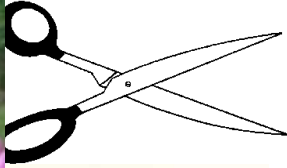


# Peony *Edulis Superba*



**Huge  
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## *Paeonia lactiflora* 'Edulis Superba

- **Use:** Peonies are classic garden plants that add a bit of nostalgia and charm to the garden. Their fragrant blooms and lush foliage have made them popular for years, and with the recent resurgence in breeding, they will continue to improve. Peonies are simple to grow and can be utilized in many ways, including mass plantings, specimens, or hedges.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Full sun–light shade shade (not deep shade); Water regularly, when top 3” of soil is dry. Use slow release fertilizer twice a year. Once established needs only occasional water.
- **Growth:** Grows 24 to 30 inches tall.
- **Hardiness:** 3-8; Perennial
- **Foliage:** Deciduous. Lobed leaves may go dormant in hot summers.
- **Flowers:** This intensely fragrant peony is widely grown for cut flower production. It sports double, bright rose-pink blossoms with a tufted center. The flowers tend to develop a crown as they age. An extremely floriferous selection that blooms in late spring. This variety can even tolerate heavy soil. It's no wonder it has retained its popularity throughout its 108 years of cultivation!
- **Tips:** Plant them shallow, mulch in the summer, take off the mulch in the winter, and they prefer a little afternoon shade. Cold winters will ensure lots of blossoms so plant them where they will get cold in the winter.

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