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## PEONY CATALOGUE

**CUTFLOWERS & PLANTING MATERIAL** 

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### ABOUT GROOT&GROOT B.V.

### MORE ABOUT OUR COMPANY

Groot&Groot B.V. is a leading company in the production of peony cut flowers and planting material. We're participating from breeding to production to exporting our own products of both plants and flowers. Therefore we're using the entire supply chain to manage the best possible products.

By having an international network and many years of experience we can offer the best products and service to you. Advice about varieties, growing support and personal visits will be part of our relation. By doing this we can work towards a long-term relationship.

#### **Cut flowers**

Groot&Groot B.V. is focussed to produce top-quality flowers both of the regular and (very) exclusive assortments. By having own farms in The Netherlands and the South of France and multiple partnerships all over the world, Groot&Groot can supply top quality peonies over a considerable period of the year.

#### Planting material

Groot&Groot grows and supplies a wide range of varieties of planting material. Our assortment includes more than 120 varieties from regular to (very) exclusive species. By using different soil types, the newest technologies, caring about the product and giving all necessarily treatments we guarantee the best possible quality. All plants are Dutch grown and from our own nursery.



'We are a worldwide producer and supplier of peony cut flowers and planting material'

The management of Groot& Groot B.V.

#### **Growing support and sales**

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### **ABOUT THE PEONY**

### BY GROOT&GROOT

A peony is a perennial, that means it can stay in the soil for many years without digging it out. After planting the peony it will take 2 year before there is enough production to start harvesting flowers. By taking care of the plants and doing the right things the third year will be more productive. This productivity can be stable for many years when the plant is in a healthy condition.

#### Types of peonies

We offer 3 different types of peonies:

Hybrid: In general early and mid-productive varieties
Lactiflora: Late varieties with mid to high production
Itoh: A common peony for using in pots and gardens



A peony can be used for different things. Mainly the peony is used for the production of cut flowers. The main production country of peony flowers is The Netherlands. Besides this also France, Italy and United States are big producers of flowers. On the southern hemisphere New Zealand and Chile are upcoming producers for late season.

The 'Itoh' type is a commonly used peony for the garden usage. Because of the enormous strength of the plant, this peony will produce many flowers and leaves from the first year on. As last there is a special assortment for pot peonies. Using short, easy flowering and strong varieties will give the best results.

#### **Climates**

The climate can have an enormous influence on the growth of peonies. The best possible conditions are a strong and cold wintertime, with mild temperatures in spring and a middle warm summer. Peony varieties can give a total different reaction in various climate zones. By having good advice about which varieties are suitable for which climate, you as a producer can get much better results.

#### **Diseases**

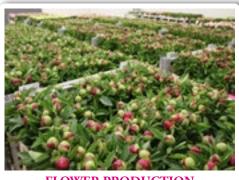
The main problem in the growth of peonies is the leaf nematode. The first step to prevent this is buying good nematode-free planting material in order to have the best start. By mowing the crop early in the season in combination with dry conditions and removing the crop residues you can prevent propagation and spreading of nematodes in your crop.

Also botrytis control is an important point of attention. By doing the right treatments in springtime and during the summer season, botrytis can be held under control. Besides all of this it's important to keep peonies free of weed, which can be an important source of diseases.





PLANT PRODUCTION



**FLOWER PRODUCTION** 



# **PEONY CUT FLOWERS**

### BY GROOT&GROOT

#### Wide assortment

Our good insight in the market together with many years of experience results in us having a special feeling with the peony. We grow varieties from the regular assortment to the very exclusive assortment as well. By doing this we can always satisfy our clients.

#### **Exclusive varieties**

Groot&Groot is participating in the entire supply chain. It means that we have insight in the newest introductions all over the world. After testing more than 120 varieties for many years on our plant production fields, we only select the best varieties that comply with our quality specs. By testing all of them in different countries and climate zones we find out which conditions are the best for each variety.

#### Only the best quality

Creating the best quality starts by using the newest technologies during the growth of the peonies. Next to that we work together with experienced and specialized employees. By doing that Groot&Groot is able to have the best quality control. Besides that we use an optimized cool chain to deliver the flowers as fresh as possible.

#### International farms

By having own farms in The Netherlands and the South of France and multiple partnerships all over the world, Groot&Groot can supply top quality peonies during a considerable period of the year.







Check out our website to see how we create the perfection of your flowers: www.grootgroot.nl!





