

Icicles Licorice Plant



Silver, slender leaves contrast and accent wonderfully with a wide range of plants.



Helichrysum thianschanicum 'Icicles'

- **Uses:** Adds great contrast and texture to hanging baskets, containers and borders. It's silvery foliage is complementary in containers with blues, purples, and burgundies and has a licorice fragrance, though it is not the true source. Nice in dried arrangements.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Full to part sun. Water regularly, when top 3 in. of soil is dry. Use slow release fertilizer for best results. Prefers not to be overwatered.
- **Growth:** Grows 8-12" tall and 18-20" wide, maybe taller if deep shade or rich soil.
- **Hardiness:** Zone 9-11; Annual; Houseplant
- **Foliage:** Slender, lance-shaped leaves that are silvery gray leaves. These have a anise scent when crushed.
- **Flower:** From early to midsummer, mature plants bear small clusters of small, button-like, yellow flowers that attract bees and butterflies. Once spent, the old flower heads should be cut back to keep plants looking neat.