

Plant Name	Scientific	Common	Family	Date Reviewed 03/24/20
Geranium magniflorum		LA VETA LACE®	Geraniaceae	
Propagation Method		Native to		
Cuttings		Drakensberg Mountains of South Africa.		
Treatments (Suggested procedures)				
Cuttings should be taken from non-flowering plants. Cuttings should be approximately an inch in length and have at least one, preferably two, nodes on each piece. Rooting hormones at a rate of 1:10 can help speed root initiation, which usually occurs in 7 - 10 days. Because the plant tends to produce thin cuttings, it is recommended to not keep the soil too wet, as the stem can rot.				
Collection Timing and Strategies				
Cuttings can be taken anytime the plant is producing vegetative shoots. The stock plants can be sprayed with etrel at 500 ppm to keep from flowering and to keep the foliage shorter so the cuttings don't lay on top of each other in the tray.				
Cultural Information				
Greenhouse conditions				
Do not let the plants stay too wet as root rotting may occur. Except for occasional root rot due to growing conditions, this plant does not have any major insect or disease problems. Placing trays under lights for day length extension will help promote strong development and growth				
Garden conditions				
Plants require moderate irrigation for best garden performance.				
Other Expert Advice				
Plants can be quick to rot if given too much mist. Aphids are a potential problem.				