

AKEBIA quinata

chocolate vine, akebia



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Vigorous semi-evergreen climber with purple scented flowers followed by sausage shaped fruit.



Maintenance advice: Prune at the end of winter if you wish to limit its vegetation. Bring compost to its roots in spring to enhance its vigor if necessary.



Botanical/Horticultural origin: China, Japan, Korea; Introduced by Robert Fortune (UK) 1845



Use group: Climbers



Height at 10 years: 4 m



Width at 10 years: 3 m



Growth: Medium



Fragrance: Yes



Exposure: Sun - Half shade



Evergreen/Deciduous: Semi evergreen



Shape: climbing



Colour of leaves: Green



Colour of flowers: Purplish red



Soil type: Cool to dry



Uses: Climber, Hedge,

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