



Lavandula Violet Intrigue

GENERAL DESCRIPTION

Lavandula angustifolia Violet Intrigue is a vigorous, upright grower. It produces an abundance of violet flower spikes all summer on long stems that are terrific for cut flowers. It is a great garden performer with high oil content and strong fragrance. This cultivar has all the attributes of an outstanding hardy Lavender. *Classic City Garden award-winner; PlantHaven.*

USES

Performs well in the border, can be used for hedging and makes a great container plant. Flowers are popular used fresh or dried.

GROWER NOTES

The following information is based on our own experience with this crop in the Pacific Northwest. Growth will vary depending on location, climate, growing medium and cultural practices. As always, where chemical use is involved, read the labels, follow the instructions and practice careful trialing methods.

- Grow in full sun.
- Transplant in spring in all but the mildest winter areas, as young plants are often less hardy than established specimens. The addition of a biological microbial product to the potting mix may be beneficial.
- Apply a post-planting preventative fungicide drench to forestall the onset of root or crown diseases.
- Allow sufficient time for roots to establish before the onset of freezing temperatures if transplanting in late summer or fall. Larger plug sizes are recommended for late plantings.
- Allow to dry thoroughly between waterings and feed sparingly, as Lavenders that are overfed and grown lush will be prone to foliar and root diseases.
- Avoid watering late in the day, so foliage is dry overnight.
- Grow in a well-ventilated area to prevent *Botrytis*.

PLANT DATA

Height: 12–18" foliage, 24" flower
 Spread: 24"
 Bloom time: May–Sep
 USDA Zone: 5(-20°)

APPROXIMATE FINISH TIMES

- 4" from 128-cell liner: 4–6 weeks from spring transplant
- Gallon from 128-cell liner: 8–10 weeks from spring transplant
- Gallon from 72-cell liner: 5–7 weeks from spring transplant
- Gallon from 72-cell liner: approximately 24 weeks from late summer/fall transplant

PATENT INFORMATION

Asexual propagation prohibited
L. angustifolia 'Lavang 21': COPF,
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