



Sambucus nigra

BLACK BEAUTY 'Gerda'

A purple elder all summer long.

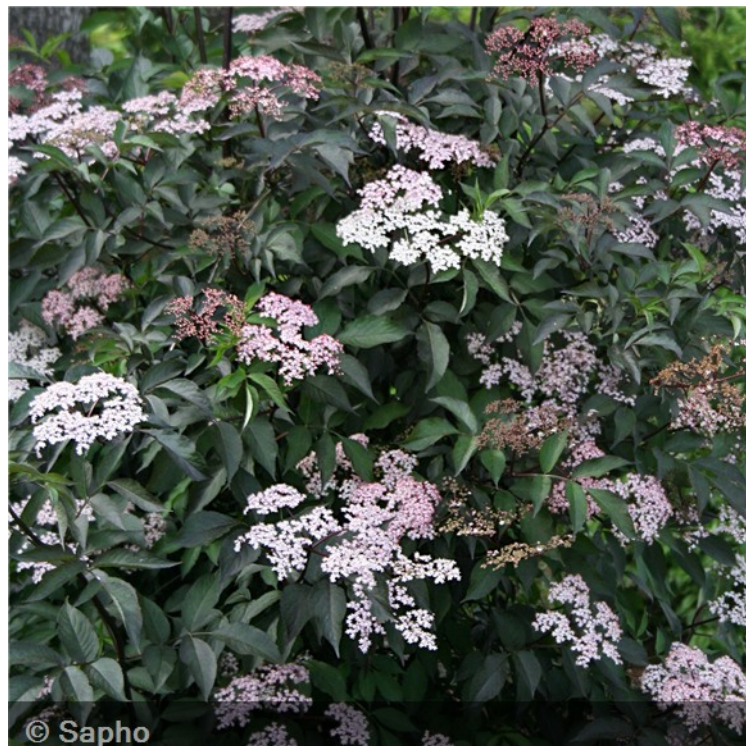
The purple, nearly black colour of this Elder lasts all summer long. The shrub tolerates half shade, but planting it in full sun, emphasizes its colour.

Its growth is bushy with straight branches.

In May - June, the big, pink, delicate flowers contrast well with the dark foliage. They are pleasantly lemon scented.

At the end of summer, the dark purple, later black berries are appreciated by the birds.

BLACK BEAUTY should be planted in big spaces. It is suitable for beds or free shrub-hedges.

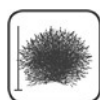


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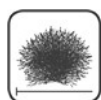


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Characteristics



2,50 /
4,00 m



1,80 /
2,50 m



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-25°C



Season(s) of interest



Autumn



Summer



Spring

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