

Negrita Tulip



- **Planting density: 4-6 inch apart, 5 per sq. ft.**
- **Planting depth: 6-8 inches to base of the bulb.**
- **Best planted in a mass of 20 or more for dramatic effect.**

Tulipa 'Negrita'

- **Use:** Negrita has been a top-selling tulip for more than 40 years. Its distinctive flowers are purple-burgundy with violet and lavender overtones. Stunning when planted with bright yellow and orange tulips, and a dramatic partner for pastel pink, peach or cream. No spring garden should be without this beauty. Beds, rock gardens, in patio planters, and woodland gardens. For a show-stopping attraction in your garden, plant tulips in a group of 30 to 60.

Exposure/Soil: Full-part sun (does best with some afternoon shade). Moist, well-drained soil, but not soggy. Place a layer of mulch over the bulbs in summer to keep cool and remove again in the fall.

- **Growth:** Grows 14-16" tall.
- **Hardiness:** Zone 3-8 Perennial Bulb
- **Foliage:** Deciduous. Long strap
- **Flower:** This snub-nosed deep purple tulip with beetroot-purple veins and a satin finish is bound to draw attention. They look stunning planted en masse but are equally good planted next to softer pastel shades. They have strong stems and large flowers and are quite adept at coping with erratic spring weather.