

Pruning: Only dead stems after green leafy growth appears in spring. Deadhead as needed. No fall pruning.

Zone: 4-8

Colors:  Purple  Blue  Pink  White



Try: Any of the Endless Summer® Collection
Eclipse® Bigleaf Hydrangea

PANICLE



Likes: Best in full sun to part shade. Needs cool fall nights to change bloom color later in the season.

Bloom: July-September

Pruning: Late winter or early spring. Cut stems back by 30-50%.

Zone: 3-8

Colors:  Starts White and ages to Pink or Red



Try: Little Hottie® Panicle Hydrangea or
Berry White® Panicle Hydrangea

OAKLEAF



Likes: Full sun to part shade with well-drained soil.

Bloom: May-July

Pruning: Right after flowering, if needed. Winter-damaged stems may be pruned in early spring.

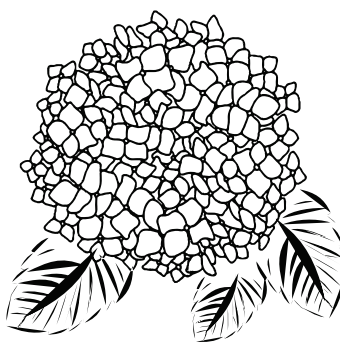
Zone: 5-8

Colors:  Starts white and matures to pink.



Try: First Editions® Jetstream™ Oakleaf Hydrangea

SMOOTH



Likes: Part shade. Will grow in full sun if soil is moist enough.

Bloom: June-August

Pruning: Prune to 1/3 in late winter.

Zone: 3-9

Colors:  White  Pink | Color depends on variety.



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