




PAEONIA peregrina

Peony

Item No.: PA011

Portion Price (sufficient for 50-100 plants)	1g Price (0.1-9.9g)	10g Price (10-99.9g)	100g Price (100-999.9g)	1000g Price (1000-9999.9g)	10000g Price (10000-99999.9g)
9,80€	2,00€	12,00€	96,00€	-	-

Plant Description

Life Cycle	Perennial
Family	Paeoniaceae
Basic Colour	(red / scarlet / purple)
Flower Colour	deep carmine red
Natural Flowering Period	May - June
Winter Hardiness Zones	Z5 - Z10
Height with Flowers	60 cm
Soil Requirements	dry
Location	
Characteristics	solitary plant

Cultivation

Grams per 1000 seeds	142.85714 Gram
Seeds per Gram	7 (does not correspond to the number of plants!)
Gram to get 1000 plants	300 Gram (if sown directly into pots etc. you will need a larger quantity)

Sowing Direction

(6) These seeds germinate extremely late, sometimes it takes one year or longer before germination starts. To best utilize space and avoid drying out, this seed must be “stratified” (placed in layers of wet sand – alternately a thin layer of seeds and a layer of well-moistened sand, etc.). The stratification boxes have to be kept in the shade to benefit from weather effects – especially winter. A fine wire mesh will protect them from mice and birds. Nurseries have found that concrete boxes are useful for large amounts of seed. In spring frequently check to see if germination has begun. When germination has started, the seeds must be sown immediately in the prepared bed with the moist sand.

(10) For these bigger hard-shelled seeds, mechanical damaging of the shell is helpful for quicker swelling. One method is to grind the seed in dry sharp sand. They can also be treated for several hours in a “softener” (Polyethylenglycol 6000), which is used for the production of plastic material.