

Conservatory and Half-Hardy

Abutilon 'Fool's Gold'

Flowering Maple. This makes a great long-flowering shrub for a warm wall. Rich gold bell-shaped flowers have distinctive recurved petals. Tolerates moderate frosts.

Abutilon 'Hinton Seedling'

Flowering Maple. A lovely cultivar, flowers with bright yellow petals which burst from an orange calyx. Like other Abutilons this is OK in mild gardens against a warm wall.

Abutilon 'Leila Jackson'

Flowering Maple. A beautiful cultivar with generous quantities of large yellow flowers over a very long period from summer to autumn. For warm sunny borders, in pots, or greenhouse in cold gardens.

Abutilon 'Pink Charm'

A medium sized megapotanicum hybrid with beautiful pink flowers produced all summer. OK in a sheltered sunny position, otherwise grow in a pot.

Acmena smithii

Lilly Pilly . A tender evergreen shrub in the Myrtle family of Australian origin. New growth has a red tinge and white flowers appear in spring-early summer. Red-purple berries may appear on established plants.

Acmena smithii variegated

A tender evergreen shrub in the Myrtle family of Australian origin. Subtle yellow/green variegated leaves. New growth has a red tinge and white flowers appear in spring-early summer. Red-purple berries may appear on established plants.

Adiantum raddianum `Micro-pinnulum`

(Spore raised.) An incredibly dainty fern with very small leaflets (pinnules in fern terminology). These are held on upright stems, which eventually bend over the side of the pot.

Adiantum raddianum 'Fritz Lüthi'

Delta Maidenhair Fern. A very dainty fern for a cool shady spot indoors, and a humid atmosphere.

Agapanthus praecox sp. orientalis

African Lily. Evergreen species with large rounded heads of blue flowers in mid summer. Tender.

Agapanthus praecox ssp. orientalis var. albiflorus

African Lily. Evergreen species with large rounded heads of white flowers in mid summer. Tender.

Agapanthus seedlings from large flowered hybrids

Agapanthus. Seedlings from large flowered (blue or white) hybrids, likely to be not totally hardy.

Ageratum corymbosum

Perennial Ageratum, Butterfly Mist. A rarely offered slightly tender perennial for a sunny border. Long flowering and good for bees!

Aloysia triphylla- Lemon Verbena

Lemon Verbena. Half-hardy shrub with leaves which are sweetly lemon-scented when crushed and can be used for making tea, and cooking.

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Alyogyne huegelii 'Santa Cruz'

A good cultivar with larger pale lilac, Hibiscus-like flowers. A long-flowering shrub from Western Australia, frost tender, but may survive outdoors in mild gardens. Prune back in spring. Makes a large spreading shrub in full sun.

Anredera cordifolia

Madeira Vine. A twining climber growing from underground tubers, producing masses of fresh green foliage and clusters of small white scented flowers in summer.

Araujua sericifera

A twining climber for a conservatory with pinky-white honey-scented flowers, from late summer-autumn.

Argyranthemem 'Cornish Gold'

Half-hardy perennial with masses of bright yellow flowers from summer to autumn.

Arundo donax 'Golden Chain'

Tall-growing reed with strikingly green and yellow leaves. Needs moist soil. Can be bedded out in summer, but needs frost protection in winter. Or use as a tall foliage feature in a conservatory.

Asclepias curassavica

Blood Flower. Tender, evergreen sub shrub with bright red and orange flowers, summer to autumn. Attracts bees & butterflies.

Asclepias curassavica 'Silky Gold'

Probably a variety of *A. curassavica*. An upright tender perennial with masses of bright yellow flowers over a long period in summer.

Asclepias curassavica Silky Red

Probably a variety of *A. curassavica*. An upright tender perennial with masses of red flowers over a long period in summer.

Asparagus asparagoides

Smilax, Bridal Creeper. An unusual climber from South Africa with large 'leaves' creating a mass of fresh green foliage. Climbs or trails equally well.

Asparagus densiflorus 'Myersii'

Foxtail Fern. An ornamental asparagus noted for its neat bushy upright growth habit, hence its common name. Makes a great houseplant.

Asparagus densiflorus Sprengeri Group

Emerald Fern. Dainty trailing foliage plant for a shady spot indoors. A nice contrast to *Aspidistra*.

Asparagus falcatus

Sickle Thorn. Vigorous evergreen climber for a conservatory with spiny stems clothed with large flat leaves.

Asparagus myriocladus

Ming Fern. Popular with florists, this South African scrambling plant produces whorls of needle like leaves. It needs to be kept frost-free in good light but not strong midday sun. Looks good trained against a conservatory wall.

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Asparagus scandens

A dainty twining climber from South Africa with soft green ferny foliage, ideal for climbing up a trellis indoors, but is equally effective as a trailing plant in an ornamental pot. Unlike some other Asparagus this isn't prickly!

Asparagus setaceus (plumosus)

Lace Fern, Climbing Asparagus, Ferny Asparagus. Once popular as a houseplant, this scrambling climber or trailer makes a mass of very fine foliage for a sunny position indoors, or in a frost-free greenhouse or conservatory.

Asparagus virgatus

Half hardy foliage plant, ideal for using in flower arranging, with an open, airy habit. Grow in a loam based compost with extra grit or sand in good light. Trim back after flowering or in spring to rejuvenate. Hardy in warm sheltered gardens. 3 feet.

Aspidistra elatior

Cast Iron Plant. The plant of Gracie Fields fame. Might take a few years to become the greatest in the world, but in the meantime will make a lovely houseplant. Hardy in mild gardens.

Aspidistra elatior 'Variegata'

Cast Iron Plant. Variegated Aspidistra with large leaves to 70cm long with lengthways, white stripes.

Asplenium bulbiferum

Hen and Chicken Fern, Mother Spleenwort. A lovely houseplant fern which produces baby ferns atop mature fronds.

Asplenium dimorphum x difforme

A beautiful hybrid fern from Australia, an ideal house plant for a shady position in a bathroom or kitchen.

Azorina vidalii

De Faria E Maia. A shrubby member of the Campanula family, with pretty pale pink bell-shaped flowers in summer. Lives on sea cliffs in the Azores.

Barleria obtusa

A spreading plant for a conservatory, frost free garden or a tropical bedding scheme with blue flowers throughout the year but mainly in the autumn.

Begonia cane variety

A pretty variety of cane begonia (name unknown) with small spotted leaves and clusters of small salmon pink flowers. Protect from hot sun.

Begonia 'Erythrophylla'

Beefsteak Begonia. The large rounded fleshy leaves with a red underside earn this houseplant its common name of Beefsteak Begonia. It makes a spreading plant with small, light pink flowers in late winter-spring. Protect from strong sunlight.

Begonia 'Richmondensis'

Bushy house plant with glossy leaves and pink flowers all summer. Tidy habit. Grow in loam based compost and protect from hot sun. Should keep more leaves at higher temperatures

Begonia 'Snow Cap'

A striking Cane Begonia with glossy green leaves generously sprinkled with white spots. Pendant clusters of pink flowers in summer. Evergreen

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Begonia 'Thurstonii'

Evergreen, shrubby Begonia with striking shiny leaves, red underneath. Good shade tolerant house plant.

Begonia 'Tiger Paws'

Tiger Paw Begonia. This attractive little plant has bright light green leaves decorated with bronze-red areas around the veins which remain green. Makes a neat houseplant for a shady spot.

Begonia aconitifolia

Cane begonia with large dark green leaves splashed with silver. Pale pink flowers appear in autumn.

Begonia albopicta 'Rosea'

A pretty cane begonia, growing to about a metre, with medium-sized, long spotty leaves, and hanging clusters of pink flowers. A great easy to look after house plant. Shade from hot sun.

Begonia argenteoguttata

A vigorous houseplant with spotty leaves and creamy-pale pink flowers from spring to autumn. Ideal for a spot indoors with indirect sun or for a shady conservatory.

Begonia corallina 'Lucerna'

Vigorous cane begonia with large spotted leaves and clusters of pink flowers. Much sought after.

Begonia metallica

Shrubby Begonia with dark green leaves with a metallic sheen and dark red veins. Red-pink flowers appear in autumn. Protect from strong sunlight. Min 10°C.

Begonia ricinifolia

A vigorous species with huge leaves on hairy fleshy stems arising from a horizontal fleshy rhizome. For a shady spot indoors, in a shallow bowl to accommodate its tendency to spread sideways.

Begonia scented - white

A vigorous variety making a large trailing plant with masses of beautifully scented double white flowers all summer.

Begonia shepherdii

An unusual cane Begonia with swollen knobby stems, small palmate spotted leaves and small white flowers. Makes a very neat compact little houseplant

Begonia sutherlandii

A dainty trailing begonia with arching fleshy stems and small orange flowers in summer. Good summer hanging basket plant for shade or semi-shade. Not hardy

Begonia venosa

An unusual species from dry areas of South America with thick fleshy leaves growing from a stout upright stem. The surface of the leaves is felty, and the plant needs drier conditions than most other Begonias.

Beschorneria yuccoides

Architectural succulent with narrow leaves and spikes of pendant, tubular red flowers in summer. Hardy in a sheltered spot in well-drained soil, good in coastal gardens.

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Bignonia capreolata

Billbergia nutans

Queen's Tears. An easy to grow bromeliad with funnel-shaped leaves which hold water and exotic, red and blue pendant flowers on long stems in mid-summer.

Billbergia nutans var. shimperiana

Queen's Tears. A narrow-leaved form of this easy to grow bromeliad with funnel-shaped leaves which hold water and exotic, red and blue pendant flowers on long stems in mid-summer.

Billbergia nutans 'Variegata'

Queen's Tears. An easy to grow bromeliad with funnel-shaped variegated leaves which hold water and exotic, red and blue pendant flowers on long stems in mid-summer.

Billbergia x windii

Queen's Tears. A hybrid between nutans and decora, with the hardiness of the former and the larger and longer flowers of the latter. Because the flowers hang down it makes a good plant for a shallow hanging pot or basket.

Brachychiton discolor

Lace Bark, Kurrajong, Bottle Tree . A tall tree in its native Queensland. Good specimen plant with palmate leaves for a conservatory. Will possibly produce red trumpet shaped flowers summer-autumn on large plants. Minimum 0°C.

Brillantaisia kirungae (subulugurica)

Tender perennial with slightly serrated oval, pointed leaves and large, salvia-like flowers in summer. Actually a member of the Acanthus family despite the common name.

Brugmansia arborea

Angel's Trumpet. A frost-tender deciduous shrub with large, pendulous, night-scented white trumpets in summer. Fantastic for bedding out or growing in pots on the Patio. Needs frost protection in winter

Brugmansia sanguinea

Tender evergreen shrub with yellow trumpets with flared red tips mainly spring to autumn. Prune to shape in spring. Seed raised.

Brunfelsia pauciflora

Yesterday-Today-and-Tomorrow. A tender shrub from Brazil with scented flowers opening mauve fading through lavender to white, appearing spring to autumn. Min temp. 0C. TOXIC IF INGESTED

Buddleja madagascariensis

Orange Buddleja. A frost-tender shrub from Madagascar, flowering in winter with long panicles of scented yellow flowers.

Callisia 'Baby Bunny Bellies'

Inch Plant. A very tactile trailing plant for a shady spot indoors. The very soft downy leaves are green above and purple below. Idea for a hanging basket indoors or outside in summer. Shade from hot sun

Callisia elegans

Striped Inch Plant. A spreading plant with long trailing stems clothed with neatly green and white striped leaves. Makes a great house plant, somewhere like a bathroom or kitchen is ideal.

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Callisia soconuscensis

Inch Plant. A trailing indoor plant from the Tradescantia family with long stems of glossy green leaves. Easy to look after just protect from direct sun and feed occasionally with a general houseplant feed. If it gets too leggy just trim back fr

Campanula isophylla

Italian Bellflower . A tender perennial with pale blue flowers in summer. Grow in a greenhouse or similar all year, or pop into a hanging basket for the summer.

Campanula isophylla 'Alba'

Italian Bellflower . A tender perennial with pure white flowers in summer. Grow in a greenhouse or similar all year, or pop into a hanging basket for the summer.

Campanula isophylla 'Variegata'

Variegated Italian Bellflower . A tender perennial with variegated leaves & pale blue flowers in summer. Grow in a greenhouse or similar all year, or pop into a hanging basket for the summer.

