





LEONTOPODIUM alpinum

Edelweiss

Item No.: LA100

Portion Price (usually sufficient for approx. 50 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)
3,80€	12,00€	86,00€	720,00€	-	-

Plant Description

Life Cycle	Perennial
Family	Asteraceae
Origin	European Mountains
Special Features	Fuzzy grey-green foliage and densely pubescent, pure white star-like flowers. Full sun in cool summer climates to semi-shade elsewhere.
Historical	Who can forget Maria von Trapp (Julie Andrews) and the song, Edelweiss, in the movie, The Sound of Music?
Basic Colour	(white / cream)
Flower Colour	white
Natural Flowering Period	July - September
Winter Hardiness Zones	Z4 - Z7
Foliage	grey-green and fuzzy, white felt-like
Growth Habit	clumping / compact
Height with Flowers	15 cm
Spacing between Plants	20 cm
Soil Requirements	well-drained / average
Location	 
Usage	for the rock garden / suitable for cutting

Cultivation

Grams per 1000 seeds	0.125 Gram
Seeds per Gram	8000 (does not correspond to the number of plants!)
Gram to get 1000 plants	1 Gram (if sown directly into pots etc. you will need a larger quantity)



Sowing Rates/Trays	8 per cell
Plug tray recommended size(s)	128 / 288
Sowing Direction	(4) These are very tiny seeds which should be mixed with finest sand or talcum for an even sowing. Do not cover with compost, only press them in gently. Irrigate from the bottom or with a hand-sprayer, so that the seeds will not be washed away. (15) Rapidly germinating, keep seed in constant moisture (not wet) with temperatures of about +20 °C [68 °F]. Seeds must be covered thinly. Do not cover very small seeds, but tightly press into the earth. Keep in cooler conditions after germination occurs.

Scheduling

Best Sowing Date	Anytime (northern Hemisphere, Field condition)
Sowing to Germination	4 - 8 weeks
Germination to Transplant	4 - 8 weeks
Transplanting to Potting	6 - 10 weeks

Growing On

Container Size(s)	1 plug per 8/9 cm (3 1/2") / 1-2 plugs per 11/12 cm (4 1/2")
Fertilizer	Light (100-150 ppm)