

# FLIRTY GIRL™

*Schizophragma hydrangeoides*

'Minsnow3' ppaf, cbraf

Common name: false hydrangea vine



Landscape Info:	
USDA/AHS zones:	USDA 5-9
Mature height:	40-50' / 12-15.2 m
Exposure:	Part shade
Irrigation:	Average

Features & Benefits:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Close relative of climbing hydrangea with lacecap flowers and showy white sepals.</li> <li>- Faster to produce and earlier to bloom than other <i>Schizophragma</i>.</li> <li>- Shade tolerant – a good choice for climbing up tree trunks or covering walls.</li> </ul>



Cultural info:		
pH Level:	5.6 – 6.2	
Nutrient Needs:	Average	
EC (2:1 extract):	0.6 – 0.9	
Light Level:	Moderate-high	
Watering:	Moderate	
Rooting Out Temp:	65 – 72° F / 18.3 – 22.2° C	
Overwintering Temp:	Polyhouse, no heat (where hardy)	
Sales Window:	All season; early summer bloom	
Blooms On:	Old wood	
Trimming/pruning:	Trim 2-4 times	
Vernalization:	Required	
Vigor Rating:	Average	
Finish Size	Liner Size	Weeks of Active Growth to Finish
1 gallon	2 ¼" • 4" • QT	12-14 • 11-13 • 10-12
2 - 3 gallon	4" • QT	16-18 • 14-16

Grower Tips:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Vigorous vine can be grown various ways, depending on intended customer base:             <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Grow as a rounded plant without support by trimming as needed, usually 2-3 times per season. Allow 4-6 weeks for plants to re-flush for sale. This works best in larger containers and is generally preferred by the landscape/commercial market.</li> <li>2) Add a support (trellis or tripod) at planting time. In this scenario, select 2-4 main stems to train up the support and trim or pinch as needed to encourage full coverage. This is probably best for garden center sales.</li> </ol> </li> <li>• Blooms on old wood – dormant and spring pruning will remove flower buds. Stop trimming by late July to allow flower buds to form for the following year.</li> <li>• Though the plant will fill out the pot reasonably quickly, this plant is best grown and trimmed the first year, overwintered, then sold the following season.</li> <li>• Potting a 2 ¼" liner directly to a 3 gallon can is not recommended.</li> </ul> <p>NOTES:</p>