Canna brasiliensis

Indian Shot. A compact species of Canna with sage green leaves and small vivid red and orange flowers over a long period in summer. Ideal for growing in pots as part of an jungle/ exotic scheme. Move into a greenhouse for protection over winter. M

Canna 'Cannova'

Indian Shot . Compact long-flowering Canna with bright red, orange or yellow flowers all summer, for pots & tropical bedding schemes. Rich moist, well drained soil in full sun.

Canna warscewiczii

Indian Shot. A species from Costa Rica, with vivid red flowers on dark stems, from summer into autumn. Growing to 6 feet, this makes a good plant for bedding out with other exotic plants.

Canna indica

Indian Shot. The species from which many large flowered varieties have arisen. Small but eye-catching red and yellow flowers appear over a long period.

Canna musifolia 'Grande'

Banana-leaved Canna. A fantastic jungly plant (musifolia = banana leaves!) with large green leaves with red-tinged margins & central rib. Good moist soil in sun, best bedded out for the summer.

Cantua buxifolia

Sacred Flower of the Incas. Tender shrub from South America (where it is the national flower of Bolivia) with beautiful pendent, cerise flowers in early summer.

Cantua buxifolia 'Alba'

Sacred Flower of the Incas. Tender shrub from South America with beautiful pendent, white and yellow flowers in summer.

Cedronella canariensis

Canary Balm, False Balm of Gilead. Tender perennial, from the Canary Islands, with warmly aromatic balsam-scented leaves. Small pink and white lamium-like flowers in summer.

Cestrum aurantiacum

Orange Cestrum. A tender evergreen shrub with clusters of bright orange flowers, spring to summer, followed by white berries.

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Cestrum cultum 'Cretan Purple'

Evergreen shrub with nice tubular, evening-scented purple flowers in summer. Grow in a loam based compost with added grit indoors, or in a sheltered, well drained spot outdoors. Protect from very hot sun in summer.

Cestrum nocturnum

Night Jessamine. An evergreen shrub with trusses of pale yellow night-scented flowers in late summer and autumn.

Cestrum nocturnum x diurnum

Golden Night Jessamine. A tender shrub with clusters of evening-scented, tubular yellow flowers opening from lilac buds.

Chlidanthus fragrans

A tender bulbous plant with very scented, yellow trumpet flowers from June to July. Hardy in mild gardens, in cold areas grow in pots.

Chlorophytum 'Bonnie'

Curly Spider Plant. A more compact version of the Spider Plant with curly variegated foliage. Ideal for a trailing plant in a tight spot.

Chlorophytum comosum

Spider Plant. This vigorous plain green species of Spider Plant, makes a lovely basket plant in a shady spot.

Chlorophytum comosum 'Variegatum'

Spider Plant. The classic spider plant with long green leaves with white margins. A vigorous grower, producing arching green stems with clusters of baby plants at their ends.

Chlorophytum comosum variety

Spider Plant. This Spider plant has curiously twisted plain green leaves with a paler green central stripe.

Chlorophytum comosum 'Vittatum'

Spider Plant. Spider Plant with green leaves with a white-cream central stripe, giving it an overall lighter appearance than 'Variegatum'.

Cissus antarctica

Kangaroo Vine. Tender tendril climber with glossy evergreen leaves, The cymes of small green flowers from spring to summer are possibly followed by black berries.

Cissus nodosa

A vigorous tropical climber from Singapore, noted for its curtains of pink tendrils which hang down from the branches.

Cissus quadrangularis

Veldt Grape. An evergreen climber for a conservatory or sunroom with quadrangular stems with small green leaves. Grow in a bright well lit spot indoors. It should take a fairly sunny conservatory. When potting on mix lots of washed sand or grit in the compost.

Cissus rhombifolia

Grape Ivy. Syn. Rhoicissus rhomboidea. An evergreen vine climbing by tendrils to make a large plant with a lush habit of growth.

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Cissus rhombifolia 'Ellen Danica'

Grape Ivy. An evergreen vine from Central and Southern America, climbing by tendrils to make a large plant with a lush habit of growth. This variety has more finely cut leaves

Cissus rotundifolia

Common Name: Arabian Wax Leaf, Peruvian Grape Ivy . Rarely offered evergreen climber, which doubles as a trailing plant. Large glossy round leaves on fleshy stems provide year round interest. This likes a stable warm temperature in a well lit but not too

Cissus striata

Ivy of Uruguay. A slightly tender evergreen climber with palmate leaves and red stems. Small green flowers in summer are followed by ornamental black berries. Ideal for covering a wall in a conservatory or a sheltered spot outdoors. Can also be used as a

Citrus hystrix (Kaffir Lime)

Kaffir Lime. Interesting type of Citrus with very fragrant leaves, when crushed, which are frequently used in Thai cooking.

Citrus limon 'Meyer'

A compact cultivar that will reliably produce lemons if grown in a warmish conservatory with good light. Feed regularly in growing season. Best kept above freezing in winter. (Ask for a Citrus care leaflet.)

Clerodendrum myricoides 'Ugandense'

An ideal plant for a Butterfly house, this evergreen shrubby climber with beautiful pale and dark blue flowers, which resemble a butterfly in shape, from summer to autumn.

Clivia robusta

Swamp Clivia . A vigorous South African species with heads of pendulous tubular flowers

Clytostoma callistegioides

Argentinian Trumpet Vine. Vigorous, evergreen, tender climber with lovely open purple flowers with lilac veining in Summer. Grow in a large tub in a loam based compost with added grit and feed monthly in summer. Cut side shoots back to 2-3 buds in early spring/ after flowering. Shade from hot sun.

Cobaea scandens

Cup and Saucer Vine. A quick-growing tender climber with large purple cup-shaped flowers with a green calyx (saucer) from mid to late summer. Looks stunning grown up an obelisk or trellis. Usually grown as an annual but is in fact a tender perennial.

Cobaea scandens 'Alba'

Cup and Saucer Vine. (The rarer white form of this popular climber) A quick-growing tender climber with large white cup-shaped flowers with a green calyx (saucer) from mid to late summer. Looks stunning grown up an obelisk or trellis. Usually grown as a

Convolvulus sabatius

Blue Rock Bindweed. This little trailing plant has funnel-shaped, soft blue flowers from mid to summer and is ideal for a sunny, dry location

Coprosma repens 'Marble Queen'

Evergreen slow-growing tender shrub with lovely cream marbling on the leaves and orange berries on mature plants from late summer-autumn. Ideal for a pot.

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Cotyledon orbiculata

Pig's Ear. An attractive shrubby succulent. The large pale grey leaves have a fine powdery bloom which contrasts nicely with their narrow red margins. Clusters of orange bell-shaped flowers may appear on mature plants which can reach 1m high.

Cuphea blepharophylla

Eyelash-leaved Cuphea . A compact bushy evergreen perennial with slender hairy leaves bears over a long period a profusion of attractive vivid red flowers.

Cuphea caeciliae

Cigar Plant . A bushy tender shrubby perennial ideal for bedding out with other tropical plants. Covered from summer to autumn with masses of orange tubular flowers.

Cuphea hyssopifolia

Hawaiian Heather, Elfin Hair. A very pretty, frost tender, evergreen shrub with masses of small mauve flowers over small green leaves in summer. A real bee magnet!

Cuphea hyssopifolia - pink

Hawaiian Heather, Elfin Hair. A very pretty, frost tender, evergreen shrub with masses of small pink flowers over small green leaves in summer. A real bee magnet!

Cuphea hyssopifolia 'Alba'

Hawaiian Heather, Elfin Hair. A very pretty, frost tender, evergreen shrub with masses of small white flowers over small green leaves in summer. A real bee magnet!

Cuphea ignea

Cigar Plant . A colourful small tender shrub with vivid red tubular flowers over a long period in summer. Ideal for bedding out with other exotic plants, or in containers. Over winter frost free.

Cyanotis somaliensis

Furry Kittens, Pussy Ears. A neat, creeping little houseplant with small slightly hairy leaves. Small, fluffy blue flowers in winter spring. Ideal for a windowsill which is not too sunny. Can also be grown in a hanging basket where it will trail

Cycas revoluta

Cycad . An ancient palm-like plant which dates back to the dinosaur era. Makes an eye-catching specimen plant for a tub indoors, eventually forming a thick trunk and growing to around 2m but can be kept more compact by keeping in a moderate sized pot. PO

Cyperus 'Zumila'

Dwarf Pot Sedge, Cat Grass. A miniature sedge, with bright green leaves topped by the typical umbrella arrangement of flowers. A nice little plant for a cool windowsill.

Cyperus albostriatus

Dwarf Umbrella Plant. A low-growing relative of the Papyrus, this makes good groundcover for the edges of a pond in mild gardens.

Cyperus esculenta

Chufa, Tiger Nut. A frost tender sedge, with umbrella like flowers. Produces edible tubers called Tiger Nuts.

Cyperus papyrus

Papyrus makes a wonderful specimen for a warm conservatory, stood in a shallow tray of water. It can be placed outdoor for the summer in a warm sunny sheltered location.

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Dahlia campanulata - seedlings from

A giant Dahlia, growing to 6 to 8 feet tall, producing huge nodding white flushed pink flowers late in the year. Needs a very warm sheltered spot, or to be grown in a frost free polytunnel. Seed raised so may be variable

Dahlia imperialis (seedlings from white flowered plant)

Tree Dahlia. Plants raised from seed of the single white form of this spectacular Tree Dahlia. Flowers very late in the year so needs protection from frost. Colours will vary, expect any colour/size/height. Grows up to 8 feet tall!

Dichondra micrantha

Kidney Grass. Tender member of the bindweed family with small kidney shaped leaves. Forms dense mats of foliage, looks good growing in a butler sink or something similar.

Dichondra micrantha 'Silver Falls'

A vigorous spreading and trailing plant, popular in hanging baskets where its grey leaves make a good contrast with more colourful plants.

Dicliptera sericea

Hummingbird Bush. A low spreading shrub with grey leaves and spikes of upward facing, bright red, tubular flowers in summer. Hardy in mild gardens with good drainage.

Digitalis (Isoplexis) canariensis

Canary Island foxglove . A shrubby foxglove from the Canary islands with spikes of unusual burnt orange flowers in summer. An interesting specimen for the summer patio. Frost tender.

Dombeya burgessiae

Pink Wild Pear, Wedding Flower. A small deciduous shrub from Africa, with clusters of pretty pink flowers in summer. Will grow and flower well in a large tub. Tolerates light frost.</p></div>

Dombeya rotundifolia

South African Wild Pear. A tree from South Africa with showy, fragrant white or pink flowers in Spring. Tolerates light frost.</p></div>

Drimiopsis maculata

Little White Soldiers, African False Hosta. A curious little bulbous plant with fleshy, spotted, hosta-like leaves and spikes of small white flowers in April to May.

Duranta 'Geisha Girl'

Golden Dew Drop, Sky Flower : Tender shrub with arching sprays of pretty lilac flowers with white edges in summer, followed by yellow-orange fruit. CAUTION UNRIPE FRUITS ARE TOXIC

Duranta lorentzii

(Syn. Duranta erecta 'Alba'?) Lovely species with pure white, fragrant flowers. There is debate as to the correct latin name. Ideal for a frost free conservatory. CAUTION UNRIPE FRUITS ARE TOXIC

Echium candicans

Pride of Madeira . A large half-hardy shrub with 30cm long spikes of electric blue flowers in early summer. Should survive outside in mild areas in well drained soil. Short lived, but replacement plants can be grown from seed.

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Echium pininana

In its first year this species forms a low rosette of silvery spear-like leaves. The following year or third year it produces a single 4m high spike crammed with blue, funnel-shaped flowers. Dies after flowering so save seed. Half-hardy. For very well dra

Elettaria cardamomum

Cardamom. This is the plant which the true Cardamom pods come from. The leaves are very aromatic too and exude the fragrance of cardamom when bruised. It makes an attractive houseplant or specimen for a conservatory in its own right.

Ensete ventricosum 'Maurellii'

Banana-like plant with striking red-tinged leaves and dark red leaf stalks. Fast growing with leaves potentially to 6m long. Max 1 plant per order

Entelea arborescens

Whau. Similar to Sparrmannia africana but with shinier leaves, this makes a worthwhile foliage subject for a large conservatory,

Euphorbia tirucalli

Finger tree. Large succulent with fleshy, cylindrical, leafless stems. New growth in spring can be tinged yellow-orange. This is a good specimen plant in a large pot, capable of getting to around 6ft if potted on each year. CAUTION, SAP IS VERY TOXIC AN

Euryops chrysanthemoides

Tender shrubby perennial with shiny green leaves and clusters of large, long-stalked bright yellow daisies summer to autumn.

