

Penstemon



Both the diversity and widespread availability of this reliably blooming plant have likely contributed to its popularity. At least one native penstemon can be found in every state in the United States. Many nurseries have introduced new hybrids to the trade, contributing to the expansion of this genus. Because of their variable size and characteristics, penstemons can be planted in a variety of settings creating a bright to pastel display of color, whether used in containers, borders, or mass plantings. As you begin to discover the vast array of penstemons, you soon realize why mild interest may turn into a passion. Hummingbirds can't resist them either.

REQUIREMENTS:

Zones vary by species. Full Sun; Light shade inland. Hardy and native species require very little water; border penstemons need more water. Well drained soil is best for most and essential for the most drought-tolerant. Border penstemons are much more tolerant of heavy soils. Strongly recommend drip irrigation.

Penstemons currently grown at El Nativo Growers, Inc.:

Penstemon 'Apple Blossom'	1-3'H x 1-3'W, Sun, Light Pink
Penstemon 'Alice Hindley'	1-3'H x 1-3' W, Sun, Lavender
Penstemon 'Bev Johnson'	1-3'H x 1-3'W, Sun, Dark Pink/White Throat
Penstemon 'Burgundy Brew'	1-3'H x 1-3'W, Sun, Burgundy/White Throat
Penstemon 'Countess of Dalke'	1-3'H x 1-3'W, Sun, Purplish/White
Penstemon 'Firebird'	1-3'H x 1-3'W, Sun, Red/White
Penstemon 'Garnet'	1-3'H x 1-3'W, Sun, Garnet
Penstemon 'Hidcote Pink'	1-3'H x 1-3'W, Sun, Light Pink/White
Penstemon 'Holly White'	1-3'H x 1-3'W, Sun, White
Penstemon 'Husker Red'	1-5'H (w/stock) x 12-18"W, Sun, White
Penstemon 'Midnight'	1-3'H x 1-3'W, Sun, Dark Purple
Penstemon 'Raven'	1-3'H x 1-3'W, Sun, Dark Burgundy

Penstemon (Continued)



Penstemon 'Bev Johnson'

Penstemon 'Alice Hindley'

Penstemon spectabilis

Penstemons currently grown at El Nativo Growers, Inc.: (continued)

Penstemon 'Sour Grapes'	1-3'H x 1-3'W, Sun, Deep Purple/White
Penstemon centranthifolius	1-2'H x 1'W, Sun, Scarlet
Penstemon eatonii	1-3'H x 1-3'W, Sun, Red
Penstemon heterophyllus	1-2'H x 1'W, Sun/Part Sun, Blue/Purple
Penstemon h. 'Margarita Bop'	1-2'H x 1-3'H, Sun/Partial Sun, Blue/Purple
Penstemon palmeri	4-6'H x 2-3'W, Sun, Light Pink
Penstemon pinifolius	1-2'H x 3-4'W, Sun/Partial Sun, Orange
Penstemon pinifolius 'Yellow'	1-2'H x 3-4'W, Sun/Partial Sun, Yellow
Penstemon psuedospectabilis	3-4'H x 2-4'W, Sun, Pink/Purple
Penstemon spectabilis	2-3'H x 3'W, Sun/Partial Sun, Blue/Purple
Penstemon strictus	1-2'H x 1-2'W, Sun, Dark Blue
Penstemon whippleanus	2-3'H x 2-3'W, Sun, Dark Purple

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