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*Geranium sanguineum*

**BLOODY CRANE’S-BILL** is a sprawling perennial. Native to Europe (including Britain) it has white-based, deep pink (rarely pink or white) flowers with deeper-coloured veins. It is also known as *Blodnäva* (Swedish), *Blodrød Storkenæb* (Danish), *Blod storkenebb* (Norwegian), Blood dock, Blood-red cranesbill, Blood-red geranium, Bloody geranium, *Blutroter Storchnabel* (German), *Blut-Storchnabel* (German), Cranesbill, Cranesbill geranium, *Kakost krvavý* (Czech), *Pakost krvavý* (Slovak), *Pig yr Aran y Rhuddgoch* (Welsh), and *Verikurjenpolvi* (Finnish). *Sanguineum* is Latin (of blood, bloody) meaning ‘bloody or blood-red’. It is widely cultivated as an ornamental plant.