Euryops pectinatus

A half-hardy shrubby perennial with grey to green leaves and clusters of large, bright yellow daisies summer to autumn.

Fascicularia bicolor

Half-hardy perennial with spiky leaves. Inner leaves turn red in autumn & blue flowers appear. Grow in slightly acidic, sharply drained ericaceous compost or Bromeliad compost if you can find it. Grow in full sun. Should stand a hot conservatory if well ventilated.

Ficus pumila

Creeping Fig. A popular trailing houseplant which can also be used as a climber or ground cover in a conservatory or very mild, frost free position outdoors. Self-clinging, evergreen

Ficus pumila 'Variegata'

Variegated Creeping Fig. A popular trailing houseplant with attractive variegated foliage. Can also be used as a climber or ground cover in a conservatory or very mild, frost free position outdoors. Self-clinging, evergreen

Fuchsia 'Bryan Breary'

An encliandra cultivar with small leaves and small flowers. Likes soil based compost and cool frost-free conditions with a moist atmosphere.

Fuchsia arborescens

Magnificent, large evergreen shrub with Lilac-like panicles of purple flowers in spring-summer. Grow in loam based compost with added grit or sand, in a large pot. Originates from Central and Southern America. Can be placed out for the summer but needs to be kept in a frost-free greenhouse/conservatory in winter. Prune to shape in early spring.

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Gelsemium sempervirens

Carolina Jasmine. Borderline hardy, twining climber with scented, yellow flowers, spring to summer. Worth trying in a warm, sheltered position

Geranium maderense

Giant Herb Robert. Stunning Geranium from Madeira with a huge dome of mid pink flowers and dark pink eye, early-mid summer. A specimen for an exotic garden. Needs winter protection

Gloxinia nematanthodes 'Evita'

A member of the Gesneriad family, forming spreading mounds of fresh green leaves which set off the beautiful vivid orange-red tubular flowers. May be hardy in a sheltered garden in very well drained soil and a thick mulch to protect the underground tubers

Grevillea robusta

Silk Oak. In its native Australia, this makes a large tree - here it is used more as a fast-growing foliage plant.

Hatiora salicorniodes

Drunkard's Dream. An epiphytic cactus from rain forests in Brazil, where it grows in trees. It has curiously jointed knobbly trailing stems to 60 cm long. Makes a nice trailing plant for a well lit spot indoors.

Hedychium gardnerianum

Kahili Ginger. A tall Ginger with evening-scented yellow flowers in summer. Can be grown outdoors in mild gardens with a winter mulch.

Heliotropium arborescens

Cherry Pie Heliotrope. Tender shrub often grown as a bedding plant with heads of deep purple flowers, heavily scented of marzipan in summer. Can be over wintered frost free if desired. TOXIC TO DOGS AND OTHER ANIMALS

Hibbertia scandens

A scrambling evergreen climber from Australia, bearing large yellow flowers in summer. Hardy in sheltered coastal gardens, reputedly to minus 2C. Otherwise grow against a wall in a cool conservatory.

Homalocladium platycladum

Tapeworm/Centipede Plant. A strange shrub from tropical regions with curious flattened and jointed stems which give rise to the common names Tapeworm/ Centipede plant or ribbon bush.

Hoya australis

A vigorous species from Australia (Queensland), the large glossy evergreen leaves making a foil for the scented white flowers. Best kept slightly pot bound, in very well-drained compost, never over watered and on the dry side in winter.

Hoya carnosa 'Krimson Queen'

Variegated Wax Flower. A nicely variegated form of this popular conservatory climber, with pendant umbels of night-scented flowers.

Hoya carnosa 'Variegata'

Variegated Wax Plant. Variegated form of this succulent climber with clusters of night-scented, waxy, pink flowers with a red eye from late spring-autumn.

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Hoya pubicalyx

Wax Plant. One of the easier Hoyas to grown this makes a scrambling climbing or trailing plant for the house or conservatory. The foliage is glossy with white markings, the scented flowers.

Humata tyermannii

Bear's Foot Fern. A fascinating evergreen fern from China with curious, hairy-looking rhizomes on the surface, giving rise to the common name. Best grown as a houseplant.

Hypoestes aristata

Tender, evergreen, woody perennial with spikes of purple flowers from summer to winter. Grow in a loam based compost in good light but avoid hot sun.

Impatiens niamniamensis

Parrot Plant. A tender perennial from tropical Africa with flamboyant red and yellow claw-like flowers in summer. Makes a fantastic and exotic houseplant (can be used on the summer patio but bring in well before any frost) Related to the well known Busy

Impatiens niamniamensis 'Golden Cockatoo'

Parrot Plant. The variegated form of this tropical houseplant with flamboyant red and yellow claw-like flowers in summer. Makes a fantastic and exotic houseplant

Impatiens sodenii

Shrub Balsam. Strong-growing plant with succulent red stems, fresh green leaves and pink 'Busy Lizzie' flowers.

Impatiens sodenii ssp. sodenii v. ugandense

Shrub Balsam. Strong-growing plant with succulent red stems, fresh green leaves and white 'Busy Lizzie' flowers

lochroma australe 'Andean Snow'

A tall shrub related to the Brugmansias, with masses of small unscented white bell-shaped flowers on arching stems from summer to autumn. Can be cut back hard in spring. Hardy in sheltered gardens.

lochroma coccinea

A tender shrub from Mexico with hanging clusters of long tubular brick-red blooms in summer. Pollinated by Hummingbirds in its native habitat.

lochroma cyanea

A tall arching shrub with masses of deep purple tubular flowers on and off through the summer. Needs support so can be trained up a wall or pillar. Hardy in sheltered warm gardens.

Ipomoea alba plant

Moonflower. A tender climber with beautiful large, funnel-shaped white flowers which are very sweetly scented at night. Can be grown up an obelisk in a large pot either as a summer patio or conservatory specimen. Keep above 10C.

Ipomoea indica

Perennial Morning Glory, Blue Dawn Flower. Vigorous climber with stunning blue Convolvulus-like flowers amidst lovely, soft heart shaped leaves all summer. Tender but can be grown outside in a big pot between June and September

Iresine herbstii

Beefsteak Plant. Jolly little foliage plant with beetroot coloured leaves, with broad shocking pink veins. Great for summer bedding, or as a pot plant indoors.

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Iresine herbstii 'Aureoreticulata'

Beefsteak Plant . A really colourful foliage plant with bright green leaves with yellow veins and purple stems. Great for summer bedding, or as a pot plant indoors. Pinch back regularly to keep a nice bushy shape

Jacaranda mimosifolia

A half hardy tree which in the UK is grown mainly for its beautiful, finely cut foliage. It makes a lovely specimen for a pot. Min temp 0C

Jasminum mesnyi

Primrose Jasmine. A tall, lax evergreen shrub for a frost free location, in full sun or part shade. The double bright yellow flowers appear in spring, earlier if grown under glass.

Jasminum angulare

Jasmine. Tender evergreen climber from South Africa with very sweetly scented white flowers from summer to autumn. This is not hardy although it can happily be grown in a pot and put outside for the summer.

Jasminum azoricum

Jasmine. Tender, evergreen Jasmine with sweetly scented white flowers March to December.

Jasminum grandiflorum 'De Grasse'

Jasmine. Large white sweetly-scented flowers from summer- autumn or even into early winter if mild enough.

Jasminum multipartitum

A shrubby Jasmine rather than a climber with scented white flowers from spring to summer.

Jasminum odoratissimum

Yellow Jasmine. A frost-tender evergreen scrambling climber with small, lightly scented yellow flowers during summer.

Jasminum polyanthum

Winter Jasmine. A vigorous climber with masses of heavily scented white flowers in late winter to early spring.

Jasminum sambac 'Maid of Orleans'

Arabian Jasmine. Tender Jasmine which makes a superb climber for the conservatory with large rounded leaves on stiff, arching stems and sweetly scented white flowers all summer.

Justicia 'Penrhosiensis'

Tender evergreen shrub with vivid orange-red tubular flowers for a long period in winter. Grow in loam based compost with added grit and protect from hot sun in summer. Minimum temperature 5° C. for winter flowering.

Justicia aurea

Brazilian Plume. Upright tender perennial with large heads of drooping, tubular yellow flowers.

Justicia brandegeana

Shrimp Plant. A popular house plant which produces curious shrimp-like bracts which house small tubular white flowers. The bracts last long after flowers have faded giving it a long season of interest. Keep above 5C

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Justicia brandegeana 'Variegata'

A pretty variegated form of the Shrimp Plant, with green and white mottled leaves, and small white flowers with distinctive salmon bracts.

Justicia brandegeana 'Yellow Queen'

Yellow Shrimp Plant. Like the normal species, but more stiffly upright, and with yellowish green flowers actually bracts (the true flowers are white) over a long period.

Justicia carnea

Brazilian Plume Flower. Tender shrub of open habit with green leaves and spectacular, large plumes of bright pink tubular flowers from mid summer-autumn.

Justicia carnea - purple leaved

Brazilian Plume Flower. Tender shrub of open habit with dark green leaves with a purple reverse and spectacular, large plumes of bright pink tubular flowers from mid summer to autumn.

Justicia rizzinii

Brazilian Fuchsia. Compact evergreen shrub, ideal for pot culture, with masses of small red and yellow tubular flowers from winter to spring.

Justicia spicigera

Tender shrub with masses of small tubular orange-red flowers for most of the year but produces the most as day length increases. Protect from very hot sun Pinch out regularly to keep bushy.

Kalanchoe beharensis? 'Silver Shadow'

A compact form with grey felty leaves, tinged with brown, with wavy margins

Kohleria 'Red Ryder'

A very showy hybrid which makes a lovely houseplant for a well-lit windowsill etc. The large red flowers are spotted & streaked with dark red & contrast with the grey-green dark veined leaves.

Lagerstroemia indica

We hope to have a variety of these, propagated from seed raised plants with variable flower colours and habits.

Lantana camara

Bonbongnin. Tender Shrub with clusters of yellow, turning orange to red flowers with a spicy scent from late spring-winter. Attracts butterflies and Hummingbird Hawk Moths. Good summer container specimen. Trim in spring to keep bushy. ALL PARTS ARE TOXIC

Lantana camara - pink

Bonbongnin. Tender Shrub with pink flowers with a spicy scent from late spring-winter. Attracts butterflies and Hummingbird Hawk Moths. Good summer container specimen. Trim in spring to keep bushy. ALL PARTS ARE TOXIC IF INGESTED.

Lantana montevidensis

Weeping Verbena, Dwarf Carnival Verbena. A vigorous spreading, tender shrub with clusters of lilac-pink to violet flowers in summer. ALL PARTS ARE TOXIC IF INGESTED.

Lantana montevidensis 'Alba'

Weeping Verbena, Dwarf Carnival Verbena. Vigorous spreading tender shrub with clusters of white flowers in summer. ALL PARTS ARE TOXIC IF INGESTED.

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Ledebouria socialis green-leaved

Silver Squill, Wood Hyacinth. Small bulbous plant in the Hyacinth family. with attractively mottled green leaves, and tiny green and white, bell shaped flowers in summer.

Ledebouria socialis

Silver Squill. Small bulbous plant with mottled leaves, and tiny green and white, bell shaped flowers in summer.

Leonotis leonurus

Wild Dagga. Shrubby perennial from South Africa with eye-catching orange hairy flowers held in whorls up the stem in late summer. Needs a large pot and winter protection

Leonotis leonurus v albiflora

White Wild Dagga, White Lion's Ear. The rare form of the Wild Dagga with white tubular furry flowers held in whorls up the stem in late summer. Makes a nice specimen for a summer patio or large conservatory.

Lobelia tupa

Large perennial with greyish felty leaves and spikes of tubular brick red flowers on red stems from mid-late summer. Hardy in a sheltered site, in moisture retentive soil and a winter mulch.

Lophospermum 'White'

. A frost-tender climber or trailing plant with lovely white , trumpet-shaped flowers in summer. Can be used in hanging baskets or trained up a short obelisk

Lophospermum 'Wine Red'

Creeping Gloxinia. A frost-tender climber or trailing plant with lovely deep wine-red, trumpet-shaped flowers in summer. Can be used in hanging baskets or trained up a short obelisk

Lycianthes (Solanum) rantonnetii 'Album'

. The rare white form of *S. rantonnetii*. Makes an arching shrub, needing support against a wall, for a cool conservatory or sheltered city garden. Long flowering. Can be pruned hard in spring.

