

Frosty Fern



Product Information

Selaginella krausiana 'Variegatus' or Frosty Fern, is a small plant with creeping stems that forms dense mats of green foliage up to two feet across and six inches in height.

Selaginellas, known as spikemosses or clubmosses, are so primitive they predate the development of seeds among plants. It is related to ferns and true mosses so reproduces by spoors, or by creeping surface-spread.

They are hardy to Zone 7 which means they will not survive our northern winters.

Native Habitat - South Africa

Care Tips

Frosty Fern is one of the easiest of plants to grow. They require a well-drained, organically rich soil and shaded conditions.

They like plenty of water and humidity, which makes them good terrarium subjects. They are also effective as groundcovers under greenhouse benches or for hanging baskets.

They respond well to light fertilizer applications on a weekly basis during the growing season. Water should be restricted in the fall and winter, but the soil should never be allowed to dry.

If you move them outside in the spring, ensure you do so after risk of frost.temperature is too hot for them.