Paeonia Lactiflora

ALERTIE



Paeonia Lactiflora

ALEXANDER FLEMING



Paeonia Lactiflora

ANGEL CHEEKS



Paeonia Hybrid

BELGRAVIA



Paeonia Lactiflora **BOWL OF CREAM** 



Paeonia Lactiflora

BRIDAL SHOWER



Paeonia Lactiflora

CATHERINA FONTIJN



Paeonia Hybrid

COMMAND PERFORMANCE



Paeonia Hybrid

CORAL CHARM



Paeonia Hybrid

CORAL SUNSET



Paeonia Hybrid

CORAL SUPREME



Paeonia Lactiflora **DUCHESSE DE NEMOURS** 



Paeonia Hybrid

ETCHED SALMON



Paeonia Lactiflora

FLORENCE NICHOLLS



Paeonia Lactiflora

GARDENIA



Paeonia Lactiflora

HONEY GOLD



Paeonia Hybrid

ILLINI WARRIOR



Paeonia Lactiflora

JULES ELIE



**EXCLUSIVE** 

# BOWL OF CREAM

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Paeonia Lactiflora

MADAME CLAUDE TAIN



Paeonia Lactiflora

MOON OVER BARRINGTON



Paeonia Hybrid

MOONRISE



Paeonia Lactiflora

MOTHER'S CHOICE



Paeonia Lactiflora

**NANCY NORA** 



Paeonia Lactiflora

ODILE



Paeonia Hybrid **OLD FAITHFUL** 



Paeonia Hybrid
PAULA FAY



Paeonia Lactiflora

PILLOW TALK



Paeonia Hybrid

PINK HAWAIIAN CORAL



Paeonia Hybrid

RED CHARM



Paeonia Lactiflora

REINE HORTENSE



Paeonia Lactiflora

SARAH BERNHARDT



Paeonia Lactiflora

SHIRLEY TEMPLE



Paeonia Lactiflora

THE FAWN

## PEONY PLANTING MATERIAL

### BY GROOT&GROOT

#### Wide assortment

With an assortment consisting of over 120 varieties, Groot&Groot is one of the main suppliers of planting material. We work closely together with breeders, so we have a good insight in the newest introductions. By using strict selection criteria on the field, in the vase and different countries in the world, we gather a lot of information about each variety.

#### **Highest quality**

By selecting the right soil type for every variety together with using the newest technologies and caring about the product we can provide the highest quality. Giving all necessarily treatments against nematodes, disinfections and packing all plants in peat and plastic is the standard at Groot&Groot.



All plants we offer are Dutch grown and from our own nursery. We do this to have a full control on the quality. All plants are virus-free, true to variety and free of nematodes.

#### Advice and growing support

Not every variety is suitable in every climate, soil or weather conditions. We are testing all our varieties in different conditions to find out what conditions are the best. With all this information we can advise and service our clients the best. After this we are always able to give growing support. When necessary we can also arrange support by personal visits.

#### Shipping all around the world

We ship our planting material all over the world. With this experience we can advise our clients in the best way possible which varieties are the most suitable for your climate, soil and weather conditions.







Check out our website to see how we prepare the best planting material for you: www.grootgroot.nl!





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CATHERINA FONTIJN



Paeonia Lactiflora

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CORAL CHARM



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CORAL SUNSET



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CYTHEREA



Paeonia Hybrid **DIANA PARKS** 



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ETCHED SALMON



Paeonia Hybrid **FLAME** 



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FLORENCE NICHOLLS



Paeonia Itoh

GARDEN TREASURE



Paeonia Lactiflora

GARDENIA



Paeonia Lactiflora

HENRY SASS



Paeonia Lactiflora **HONEY GOLD** 



Paeonia Lactiflora

IVORY VICTORY



Paeonia Lactiflora

JACORMA



Paeonia Lactiflora

KARL ROSENFIELD



Paeonia Lactiflora **LADY ALEXANDRA DUFF** 



EXCLUSIVE

# NANCY NORA

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RED SARAH BERNHARDT



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SARAH BERNHARDT



Paeonia Hybrid **SERENE PASTEL** 



Paeonia Lactiflora **SNOW MOUNTAIN** 



Paeonia Hybrid **SOFT SALMON SAUCER** 



Paeonia Lactiflora
WHITE CAP

# **NEW INTRODUCTIONS**

### BY GROOT&GROOT



Paeonia Hybrid **BLUSHING PRINCESS** 



Paeonia Lactiflora

BROTHER CHUCK



Paeonia Lactiflora

CARL G. KLEHM



Paeonia Hybrid

COLONEL OWENS COUSINS



Paeonia Lactiflora

NANCY NORA



Paeonia Hybrid

QUITZIN













More information about our peonies? Please visit our website www.grootgroot.nl or contact us by email or telephone.



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