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Mentha piperita nm. *citrata*

[Synonyms : *Mentha citrata*, *Mentha odorata*, *Mentha piperita* var. *citriodora*]

EAU DE COLOGNE MINT is a cultivated variety. It has tiny lilac-mauve flowers.

It is also known as Bergamot mint, Lavender mint, Lemon mint, Lime mint, *Menthe bergamote* (French), *Menthe citronnée* (French), Orange mint, and Pineapple mint.

Piperita is derived from the genus name *Piper* meaning ‘like plants in that (pepper) genus or tasting hot and sharp’. *Citrata* is derived from the genus name *Citrus* meaning ‘citrus-like’.

This variety does not have any medicinal uses.