Lycianthes (Solanum) rantonnetii 'Variegatum'

Blue Potato Bush. Vigorous, variegated, semi-evergreen shrub with masses of mauve-purple flowers to 1in across in summer. Best trained against a wall/ trellis. May survive outside in very mild areas, otherwise keep frost free

Lysionotus pauciflorus 'Lavender Lady'

Related to *Streptocarpus* this evergreen shrub produces pendant pale lavender flowers in summer. Sheltered spot outdoors, or cool greenhouse.

Macfadyena unguis-cati

Cat`s Claw Vine. A vigorous conservatory climber with beautiful yellow trumpet-shaped flowers in spring and summer.

Mackaya bella

Forest Bell Bush. A semi-evergreen shrub from South Africa with masses of large very pale mauve flared bell-shaped flowers with delicate darker mauve veining from spring-autumn.

Metrosideros robusta aureovariegata

Tender evergreen shrub from New Zealand with yellow and green variegated leaves bright red long-stamened flowers in summer, similar to the Bottlebrush. Needs a very warm sheltered garden or move under glass for winter

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Microsorium diversifolium

Kangaroo Fern. A tender fern from rainforests in Australia, likes a shallow root run and humid atmosphere - grows best surrounded by other plants. Looks good in a large hanging basket or shallow pot, where the rhizomes will creep over the edge.

Mimulus aurantiacus

Orange Bush Monkey Flower. Half-hardy shrub sporting masses of beautiful large orange flowers all summer. For sun and well drained soil and is ideal in a container.

Mimulus aurantiacus 'Eleanor'

Bush Monkey Flower. A beautiful cultivar with pale creamy-orange flowers from summer into the autumn. For sun and well drained soil and is ideal in a container. It looks great trained up a short trellis, or can be left to its own devices.

Mimulus x bartonianus

(syn *M. x harrisonii*). A hybrid between *M. cardinalis* and *M. lewisii* making a spreading plant with cheerful rosy red flowers.

Mirabilis dichotoma

Sweet 4 O'clock. Tender tuberous perennial with yellow flowers which are scented at night in summer. For well drained soil in full sun.

Mirabilis longiflora

Longtube Four O'Clock. Probably hardy tuberous perennial from southern United States, with white night-scented flowers in summer.

Muehlenbeckia astonii

Wiggy-Wig Bush, Zig-Zag Bush . A shrub from New Zealand with distinctive wiry zig-zag stems and small semi-evergreen leaves. Hardy to minus 5 in well-drained soil. Can be trimmed into curious shapes if desired

Murdannia loriformis 'Bright Star'

A recent introduction, this attractive houseplant makes a spreading mat of leaves - pale green with a deeper green margin. A great foliage plant, for a shady spot indoors.

Musa basjoo

Japanese Banana . Cold hardy banana for sheltered spot reaching 1.8m (6ft) in its first year. Feed and water well when in growth. Protect trunk in winter, but will re-sprout from ground level if the trunk gets frosted. Max 1 plant per order

Nephrolepis duffii

Pygmy Sword Fern, Lemon Button Fern. A compact variety of the commoner sword fern, making a neater more compact plant. An ideal indoor pot plant for that difficult shady corner.

Nephrolepis exaltata 'Bostoniensis'

Boston Fern. A popular cultivar found in Boston in 1894, with more arching fronds than the species.

Nephrolepis exaltata 'Marisa'

Rarely offered, this variety of the Boston Fern makes a mound of very finely cut delicate foliage which eventually tumbles and trails over the edge of its pot.

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Nephrolepis 'Fluffy Ruffles'

One of the many forms of the popular Boston Fern. Makes an upright clump of very finely cut fronds. Hairy stolons will find their way out of the pot & root on any suitable medium. For a shallow pot in part to full shade.

Nerine sarniensis

Guernsey Lily, Jewel Lily, Diamond Lily. A beautiful bulbous plant from South Africa, sporting brilliant red flowers late in the year. This relative of the better known bowdenii is frost tender, and needs a little more care in cultivation.

Nerium oleander - double white

Lightly scented double white flowers.

Nerium oleander - general

CAUTION - THESE PLANTS HAVE POISONOUS SAP AND ARE TOXIC IF INGESTED. CONTACT WITH FOLIAGE MAY IRRITATE SKIN. WEAR GLOVES WHEN PRUNING AND DO NOT BURN PRUNINGS.

Nerium oleander 'Angiolo Pucci'

Lightly scented single pale creamy yellow flowers in summer on a compact plant, suitable for smaller gardens. Grow in a large pot in a conservatory, or sheltered spot outdoors.

Nerium oleander 'Flavescens Plenum'

Syn. Nerium oleander luteum. Unusual cultivar with scented pale yellow flowers in summer.

Nerium oleander 'Madame Allen'

Vigorous and hardy cultivar with scented, double pink flowers in summer.

Nerium oleander No. 3

Large double deep pink flowers - seed raised on the nursery

Nerium oleander 'Professeur Granel'

A variety with large carmine-rose double or semi-double flowers.

Nerium oleander 'Splendens Giganteum'

A vigorous cultivar with scented double pink flowers.

Nerium oleander 'Variegatum'

Green leaves with a yellow margin and scented double pink flowers in summer.

Nicotiana glauca

Tree Tobacco. Tender semi-evergreen shrub with smooth blue-grey stems and leaves. Tubular yellow flowers appear in summer. Min. 0°C. POISONOUS

Osteospermum 'Nairobi Purple'

(Tresco Purple.) Borderline hardy, this should survive in sheltered gardens in free-draining soil, otherwise it can be grown in pots, or bedded out for the summer. Vivid purple flowers appear continuously from summer to autumn, and are great for Bees

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Oxalis hirta 'Gothenburg'

A cultivar of this South African plant, masses of magenta pink flowers appear in the autumn, over spreading clumps of clover-like leaves. Forms large corms, and reputedly flowers better in a deep pot.

Pandorea jasminoides

Bower Vine. Evergreen climber with beautiful clusters of pale pink flowers with a dark pink throat in summer.

Pandorea jasminoides 'Alba'

Evergreen climber with beautiful clusters of white flowers in summer. Appreciates shelter from hot sun, so would suit a north facing conservatory.

Pandorea jasminoides 'Charisma'

Variegated climber with beautiful clusters of pale pink flowers with a dark pink throat in summer.

Paraserianthes lophantha

(Syn. Albizia lophantha.) A lovely small tree with large, very finely cut fern-like leaves. Fluffy bottlebrush-like yellow flowers may appear in spring. Needs a sheltered garden - coastal or city, with little frost. THIS IS A LARGE PLANT, APPROX 7 FOOT TA

Parthenocissus henryana 'Malene'

Name uncertain, may be a variety of *P. inserta*. A vigorous climbing or trailing plant with finely cut leaves

Passiflora 'Murac'

A cross *P. mucronata* x *P. racemosa*. Makes a vigorous plant with masses of flowers in the cooler months, tending to open in the evening.

Pelargonium 'Shrubland Rose'

Scented Leaved Pelargonium . This has strongly rose scented leaves, one of the best.

Pelargonium 'Chocolate Peppermint'

Scented Leaved Pelargonium . Deep green peppermint scented leaves with a central dark blotch make this a very pretty spreading foliage plant. Small pink flowers compliment the display. Sun to part-shade.

Pelargonium 'Lady Plymouth'

Lovely variegated cultivar with a neat bushy habit and scented leaves. Light pink flowers complete the effect.

Pelargonium 'Rober's Lemon Rose'

Scented Leaved Pelargonium . With one of the nicer scents among the Pelargoniums, this has heavily cut and crimped foliage with a fresh lemon scent. The small pale pink flowers are a bonus.

Pelargonium 'Rollers Pioneer'

Ivy leaved trailing variety with fleshy yellow veined leaves and deep burgundy red semi-double flowers all summer. Great in tubs and baskets

Pelargonium 'Scarlet Unique'

Scented-leaved Geranium . A scented leaved cultivar with small but very bright red flowers with black markings, these appear over a long period from early summer to autumn.

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Pelargonium 'Cophorne'

Scented Leaf Pelargonium . A beautiful cultivar boasting spicily scented leaves plus masses of pinky mauve flowers all summer.

Pelargonium abrotanifolium

A species with finely cut grey green leaves with a scent a bit like wormwood. Upright then spreading, and will look nice massed in a basket or spilling over the edges of a tub. White flowers all summer.

Pelargonium acetosum

Species Pelargonium . An eye-catching plant with clusters of spidery salmon-pink flowers over fleshy glaucous leaves. Spreading habit so ideal for tubs or baskets.

Pelargonium 'Apple Blossom Rosebud'

Tall Pelargonium with lovely double pale and mid-pink, rosebud flowers in summer. Tall but sturdy stems to around 60cm. May need a plant support in windier locations

Pelargonium 'Attar of Roses'

One of the nicest of the scented-leaved Pelargoniums, this has leaves which smell strongly of roses when crushed. Small pink flowers from summer to autumn. Compact and bushy

Pelargonium blandfordianum 'Roseum'

Scented Leaved Pelargonium . A bushy lax growing cultivar with attractively cut pungently scented foliage and bright pink flowers from spring to autumn.

Pelargonium 'Captain Starlight'

A compact Angel type with generous quantities of cheerful little flowers, the upper petals are mauve, the lower ones are pink fading to white in the centre. 45 cms.

Pelargonium 'Charity'

A sport from a rose scented variety, with attractively variegated green and gold leaves, and small pale pink flowers. A quick grower, despite its variegation, lovely in a container by itself.

Pelargonium 'Clorinda'

A vigorous, scented leaved, scrambling variety with bright pink, flowers from spring-autumn. Makes a great specimen for a pot getting to around 1m high in a couple of seasons

Pelargonium cordifolium var. rubrocinctum

Long flowering variety with large, soft green leaves and upright pink flowers with reddish-purple markings. Needs a fairly big pot. Can flower from late spring right through to autumn.

Pelargonium 'Creamy Nutmeg'

Variegated, scented leaved Pelargonium with masses of small leaves and tiny whitish pink flowers in summer. Foliage is pine scented when crushed.

Pelargonium 'Crocodile'

Trailing, Ivy-leaved cultivar with distinctive variegated leaves fashioned in the style of crocodile skin. Bears bright pink flowers in summer. Great in baskets or pots

Pelargonium denticulatum 'Filicifolium'

Pine Geranium, Fern-Leaf Geranium. Scented-leaved Pelargonium with very finely divided aromatic foliage which is sticky to the touch.

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Pelargonium 'Frank Headley'

Variegated variety with salmon-pink flowers in summer. Lovely in a large pot.

Pelargonium grandiflorum

A species Pelargonium with attractive slightly glaucous foliage and pale pink flowers all summer. It does have a rather sprawling habit and would look good billowing over the edge of a large pot. Grows to about 75cm

Pelargonium 'Jackie'

Trailing cultivar with beautiful, fully double, rose-pink flowers in summer.

Pelargonium 'Kewense'

Zonal Pelargonium with sprays of vivid pinky-red flowers with narrow petals from spring to autumn. Compact and well behaved

Pelargonium 'Mabel Grey'

Arguably one of the most strongly scented-leaved Pelargoniums. Leaves have a fresh lemon scent when crushed. Small pink flowers are produced in summer.

Pelargonium 'Mr Wren'

An old, tall variety growing to around 1 metre. The single flowers are a distinctive shade of slightly orange red, each petal having a white edge.

Pelargonium 'Mrs Mappin'

Zonal Pelargonium . An upright plant with a tasteful combination of pale pink flowers over green and white foliage.

Pelargonium 'Mrs Pollock'

An excellent variegated zonal variety with green red and yellow leaves and orange-red flowers. Ideal for summer containers.

Pelargonium papilionaceum

Butterfly Pelargonium, Rambossie. A large leaved species from the Cape of South Africa, capable of making an impressive plant to around 6 feet, or less in a pot. The leaves have a pungent smell, liked by some people, but not everyone.

Pelargonium 'Paton's Unique'

Scented-leaved Pelargonium with clusters of coral red flowers in summer. Has a sturdy upright habit, good for a pot.

Pelargonium 'Paul Crampel'

An old cultivar (late 19th century) with large almost shocking red flowers on a vigorous plant. Very hard to beat! This may be the one which used to be planted outside Buckingham Palace. Lovely in a large tub in full sun.

