PELARGONIUM -XANTHOMONAS (Bacterial Blight of Geranium)

Causes dark brown, sunken leaf spots from 1.4 to 3 mm in diameter. V-shaped yellow wedges develop at leaf margins, tapering down the leaf vein. May become systemic in the plant resulting in dark discolouration within stems and leaf petioles, causing death. The stem eventually shrivels into a dry rot. Leaf spots may be absent with sudden wilting being the only symptom.



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