



Black Lace



Storm Cloud



White Knight

Hydrangea

'Obsidian Collection'

STUNNING BLACK STEMS

Species: *Hydrangea macrophylla*



Part Shade



Full Shade



Height 1.2m



Spread 1.2m

Features:

- A vigorous growing hydrangea variety with stunning, long, black stems
- Flower display begins in late spring
- Frost hardy but can also withstand high temperatures
- Easy to grow with minimal maintenance

Suggested Uses:

- Containers or tubs
- Small gardens, patios or courtyards
- Colour for shady entertainment areas
- Stems provide a contrasting effect in a winter garden
- Stems also add an extra element of interest when used as a cut flower

Varieties Include:

- 'White Knight' - White mop top flower heads with vibrant dark green foliage
- 'Black Lace' - Lace cap variety with pink, blue or mauve flowers
- 'Storm Cloud' - Blue or mauve mop top variety with large flower heads

Water Requirements:

Medium. Once established, quite dry tolerant requiring only occasional deep watering during periods of heat.

Care:

Plant in most soil types that are well draining. Prune back to plump set of buds during winter. Feed in early spring with a slow release fertiliser for best results. Fertilise more often if grown in containers, according to manufacturers recommendations.

The colour of some hydrangeas can be controlled by soil ph. For blue flowers grow your hydrangeas in an acidic soil and fertilise with aluminium sulphate. For pink flowers grow in alkaline soils and add lime.

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