Pelargonium 'Pink Capricorn'

A bushy slightly spreading cultivar with scented leaves and clusters of pretty pink flowers all summer. Great in pots.

Pelargonium 'Plum Rambler'

Upright zonal type with deep, plum-coloured rosebud flowers in summer. Tall but sturdy stems to around 60cm. May need a plant support in windier locations

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Pelargonium 'Priory Salmon'

Stellar Pelargonium with deep green foliage with a bold chocolate band around the centre of the leaf and heads of small double salmon flowers throughout summer. Nice compact habit so ideal for pots

Pelargonium 'Purple Unique'

Unique, scented-leaved Pelargonium with vivid mauve flowers in summer.

Pelargonium quercifolium

Oak Leaf Pelargonium . This species has attractive cut stiff leaves with a balmy spicy scent, accompanied by good sized pink flowers.

Pelargonium quinquelobatum

A small species not often offered for sale, this produces small but attractive flowers, the colour of which is difficult to describe - depending on the light, they can appear a subtle grey, blue, pink or cream.

Pelargonium 'Royal Oak'

Scented Leaved Pelargonium . A lovely cultivar making a bushy plant, the cut leaves have dark central markings and the flowers are pink with purple markings.

Pelargonium 'Scarlet Rambler'

Upright zonal type with scarlet rosebud flowers in summer. Tall but sturdy stems to around 60cm. May need a plant support in windier locations

Pelargonium sidoides

Species Pelargonium . A distinctive species with rounded (reniforme) grey leaves with a pungent scent. Clusters of small but intense purple black flowers from spring to winter.

Pelargonium tetragonum

Unusual Pelargonium with succulent stems and butterfly-shaped, pale pink flowers with red veining in summer. Well drained compost, take care not to over water.

Pelargonium 'The Boar'

Upright frutetorum type with a chocolate blotch on the leaves and masses of salmon flowers on long stems in summer. May need a bit of support as it is so floriferous!

Pelargonium tomentosum

A spreading species with strongly peppermint-scented, large, velvety-soft leaves and small white flowers from spring-summer. Protect from hot sun. Trim back in spring and feed in summer.

Pelargonium 'White Boar'

Like Pelargonium 'The Boar' but with white flowers in summer.

Pelargonium 'Wilhelm Langath'

Tall variety with silver-edged leaves and long stems with clusters of bright red double flowers in summer. Not backwards about coming forwards this one!

Pelargonium x tricuspdatum

A hybrid between *P. scabrum* and *P. lanceolatum*, with fleshy grey-green three pointed leaves and pure white flowers with red markings. 30 cm.

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Pellaea viridis

Green Cliff Brake. (*Cheilanthes viridis*.) From Africa, where it grows in rocky ground along woodland margins, tolerating more sun and dry soil than many other ferns. From a slightly creeping rhizome emerge elegantly divided upright evergreen fronds.

Pennisetum clandestinum

Used as a lawn grass in hot dry countries, where it is also often used on golf courses.

Pennisetum setaceum (x advena) 'Rubrum'

Purple Fountain Grass. Now *Pennisetum x advena* 'Rubrum'. This beautiful rather tender grass has deep purple foliage topped by large purple bottle brushes in late summer.

Pentas lanceolata

Egyptian Star Cluster. A tender evergreen perennial with clusters of star-shaped flowers, in shades of pink purple red or white from spring-autumn.

Phlebodium aureum areolatum

Blue Bear's Paw. A striking indoor fern with large, coarsely cut glaucous bluish grey fronds.

Phlebodium aureum 'Davana'

<h3Blue Bear's Paw> . A variety of the Blue Bear's Paw Fern with markedly wavy grey fronds. For a brightly lit humid spot indoors, or a sheltered place outdoors in the summer.

Pilea cadierei

Aluminium Plant. An attractive houseplant from the tropical Far East, making a bushy clump of green foliage, each leaf with striking metallic-white markings.

Pilea libanensis

Silver Sprinkles, Grey Artillery Plant. A rarely found plant from Cuba, with trailing stems clothed with small round greyish leaves. A great little trailing houseplant

Pilea matsudai 'Taiwan Silver'

Hardy Pilea. A hardy Pilea making spreading mats of green leaves with white markings. Ideal for part to full shade.

Pittosporum viridiflorum

Cape Pittosporum. Evergreen shrub with Jasmine-scented, white flowers from late spring to mid-summer.

Plectranthus - trailing species

Trailing Plectranthus . An attractive plant with numerous small fleshy leaves on trailing stems. Tiny white flowers in late summer.

Plectranthus argentatus 'Hill House'

Tender shrub with grey leaves with a cream margin and spikes of mauve flowers in summer. A great specimen for a summer container with its bold felted leaves

Plectranthus argentatus 'Silver Shield'

Silver Spur Flower, Silver Plectranthus. Strong-growing plant with striking silvery soft grey leaves and spikes of mauve flowers in summer.

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Plectranthus barbatus

Blue Spur Flower . A vigorous tender shrub with large leaves and showy blue flowers in autumn, May survive a light frost.

Plectranthus ciliatus

A spreading tender perennial with green leaves with deep red coloration on the underside. Makes a nice windowsill plant.

Plectranthus ciliatus 'Troy's Gold'

A colourful spreading or trailing perennial with golden yellow leaves. Can be grown as a trailing houseplant or in summer hanging baskets (Tender perennial)

Plectranthus coleoides - green/yellow leaves

Variegated Mintleaf . A sport from *P. coleoides* 'Variegata' with green and yellow leaves. Ideal in pots or containers where it can spread and trail, or as ground cover under e.g. Bananas.

Plectranthus coleoides 'Variegata'

Variegated Mintleaf . A tender perennial which makes mounds of variegated aromatically scented foliage. Ideal in pots or containers where it can spread and trail, or as ground cover under e.g. Bananas.

Plectranthus ecklonii

Tall Spurflower, Ecklon's Plectranthus . A vigorous tender shrub producing large spires of deep purple flowers in late summer. For a warm sheltered spot in shade or part shade.

Plectranthus ernstii

A compact plant known for its distinctive succulent swollen stems. The leaves are aromatic and the small flowers are white with purple markings, appearing in summer.

Plectranthus fruticosus 'James'

Zulu Spurflower. A vigorous tender shrub with pungently scented purple-veined leaves and long spikes of pink flowers in autumn.

Plectranthus hadiensis var. tomentosus 'Penge'

Hairy Spurflower. A spreading tender perennial with soft green leaves with yellow margins. Spikes of small pale mauve flowers in winter. Can be bedded out for the summer or grown in pots.

Plectranthus 'Menthol Eucalyptus'

Name uncertain. A variety with strongly leaves scented, as the name suggests, of menthol and Eucalyptus.

Plectranthus neochilus

A spreading species with succulent aromatic leaves and spikes of blue flowers, used as drought tolerant ground cover in its native S. Africa. Here it may survive light frosts, otherwise makes a nice container plant.

Plectranthus prostratus

Pillow Plant . A neat little plant with small succulent leaves on trailing stems.

Plectranthus venterii

Sekukuni Spurflower . A tender shrubby perennial from South Africa where it grows on rocky outcrops. Spikes of small pale flowers in autumn. The fleshy lobed leaves have a pungent aroma, and will tolerate full sun.

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Plectranthus verticillatus

Swedish Ivy. A semi-succulent trailing plant for a shady position indoors, with attractive glossy leaves and short spikes of white and blue flowers. Great in a hanging basket.

Plectranthus zuluensis

Zulu spurflower. Tender perennial with aromatic leaves and large spikes of tubular blue flowers for most of the year. Great for a pot on the summer patio Loved by bees.

Plumbago 'Escapade White'

Cape Leadwort. A more compact cultivar of the normal Plumbago with white flowers. Good for a small conservatory or a pot which can be moved inside for winter.

Plumbago auriculata 'Crystal Waters'

Cape leadwort. A scrambling, bushy climber for a conservatory or frost free garden with beautiful blue flowers in summer - a slightly deeper shade than the species.

Plumbago auriculata 'Escapade'

Cape leadwort. A more compact cultivar of the normal Plumbago with blue flowers. Good for a small conservatory or a pot which can be moved inside for winter.

Plumbago auriculata v. alba

Cape leadwort. A scrambling, bushy climber for a conservatory or frost free garden with beautiful clusters of white flowers in summer. A nice contrast with the blue flowered species

Podranea ricasoliana

Port St John's Creeper. Vigorous climber with clusters of lightly scented pink flowers on established plants. Flowers in summer and sometimes into winter if kept above 10°C. Possibly hardy down to -5°C. for short periods.

Pogonatherum (Eulalia) paniceum

An attractive grass forming neat mops of evergreen bamboo-like leaves which will arch gently over the side of a pot. Best kept frost free, though it may take a light frost. Will not tolerate drying out.

Prostanthera rotundifolia

Tender evergreen shrub with mint scented leaves and masses of purple flowers in May to June. In flower now, best collected from the nursery

Pteris cretica var. albolineata

Cretan Brake, Table Fern. A colourful indoor fern with green and white fronds. Ideal for any room in the house providing it doesn't get strong direct sun.

Pteris ensiformis 'Evergemiensis'

Sword Brake. A lovely little indoor fern, slow growing with narrow fronds with an attractive green-white variegation.

Pteris tremula

Trembling Fern, Australian Brake. A fast-growing fern with finely-cut fronds - would look good in a container in a shady conservatory, and can be placed outdoors for the summer months.

Pteris umbrosa

Australian Jungle Brake . A half-hardy fern from Australia, with elegant semi-evergreen finger-like fronds. It makes an excellent subject for a pot on a shady patio, or a cool greenhouse.

Conservatory and Half-Hardy

***Punica granatum* 'Fina Tendral'**

Pomegranate. An attractive small tree or shrub, ideal for a warm, ideally frost free, courtyard garden, or tub in a conservatory.

***Punica granatum* 'Maxima Rubra'**

Pomegranite. A small tree or shrub, ideal for a warm courtyard garden, or tub in a conservatory with large extravagant blousy orange red flowers.

Punica granatum* v. *nana

Dwarf Pomegranate. A small summer-flowering deciduous shrub with unusual orange flowers in summer. It can produce fruit which have a good proportion of seed but it really needs a warm summer to do so.

Radermachera sinica

China Doll. An attractive and popular evergreen house plant, with finely cut leaves. Likes bright light. But no hot sun under glass.

Reinwardtia indica

A rarely offered tender evergreen shrub with large cheerful yellow flowers mainly from autumn to late spring.

Rhodochiton atrosanguineus

Purple Bell Vine. Deciduous, twining climber with pendant, tubular, deep purple flowers encased in large bell-shaped pink calyces.

Rhoicissus digitata

Baboon Grape. Rarely offered in the UK, this is a frost-tender vigorous South African climbing or trailing plant. Hardy in sheltered gardens.

***Ricinus communis* 'New Zealand Purple'**

Castor Oil Plant. Frost-tender shrub with dark purple jungly foliage, and attractive pink flowers, followed by spiny fruit. Dramatic quick-growing bedding plant. POISONOUS.

***Ricinus communis* 'Zanzibarensis'**

Castor Oil Plant. A tender shrub grown as an annual dramatic bedding plant. Huge palmate leaves, followed by green seed pods/ALL PARTS OF THIS PLANT ARE TOXIC!

***Rosa* 'Climbing Columbia'**

Rose. A lovely rose for a cool conservatory - the pink flowers are strongly scented and appear over a long period from mid-summer to early winter.

***Rosa* 'Maréchal Niel'**

Tea-Noisette rose with double, scented soft yellow flowers in summer. Slightly tender, does well in a cool conservatory.

***Ruellia tweediana* 'Pink Flowered'**

. Related to the Acanthus, rather than the Petunia, the 'Mexican Petunia' is a vigorous spreading (suckering) perennial with large pink flowers over a long period.

Ruellia macrantha

Christmas Pride. Spectacular tender shrub with large pink trumpets from autumn-winter. Feed monthly in growing season.

Conservatory and Half-Hardy

Ruellia tweediana

Mexican Petunia. Related to the Acanthus, rather than the Petunia, this is a vigorous spreading suckering perennial with large blue flowers over a long period.

Russelia equisetiformis 'Lemon Falls'

Firecracker Plant . A lovely plant to cascade down from a large hanging basket or similar. Long arching, branching green stems (leaves insignificant) carry sprays of tubular pale yellow flowers over a long period. Min. 4 ° C, possibly lower.

