

Victoria Lenten Rose



Helleborus x 'Viv Victoria'

- **Use:** A compact, long-flowering oriental hellebore for the winter garden, *Helleborus x hybridus ViV Victoria* is a small, clump-forming evergreen to semi-evergreen perennial with leathery, deep green, deeply divided, toothed leaves, brighter than those of most oriental hellebores. Oriental hellebore ViV Victoria is small enough for a container but is also good at the front of a bed or border.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Part sun-shade. Prefers acidic, (most of our GA soils are acidic) moist, well-drained soil, but not soggy.
- **Growth:** Grows 14-18" tall and 16" wide
- **Hardiness:** Zone 4-9; Perennial
- **Foliage:** Evergreen, virtually problem free. Foliage is a handsome silvery-green. Remove any scruffy leaves in winter before flowering begins, and cut back flowering stems after flowering is over.
- **Flower:** From midwinter (sometimes earlier) to April, nodding, maroon to deep reddish-purple, single flowers with creamy stamens are carried, and should be dead-headed as they go over to prolong flowering.



A must have for every shade garden-er!