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Sambucus nigra

'Black Lace' (D)

An exciting form of *Sambucus nigra* with richly coloured foliage that is deeply cut giving a delicate lacy appearance. This versatile, robust shrub is suitable for a wide range of situations, positions and soil types.

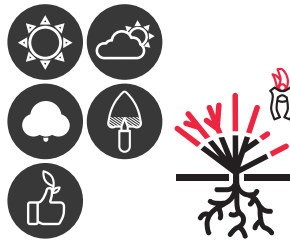
- Foliage:** Finely cut, pinnate foliage is red-green as a young leafy shoot, subsequently a rich burgundy-black colour and provides very attractive colour and texture throughout the season.
- Flowers:** Pink flowers produced in flattish umbels up to 15 cm wide from late spring. A slight lemony fragrance.
- Fruit:** Very dark ruby-purple rounded berries with a light green flesh, ripening in autumn.
- Culture:** Tolerant of a wide range of soil types in a position receiving full sun to shade. If desired, it can be pruned heavily to restrict the size in the landscape. Purple colour is best in full sun. 3 x 3 metres.
- Size:** 3 x 3 metres.
- Care:** For more information on planting, maintenance and care visit flemings.com.au

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Bare-root pruning:



Prune each limb by 50% just above a bud.
Remove all broken or unwanted limbs

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