Salvia elegans 'Scarlet Pineapple'

Tender sage with leaves which smell strongly and deliciously of pineapple, and vivid red flowers in autumn.

Salvia 'Indigo Spires'

Sage. Half hardy cultivar with very tall spires of small dark indigo-blue flowers from June to October. Needs sun, good drainage and a sheltered site, or a frost free greenhouse.

Semele androgyna

Twining climber from Madeira and the Canary Islands. Grow in loam based compost in full light, protected from hot sun. Feed monthly in summer. Ht 4m+. Minimum 0°C.

Senecio hoffmannii

A tender climbing member of the daisy family with vivid orange flowers in summer. Can be grown in a large pot and stood out for the summer.

Senna alexandrina

Senna. Late flowering tender shrub which brightens dull autumn days with masses of bright yellow flowers.

Setaria palmifolia

Palm Grass, Lachang. A tender clump forming grass with amazing finely pleated 2 inch wide leaves which on well grown plants can be up to 5 inch wide.

Sinningia tubiflora

Hardy Gloxinia. A tuberous plant from South America producing sweetly scented flowers in summer. Best grown in a container, leaving the tubers to become congested seems to improve flowering, as does a cool, frost-free winter rest. Can be grown o

Sinningia sellovii

Hardy Red Gloxinia . A hardy species growing from a woody tuberous rootstock. Upright stems carry tubular pink flowers in summer. Sun and well-drained soil.

Smithiantha 'Extra Sassy'

An attractive pot plant for a cool windowsill with deep purplish red velvety leaves, topped with red tubular flowers with white markings in the throat.

Solanum muricatum 'Pepino Gold'

Melon Pear. An unusual addition to the edible garden. A frost-tender perennial, in warm seasons fruits turn yellow and can be peeled and eaten raw, tasting like a canteloupe melon.

Solanum (Lycianthes) rantonnetii

Blue Potato Bush. A vigorous, semi-evergreen shrub with masses of mauve-purple flowers to 2.5cm (1in) across throughout summer. Has a lax habit so may need support, and looks good trained against a wall.

Conservatory and Half-Hardy

Solanum atropurpureum

Purple Devil, Malevolence, Five Minute Plant . A wickedly spiny plant for lovers of such things. A half hardy short lived perennial growing to around 2 metres, the deep purple stems are clothed with long spines, hence its common names. Large dissected l

Solanum laciniatum

Poroporo, Kangaroo Apple. Large, tender evergreen shrub with mauve flowers to 5cm (2in) across throughout summer, sometimes followed by orange fruit. Prune back in spring and feed during summer.

Solanum pyracanthum

A vicious looking plant with leaves adorned with large orange spines on both upper and lower surfaces. The fuzzy stems are also spiny, definitely not a plant to fondle. Half hardy perennial

Sparrmannia africana

African Hemp . Jungly evergreen shrub with large, bright green palmate leaves and white flowers in spring-early summer with orange stamens which move when tickled. Frost tender

Stenotaphrum secundatum

Buffalo Grass, St Augustine Grass. Tender, evergreen grass with a prostrate habit and green leaves. Ideal for a hanging basket or container, or ground cover for beds in a conservatory

Stenotaphrum secundatum variegatum

Buffalo Grass, St Augustine Grass. Tender, evergreen grass with a prostrate habit and green leaves with a yellow margin. Ideal for a hanging basket or container, or ground cover for beds in a conservatory

Streptocarpus saxorum

Cape Primrose. Prostrate, tender perennial with pale lilac, white throated flowers from winter to early summer. Stand pot in a shallow dish half filled with gravel and water from beneath. Shade from hot sun.

Streptosolen jamesonii

Marmalade Bush. Tender shrub with masses of tubular orange flowers throughout the summer.

Strobilanthes anisophylla

An unusual tender shrubs with attractive deep greenish purple foliage. Masses of pale lavender flowers in autumn and winter.

Strobilanthes dyeriana

Persian Shield. A very striking foliage plant with attractive purple leaves, distinctly veined and with a metallic sheen. This plant is native to Burma so needs a warm place indoors between autumn and spring but can be stood out for the summer if desire

Strobilanthes 'Orizaba'

An exotic shrub found near a Mexican volcano of that name. Makes a large leafy plant to 6 feet, with leaves up to 6" long, bronzy colour on the top and purple underneath. Great for bedding out with Cannas and Bananas. Hardiness unknown. Keep frost free

Syzygium myrtifolium

Wild Cinnamon, Australian Brush-Cherry, Red Lip. Eugenia oleina. An evergreen shrub or tree from tropical Asia, noted for the colourful red tones of its new leaves. In the UK it's best confined to pots, where its size can be controlled.

Conservatory and Half-Hardy

Syzygium australe 'Elite'

Lilly Pilly. Frost tender evergreen Australian shrub with lightly scented fluffy white flowers followed by large red or pink fruit. This cultivar has a more spreading habit.

Tecoma capensis 'Aurea'

Cape Honeysuckle. Scrambling climber from South Africa with orange flowers mid-late summer. Frost tender. Ideal for growing up a conservatory wall

Tecoma capensis 'Coccinea'

Cape Honeysuckle. Scrambling climber from South Africa with red flowers mid-late summer. Frost tender. Ideal for growing up a conservatory wall

Tecoma capensis 'Lutea'

Cape Honeysuckle. Scrambling climber from South Africa with yellow flowers mid-late summer. Frost tender. Ideal for growing up a conservatory wall

Tecoma fulva subsp. garrocha

Cape Honeysuckle . Scrambling shrub from South America with burnt orange flowers for much of the year. Grow in loam based compost in a large pot, possibly hardy in a sheltered garden.

Thunbergia gregorii

Orange Clock Vine. A tender perennial climber with large vivid orange flowers, almost 2" wide in summer. Can also be grown as an annual like the normal Black-eyed Susan

Tradescantia sillamontana 'Variegata'

Spiderwort. A rare variegated form, slow growing and perhaps a bit more delicate than the grey-leaved species. We tend to treat these as succulents - keep dry and avoid getting the leaves wet in winter. Ideal for a sunny windowsill.

Tradescantia fluminensis 'Maiden's Blush'

Vigorously spreading cultivar with attractive green, white and pink variegated leaves. Keep out of hot sun.

Tradescantia fluminensis 'Quicksilver'

Inch Plant. Trailing foliage plant which makes a good houseplant or subject for a hanging basket in summer. The leaves are striped white and green.

Tradescantia pallida

Purple-heart spiderwort. The green leaved form of *T. pallida* 'Purpurea', not often offered for sale and a nice contrast.

Tradescantia pallida 'Pale Puma'

A striking foliage plant with soft purple to green hairy leaves, making a smaller more compact plant than *pallida purpurea*.

Tradescantia pallida 'Purpurea'

A spreading or trailing plant with deep purple leaves and small pink flowers in summer. Keep away from very hot sun but needs good light to keep leaf colour.

Tradescantia plain green

Reverted from 'Quicksilver', a vigorous trailing plant with large glossy plain green leaves.

Conservatory and Half-Hardy

Tradescantia sillamontana

A trailing house plant, ideal for a basket or pot, with grey hairy leaves, and small pink flowers.

Tradescantia spathacea 'Versicolor'

Moses in the Cradle, Moses in a Boat. *Rhoeo spathacea* 'Variegata'. A colourful foliage plant with green and white leaves flushed with pink underneath.

Tradescantia species

Possibly *blossfeldiana*/*cerinthoides*, this makes a spreading or trailing plant, ideal for baskets or ground cover in a greenhouse, or can be bedded out for the summer. Part shade.

Tulbaghia natalensis

Society Garlic. Name uncertain. Beautiful, almond-scented creamy-white flowers are held above narrow foliage from mid-late summer. This bulbous plant from South Africa likes a sunny spot in very free draining soil.

Tweedia caerulea

Southern Star, Blue Flowered Milkweed. Semi shrubby climber bearing clusters of beautiful pale turquoise blue star-shaped flowers in summer; best in a sunny conservatory, or outside in the mildest frost free localities.

Watsonia pillansii

Beatrice watsonia, bugle lily. Tender cormous perennial with spikes of trumpet shaped bright red flowers in summer. Grow in loam based compost with added grit in full sun. Keep dryish in winter. Minimum 0°C.

Succulents

Aeonium leucoblepharum (leuconeura)

A variable East African species, our form appears to be low growing, the leaves having a central purple stripe. We may know more as we grow it.

Aeonium 'Zwartkop'

A shrubby succulent with rosettes very dark purple, almost black leaves. An excellent plant for a sunny conservatory by patio doors or as a specimen for the summer patio. This plant can get top heavy so grow it in a heavy terracotta pot. Colouration is be

Aeonium arboreum

Shrubby succulent with glossy green leaves. Needs good light all year & to be kept on the dry side in winter. Grow in loam-based compost and a heavy pot for stability. Min temp 2°C.

Aeonium arboreum 'Atropurpureum'

Shrubby, well branched succulent with very dark purple leaves in summer which turn green in winter. Needs good light all year, and to be kept on the dry side in winter.

Aeonium arboreum 'Variegatum'

Slow-growing branched succulent with attractively variegated leaves. Pot into John Innes compost with added grit & feed 2-3 times in summer. Keep on dry side in winter. Min. 4°C.

Aeonium castello-paivae

Compact shrubby succulent, from Gomera in the Canary Islands, with a well branched habit and small rosettes of grey leaves. Produces inflorescens of white flowers in mid-summer. Sends down aerial roots from the branches.

Aeonium haworthii 'Variegatum'

Well-branched spreading succulent with attractive rosettes, the new leaves being yellow with a pink margin, turning green with age still retaining the pink margin. Panicles of pale yellow flowers appear in spring. Min. temp. 2°C.

Aeonium percarneum

Shrubby succulent with attractive branched habit and green leaves. Pot into John Innes compost with added grit and feed 2-3 times in summer. Keep on dry side in winter.

Aeonium simsii - variegated

A low growing branching succulent with soft pale green leaves edged with white, lovely in a shallow bowl.

Agave americana

Century Plant, Maguey. A large architectural succulent with blue-green leaves & VERY SHARP SPINES!

Agave americana 'Mediopicta Alba'

This sought after cultivar has grey green leaves with a broad central white stripe.

Agave americana 'Striata'

The variegation can be very variable on these sought after plants - a good specimen with have striking stripes of green and yellow, but its pups may have a different pattern of variegation. Free-draining compost.

Succulents

Agave americana 'Variegata'

Century Plant, Maguey. A very prickly evergreen plant with fleshy grey green leaves with a creamy margin. A strong architectural plant for desert or exotic schemes. Does well in a large pot where it will get to 1.5m in time. Hardy in mild gardens otherw

Agave celsii

A beautiful plant with gracefully upturned leaves to 2 ft long, and softer spines than other species. May be OK outdoors if protected from wet. Tolerates some shade.

Agave geminiflora

Twin-flowered Agave. Symmetrical rosettes, to 1 metre across, of narrow leaves with only a small spine on the leaf tips.

Agave horrida var. perotensis

A very spiky succulent with solitary rosettes up to 18" across. Horrida = 'horrible, wild, prickly'.

Agave parryi

This species has compact, rosettes of light green to grey spiny leaves. Plants sucker freely.

Agave stricta

Needle Agave, Hedgehog Agave. A small species forming tight clumps of narrow spiny-tipped leaves.

Agave xylonacantha

Saw Leaf Agave. A species with rather sparsely arranged leaves, each with rather vicious spines. Its previous name *A. carchariodonta* referred to the Great White Shark...

Aloe arborescens 'Variegata'

Variegated Candelabra Aloe. Not often offered for sale, this variegated form of the Candelabra Aloe makes a striking specimen plant for a large tub. The leaves are arranged in large rosettes and are striped with green and yellow.

Aloe arborescens

Torch Plant, Tree Aloe. Large shrubby succulent with Red Hot Poker-like racemes of red tubular flowers on mature plants.

Aloe bakeri

Baker Aloe, Dwarf Aloe . A suckering species from Madagascar, with narrow green leaves with white mottling. Grown in a shallow pot of gritty compost it will spread to make a nice mat of slender leaves.

Aloe brevifolia

Short Leaved Aloe. Attractive succulent forming geometric mounds of tight rosettes of short softly spined leaves. Spikes of orange flowers in summer. Reasonably winter hardy if kept dry.

Aloe ciliaris

Climbing Aloe. Tall semi-climbing succulent with racemes of red flowers on mature plants in autumn. Hardy in mild gardens.

