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branched. Leaves glabrous, dark green (Green 137A above, Green 137C below), triangular or rhombic-ovate, mostly 3-lobed, 7-10cm long, 4-7cm wide, margins toothed and notched. Flowers waxy, campanulate, undulate, heavily ruffled, 10-15cm diameter. Petaloids 3-20, twisted, lanceolate, white with trace of pink (Red Purple 70C) on reverse, and with a prominent dark red (Red Purple 60A) eye-spot that radiates along the veins. Seed production sparse. Cultivated. Plants.

445780 TO 445781. *Viburnum* hybrid (Caprifoliaceae).

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445780. NA 43148. 'Eskimo'. F2 of *V. X carlcephalum* ex Pike 'Cayuga' (Egolf) x *V. utile* Hemsl. Shrub compact, slow growing. Young branches stellate and light green, become glabrate and grey-brown. Leaves semi-evergreen, deciduous, coriaceous, dark green (Yellow Green 147A above and Yellow Green 148B below), obovate-elliptic, 8-10cm long and 3-4.5cm wide. Globose inflorescences produced in early May, contain 80-175 tubular florets, pale cream (Yellow 8D) with a touch of pink (Orange Red 35C) in bud, open to white. Fruit ripens in August, dull red to black. Cultivated. Plants.

445781. NA 43149. 'Chesapeake'. *Viburnum X carlcephalum* Burk. ex Pike 'Cayuga' (Egolf) x *V. utile* Hemsl. Shrub compact, slow growing. Young branches densely stellate, light green (Yellow Green 147B) become glabrate, wide-spreading and grey-brown. Leaves deciduous, glossy, dark green (Yellow Green 147A above and Yellow Green 148C below), turn red to orange (Greyed Red 179A to Greyed Orange 173D) in autumn, obovate-elliptic, 5-7cm long and 3-4cm wide. Cymes 5-8cm diameter, in early May produce pink buds. Flowers white. Fruit ripens in August, dull red to black. Cultivated. Plants.

445782 TO 445785. *Spinacia oleracea* L. (Chenopodiaceae) Spinach.

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445782. 'Shami'. Aleppo market, source A. Damascus type. Cultivar. Seed.

445783. 'Shami'. Aleppo market, source B. Damascus type.