

# Pelargonium capitatum

## COMMON NAME

rose-scented geranium

## FAMILY

Geraniaceae

## AUTHORITY

*Pelargonium capitatum* (L.) Aiton

## FLORA CATEGORY

Vascular – Exotic

## STRUCTURAL CLASS

Herbs - Dicotyledons other than Composites

## CONSERVATION STATUS

Not applicable

## FLOWER COLOURS

Red/Pink

## REASON FOR INTRODUCTION

Horticultural

## ETYMOLOGY

**pelargonium:** Stork's bill

**capitatum:** From the Latin capitus 'head', with a knob-like head or tip

## MORE INFORMATION

<https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/pelargonium-capitatum/>