Aloe cooperi

Cooper's aloe, iPutumane. This species one of the 'grass' Aloes, has narrow spotted leaves held in fan shaped clumps which divide at the base. Red flowers should appear on 2 ft. stems.

Succulents

Aloe dawei

Dawe's Aloe. (*Aloe pole-evansii*, *Aloe beniensis*.) An Aloe from Uganda with beautiful red flowers in winter. It is a smaller Aloe and forms nice clumps. The leaves are long, narrow, bright green and edged with small teeth. Plant in full sun to semi-shade.

Aloe ferox

Evergreen succulent which eventually grows into a tree, but stays smaller in a pot. Grow in full light and use John Innes compost with plenty of grit added. VERY PRICKLY

Aloe microstigma

A striking plant with white-spotted fleshy leaves arranged around a stem which reaches 2 - 3 ft. Spikes of orange flowers may appear on large plants. Grow in free-draining gritty compost. May survive in sheltered well-drained spot outdoors.

Aloe plicatilis

Capable of growing to over 6 ft., this magnificent branching succulent has fleshy leaves arranged in flat fans, eventually making a well-branched tree. Spikes of exotic yellow & red flowers appear in summer on large specimens. From a small area in the winter rainfall area of South Africa, so needs water in winter and spring, less in summer.

Aloe rauhii 'Snow Flake'

Snowflake Aloe. A cultivar of a rare succulent endemic to Madagascar, with clumps of stemless rosettes of fleshy toothed pale green leaves decorated with white markings, the white being more predominant than the green.

Aloe striatula

Large scrambling succulent with yellow flowers in early summer. The stems are best tied in to a support. Needs sun and good drainage. Minimum minus 10°C, possibly lower.

Aloe tenuior

Fence Aloe. A spreading, branching Aloe with showy spikes of yellow flowers in mid-summer. Nice in a large pot on a sunny patio. Worth trying outdoors in very mild gardens in very free draining soil and covered with fleece in winter.

Aloe variegata

Partridge Breast Aloe, Tiger Aloe. Small succulent, ideal for a sunny windowsill with striped leaves and racemes of tubular pink-red flowers in summer.

Aloe vera

Burn Plant, Medicine Plant. This popular succulent is very useful to have around the home. The fleshy interior of the leaves can soothe and help heal minor skin ailments and burns. Works superbly to alleviate pain from stinging nettles. Spikes of yellow f

Aporocactus flagelliformis

Rat Tail Cactus . A trailing epiphytic cactus with eventually very long narrow rounded prickly stems. Large shocking pink flowers appear in spring, a stunning display on a mature plant. Bright filtered light, in a shallow pot in free-draining compost.

Aporophyllum 'Shirley'

Rat Tail Cactus . (*Epiphyllum* x *Aporocactus*). A trailing epiphytic cactus with eventually very long narrow prickly stems. Orange-pink flowers up to appear in spring, a stunning display on a mature plant. Bright filtered light, in a shallow pot in free-dr

Succulents

Aristaloe aristata

Lace Aloe (Previously Aloe aristata). A fairly hardy quick growing succulent with neat rosettes of green leaves with soft white spines. Spikes of pink flowers in spring.

Bulbine frutescens 'Hallmark'

Stalked Bulbine . An orange flowered selection of the yellow flowered species. Spreading clumps of narrow fleshy leaves topped with spikes of small orange flowers in spring and summer. Hardy in mild gardens.

Bulbine latifolia

Bulbine natalensis. Succulent, bulbous, perennial with long racemes of bright yellow flowers in spring-summer. Grow in loam based compost with added grit. Tolerant of drought and hot sun.

Ceropegia linearis

String of Needles. A trailing succulent with narrow, needle-shaped leaves on long trailing stems. A great houseplant. Grow in bright light but protected from hot sun

Ceropegia linearis ssp. woodii

String of Hearts. A pretty trailing succulent plant with heart-shaped leaves, dark green marbled with silver. A great houseplant.

Ceropegia sandersonii

Parachute Plant. A scrambling climbing plant with fleshy leaves. The flowers consist of a green spotted canopy over a white spotted and striped throat.

Cotyledon orbiculata 'Staghorn'

A striking succulent with characteristic large staghorn-shaped leaves. Ideal for a large shallow bowl or trough where it can spread to make an impressive plant. Outdoors in summer, in for the winter.

Cotyledon pendens

Cliff Cotyledon. A trailing succulent from South Africa with fleshy oval blue-green leaves. Flowers may appear in summer these are small bell-shaped and orange red in colour. An attractive an easy to grow house plant.

Cotyledon tomentosa subsp. ladisminthensis 'Variegata'

A variegated form of this low-growing, spreading, plant with thick fleshy green and white leaves. Brownish-red flowers may appear in the in autumn.

Cotyledon undulata

Silver Crown, Silver Ruffles. A distinctive succulent with fleshy grey leaves, the margins of which are crimped and crinkled. Ideal for a sunny windowsill.

Crassula cordata

A shrubby succulent with red edged leaves which have pronounced stomata on their surfaces. Height unknown as yet.

Crassula 'Estagnol'

A neat, compact succulent with bright green leaves arranged in a spiral pattern going up the stem. Mature plants may produce white flowers in Spring. Ideal for a windowsill.

Crassula ovata 'Gollum'

Jade Plant, Money Plant. A distinctive dwarf hybrid with curious elongated leaves terminating in a shallow depression. The leaves take on a reddish tinge in cold weather.

Succulents

Crassula ovata 'Gollum Variegated'

Jade Plant, Money Plant. A distinctive dwarf hybrid with curious elongated leaves terminating in a shallow depression. The leaves are variegated green and yellow and take on a reddish tinge in cold weather.

Crassula ovata 'Hobbit'

Not sure if this is Hobbit or Gollum, they are possible interchangeable. A variety of the more common 'Jade Plant', but with the leaves rolled inwards to form a cylindrical shape, leaving a strange suction type cup at the tip.

Crassula perforata 'Variegata'

Variegated Pagoda Plant, Variegated Necklace Vine. A compact succulent bearing upright stems clothed with tightly packed leaves of yellow and green colouration which take on a reddish tinge in sun. Can grow to 30 cms. tall.

Crassula atropurpurea var. arborescens

Silver Jade Plant. Probably *C. arborescens*. A shrubby succulent with glossy grey leaves on thick succulent stems. Small pink-white flowers may appear from autumn to winter on large plants.

Crassula coccinea

(Syn. *Rochea coccinea*.) South African succulent with attractively arranged angular leaves & vivid red flowers in summer. For a sunny conservatory or windowsill.

Crassula lycopodioides ssp. pseudolycopodioides

Previously listed under *C. muscosa*. Spreading succulent for a sunny windowsill with triangular leaves and tiny tubular yellow flowers in spring.

Crassula ovata 'Hummel's Sunset'

A stunning succulent and a good alternative to the usual Jade Tree, with fat leaves tinged with red & yellow and white flowers in winter. A really easy to grow succulent just don't over water!

Crassula ovata 'Minima'

Jade Tree, Money Plant. A dwarf version of this popular succulent with smaller rounded green leaves and only growing to around 45cm tall. Easy to grow, thrives on neglect!

Crassula ovata 'Variegata'

Jade Tree, Money Plant. Attractively variegated cultivar of the common Jade plant with white flowers in winter. Makes a nice specimen plant.

Crassula pellucida subsp. marginalis f. rubra

Calico Kitten. A delightful trailing plant, with masses of small multicoloured fleshy leaves. An ideal sunny windowsill plant.

Crassula perfoliata v. heterotricha

Name uncertain but bought as this. A vigorous growing succulent with densely packed leaves on long stems. These tend to flop, making it ideal for a wide shallow bowl, or for bedding out in the summer.

Crassula perfoliata var. falcata

Propeller Plant. Large succulent with fleshy grey leaves arranged propeller fashion. Bright red flowers like a shaving-brush appear in summer.

Crassula sarmentosa 'Variegata'

Variegated succulent with a semi trailing habit & white flowers in late summer.

Succulents

Crassula species

Yet to be identified, this vigorous spreading succulent sports tight clusters of red-edged green leaves. Great for a shallow bowl, or even planted out in a sunny border for the summer

Crassula tetragona

Miniature Pine Tree . A well branched succulent with lots of small narrow leaves giving the plant the appearance of a Pine tree in miniature.

Drosanthemum floribundum

A low-growing spreading/ trailing succulent with small grey leaves, smothered in vivid pink flowers in late spring to early summer. For a mild, sunny garden, ideally on a rockery or bank in full sun & very well drained soil. Otherwise a sunny greenhouse.

Echeveria 'Violet Queen'

Tidy rosettes of blue leaves with a pinky violet tinge. Makes effective ground cover either in a summer bedding scheme, or in a conservatory.

Echeveria elegans

Mexican Snowball. Readily makes a spreading plants consisting of small rosettes of grey leaves with pink tips. Can take a light frost in well drained soil in a dry spot. Sprays of yellow flowers in spring

Echeveria lilacina

Ghost Echeveria. A beautiful succulent, slowly forming a rosette up to 10" across The leaves are a pale silvery grey and arranged in neatly symmetrical rosettes. Pink flowers appear on arching stems in spring

Echeveria secunda v glauca

A popular succulent with blue-green rosettes which can reach about a foot across. Can be stood outside or bedded out in summer.

Epiphyllum 'Red'

Orchid Cactus. Varietal name unknown. This vigorous plant produces beautiful deep red flowers on spiny trailing stems.

Epiphyllum anguliger

Fishbone Cactus, Ric-Rac Cactus, Wijayakusuma. Epiphytic cactus with curious zigzag shaped stems and large, scented white flowers in spring and autumn. Will climb with support or grow as a trailing houseplant

Epiphyllum 'Beavertail'

Orchid Cactus. A variety with very wide fleshy wavy leaves which arch upwards before trailing downwards. This seems to be new in cultivation under this name, and we're not sure if it flowers well. It makes an impressive foliage plant, so flowers

Epiphyllum cooperi

An epiphytic cactus, living on trees in tropical rainforests. Large powerfully night-scented flowers appear on mature plants, each lasting only 24 hours.

Epiphyllum oxypetalum

Night Blooming Cereus. Epiphytic (tree-dwelling) cactus, with long flattened fleshy stems which have wavy margins. Large, night-scented white flowers appear on and off between spring and autumn.

Succulents

Epiphyllum 'Red Tip'

Orchid Cactus. Epiphytic (tree-dwelling) cactus with trailing stems with reddish tips. Spectacular pink or red flowers in spring or summer. Plants are out of stock but [cuttings are available](/epiphyllum-red-tip-unrooted-cuttings.html)

Euphorbia mauritanica

Pencil milk bush. South African succulent forming clumps of upright mostly leafless stems, topped in spring with small yellow flowers. CAUTION, SAP IS TOXIC

Euphorbia phosphorea

A tall upright branching succulent from Brazil. The almost leafless stems have between 6-9 sides giving them a pencil-like quality. Tiny red flowers may be produced directly on the stems in warm conditions. A striking architectural plant for a sunny place

Furcraea longeva

Giant Furcraea. Related to the Agave, and with a similar habit (though less spiny!), this much sought after plant grows for several (many) years before producing a giant flower spike up to 40 foot tall.

Gasteria 'Smokey'

A beautiful little succulent producing fanned rosettes of chunky smokey grey-green leaves. Great for a sunny windowsill

Gasteria bicolor

Name uncertain, this may be a variety of bicolor. This makes pleasing clumps of fleshy green leaves, spotted and striped with paler green, ideal for a shallow pot or bowl.

Gasteria verrucosa

Ox Tongue. A neat little succulent with thick, dark green leaves and white spots. Has racemes of reddish orange flowers April to June. Great for a sunny windowsill

Haworthia attenuata 'Striata'

Zebra Haworthia. Neat little succulent with tactile white ridges on the leaves. Grow in gritty compost in full sun.

Haworthia glabrata

A neat little succulent from South Africa, making slowly spreading and splitting rosettes of pointed fleshy deep green leaves covered with small warts.

Haworthia glabrata v. concolor

A pretty little rosette-forming succulent with fleshy pointed leaves - these are green with numerous small white warty spots.

Haworthia limifolia

Fairies Washboard. A robust easy to grow succulent, producing spiral rosettes of deep green fleshy leaves. These have distinct ridges, giving rise to its common name.

Kalanchoe beauverdii

Beauverd's Widow's-Thrill. An unusual climbing succulent from Madagascar with long purple-tinted leaves. Needs tying into a support of some sort and would be an interesting plant to train against a conservatory or sunny internal wall

Kalanchoe beharensis

Velvet Leaf. A tall succulent with huge weird fleshy and furry leaves, which just have to be touched!

Succulents

Kalanchoe beharensis 'Fang'

A tall succulent large, triangular, fleshy, furry, felty leaves, with soft furry teeth underneath.

Kalanchoe beharensis hybrid?

Tall succulent with large, triangular, fleshy furry felty leaves, slightly toothed brown margins.

Kalanchoe beharensis 'Rusty'

Velvet Leaf. Tall-growing succulent with wonderfully weird, large, fleshy leaves with a distinctly furry touch. The new growth has a rusty-brown tinge. A great specimen for a conservatory or sunny room.

Kalanchoe brachyloba

Name not certain. Previously listed as *K. pinnata*. An upright branching plant with large fleshy red-tinged leaves with wavy margins.

Kalanchoe daigremontiana

Mexican Hat. A plant renowned for its ability to produce numerous baby plants along its leaf margins

Kalanchoe delagoensis

(Syn. *Kalanchoe tubiflora*.) Upright succulent for sunny spot indoors with many long thin leaves, the ends of which support baby plants. A great plant for kids, and bring and buy sales.

Kalanchoe 'Dorothy Brown'

Common Name: Pussy Ears. An unusual variety similar to, or related to, *K. tomentosa*, with fleshy furry leaves, brownish green with rusty brown edges.

Kalanchoe fedtschenkoi 'Marginata'

Lavender Scallops. A small low-growing succulent with fleshy blue-grey leaves edged with pink and white. The stems tend to flop and root as they go, so this makes a good plant for a shallow bowl.

Kalanchoe hildebrandtii

Silver Teaspoons. A shrubby upright succulent from Madagascar, its main attraction are its spoon-shaped leaves which are covered with white felt.

Kalanchoe manginii

Beach Bells, Chandelier Plant. A nice little succulent for a hanging basket or pot, the arching then trailing stems produce masses of pink pendant bell-shaped flowers in spring.

Kalanchoe 'Oakeaf'

Dwarf Velvet Plant. A delightfully fleshy, soft, hairy, branching succulent that just begs to be stroked! The thick felt-like leaves grow on stems to about 90cm. A fine specimen for a sunny room or conservatory

Kalanchoe orgyalis

A neat growing shrubby succulent with attractive felty leaves. Needs well-drained gritty compost, sun, and dry conditions in winter.

Kalanchoe pinnata

Cathedral Bells, Life Plant, Miracle Leaf . Capable of making a tall plant, with the ability to produce baby plants along the edges. Clusters of large pink pendant flowers Keep frost free and out of direct sun under glass.

Succulents

Kalanchoe pumila

Flower Dust Plant. A spreading succulent with frosted grey-green leaves and urn-shaped pink flowers in spring. good in a hanging basket.

Kalanchoe rauhi

A cross between *Kalanchoe rosei* subsp. *variifolia* and *K. delagoensis* (*tubiflora*) *delagoensis*. Upright stems are clothed with serrated fleshy leaves, each producing plantlets along the edges. Umbels of nodding salmon flowers, probably in spring.

Kalanchoe serrata

Magic Tower. A neat little succulent whose main attraction is masses of baby plantlets which occur in profusion on the leaf edges. Possibly a cross between *delagoensis* and *daigremontiana*.

Kalanchoe 'Tessa'

A nice little succulent for a hanging basket or pot, the arching then trailing stems produce masses of pink pendant bell-shaped flowers in spring. A well-grown plant is quite a sight.

Kalanchoe thyrsiflora

Paddle Plant, Flapjack Plant. A popular low-growing succulent, having paddle-shaped leaves, in sun these are grey with red edges.

Kalanchoe tomentosa

Pussy Ears, Panda Plant. An easy to grow succulent with partly toothed, hairy grey leaves with reddish-brown edges. Bell-shaped green-yellow flowers may appear in early spring.

Lampranthus Orange

A spreading succulent with grey-green leaves and bright orange daisies from late spring to early summer.

Lampranthus Pink

Succulent with bright pink daisy-like flowers from late spring-summer. Grow in loam based compost with added grit in full sun. Should take some frost but won't like winter wet. Unheated greenhouse/conservatory.

Lampranthus 'Purple'

Spreading succulent with grey-green leaves and bright mauve daisies from late spring-summer. Grow in loam based compost with added grit in full sun. Should take a touch of frost but won't like winter wet.

Lampranthus vivid red

Spreading succulent with grey-green leaves and vivid red daisy-like flowers from late spring-summer. Well-drained soil and full sun. Should take a touch of frost but won't like winter wet.

Opuntia microdasys albata

Bunny ears cactus. A neat little cactus for a sunny windowsill. The little tufts consist of glochids, rather than spines. These can irritate so take care and use gloves when handling.

Oscularia deltoides

Deltoid Leaved Dew Plant. A low growing or trailing succulent from South Africa. Smothers itself in the spring with pinkish mauve daisy-like flowers in summer. Makes a very attractive plant for a hanging basket indoors

Succulents

Othonna capensis

Little Pickles, Ruby Necklace. A quick growing succulent with trailing stems adorned with fleshy leaves shaped like little beans which take on a red or purple hue in sun and when underwatered. For a mild garden, or a sunny spot indoors.

Oxalis succulenta

Sulphur Oxalis. An unusual succulent from Chile and Peru with fleshy, green 3-petalled leaves on branching stems and 5-petalled yellow flowers with very fine red veins in summer.

Pedilanthus tithymaloides variegatus

A succulent plant forming a clump of upright zig-zag fleshy stems with green and white leaves. For a well-lit spot indoors, though it can be placed outdoors for the summer. IRRITANT SAP.

Peperomia ferreyrae

Happy Bean. An easy to grow succulent, different from most Peperomias this one has thick stems and whorls of bean-shaped, succulent green leaves. From tropical forests in Peru, so will like some shade.

Peperomia verticillata

An upright or spreading houseplant with soft, hairy leaves which are green above and pinkish below. Likes humidity and suitable for a terrarium

Pereskia aculeata

Barbados Gooseberry . An unusual climbing/scrambling cactus with spiny stems and green fleshy leaves. In autumn produces large white flowers with orange stamens.

Pereskia aculeata 'Godseffiana'

Barbados Gooseberry . An unusual climbing/scrambling cactus with spiny stems & striking, lance shaped yellowish orange leaves. In autumn produces large white flowers with orange stamens.

Pereskia diaz-romeroana

Rose Cactus. A leafy cactus making a thorny scrambling plant with pink flowers in summer, supposedly fragrant.

Pfeiffera monacantha

(syn Rhipsalis m., Lepismium m.) An epiphytic cactus from South America, with flattened stems on which appear small waxy orange flowers in spring, followed by pink seed pods.

Portulacaria afra

Elephant Bush, Dwarf Jade Plant. A shrubby, much-branched succulent with small leaves. In its native South Africa it makes a large shrub.

Portulacaria afra 'Variegata'

Elephant Bush, Dwarf Jade Plant. A shrubby, much-branched succulent with small variegated leaves. In its native South Africa it makes a large shrub.

Rhipsalis elliptica

Found growing in trees in Brazilian forests, this epiphytic cactus has characteristically flattened segmented stems, and small white flowers in winter. For a hanging pot indoors in indirect light.

Rhipsalis ewaldiana

Name uncertain. A neatly growing epiphytic (tree-dwelling) trailing cactus. Grow in a shallow pot in well lit but not too hot & sunny spot, e.g. a bathroom or kitchen. Small white flowers may appear, but this is attractive as a foliage plant.

Succulents

Rhipsalis grandiflora

A species with stiff, initially upright then arching and trailing 3-angled stems, the stalkless flowers are a pinky white and large for this genus, about 2 cm. across.

Rhipsalis agudoensis

An upright then trailing tree-dwelling cactus from Brazil, with fleshy stems, red tinged at the tips. Small cream flowers appear on mature plants.

Rhipsalis baccifera subsp. horrida

Mistletoe cactus. A trailing cactus which makes a great subject for a hanging basket indoors. Eventually makes a long cascade of fleshy, slightly prickly stems. Small white flowers followed by white berries. For a well-lit spot but shaded from hot sun.

Rhipsalis capilliformis

Dainty epiphytic cactus which trails in a hair-like fashion so good for hanging baskets.

Rhipsalis dissimilis f. marnierianum

Similar to *R. grandiflora* with stiff, initially upright then arching and trailing 3-4 angled stems, the stalkless flowers are a pinky white about 1.75 cm across.

Rhipsalis pilocarpa

Epiphytic cactus with slender jointed prickly stems and white flowers in spring.

Sansevieria javanica

Name uncertain, but looks as if this is going to be of medium height and will form a large dense clump.

Sansevieria trifasciata 'Hahnii'

Birdsnest Sansevieria. We have several of these dwarf cultivars, related to the Mother in Law's Tongue, but much more suitable for growing on a windowsill.

Sansevieria trifasciata 'Moonshine'

Mother in Law's Tongue. A cultivar with pale grey-green leaves, succulent and stiffly upright, growing to 2 feet.

Sedum burrito

Baby Donkey Tail. A popular trailing succulent house plant, similar to *S. morganianum*, with long stems covered with short rounded succulent leaves.

Selenicereus nelsonii

Huge flowers are produced on mature plants. They only last one night, emitting a powerful fragrance.

Senecio crassissimus - larger leaves

Name uncertain. Unusual succulent with an upright to spreading habit. The fleshy grey leaves are held vertically, giving it a unique appearance.

Senecio (Curio) 'Himalayan Blue'

. Similar to *S. ficoides* but with finer foliage, a pretty plant which would look attractive in a shallow pot, placed outdoors on a sunny patio or terrace. Bring in for the winter, when it will enjoy a sunny windowsill.

Succulents

Senecio (Curio) rowleyanus

String of Beads/ Pearls. Unusual trailing succulent with spherical, bead-like leaves on long stems trailing down to about a metre. A really great and easy to grow trailing houseplant. Position somewhere near a window where it can get good light.

Senecio amaniensis

Amani Senecio. This makes a large plant consisting of clusters of fleshy leaves which mound up into an impressive plant. Orange groundsel-like flowers may appear in summer.

Senecio angulatus

Climbing Groundsel, Cape Ivy . A half-hardy vigorous South African climbing succulent with fleshy leaves and clusters of small bright yellow flowers in summer & autumn, which should be scented.

Senecio archeri 'Himalaya'

An shrubby succulent with whorls of bright fresh fleshy green leaves on upright stems.

Senecio articulatus

Candle Plant. Species of unusual appearance with swollen jointed stems and small yellow daisy flowers in summer. Good for a sunny windowsill.

Senecio crassissimus

This unusual succulent has an upright branching habit. The fleshy grey leaves are held vertically, rather than horizontally, giving it a unique appearance.

Senecio ficoides

A striking shrubby succulent with upright stems clothed with long thin fleshy very pale grey leaves,.

Senecio jacobsenii

A spreading, trailing succulent with rounded fleshy leaves

Senecio kleiniiformis

Spearhead Senecio. A low growing succulent from South Africa with glaucous spear shaped leaves and yellow daisy flowers on long stems in summer.

Senecio macroglossus

Cape Ivy. Succulent climber or trailer with fleshy, deep-green, Ivy-like leaves. Grown mainly as a foliage plant, but does occasionally produce large pale yellow daisies.

Senecio macroglossus 'Variegatus'

Cape Ivy. Succulent climber or trailer with variegated, Ivy-like leaves. Sometimes produces large pale yellow daisies in summer.

Senecio mikanioides

An attractive climbing or scrambling plant with fleshy pale green leaves with & deeper green along the veins. The reverse of the leaves is deep red. Yellow flowers may appear. Frost free, sun to part-shade.

Senecio serpens

Shrubby succulent with fleshy, frosted blue stems and blue-grey leaves. Has small, pale yellow daisies in summer.

Succulents

Senecio talinoides ssp. cylindricus 'Himalaya'

Upright shrubby succulent with bright fresh green leaves sprouting from a woody stem. May need some support as it gets taller.

Synadenium grantii 'Rubrum'

African Milk Bush. The upright stems bear oval leaves, in this cultivar they are streaked and mottled with red and green markings. IRRITANT SAP.

x Alworthia 'Black Gem'

A very attractive small succulent forming clumps of tapered olive green leaves which turn a chocolate brown colour with age.