

Tricolor Culinary Sage



Salvia officinalis 'Tricolor'

- **Use:** Ornamental herb with colorful grayish green leaves marbled with white, pink and purple. Strongly aromatic foliage may be used fresh or dried in cooking. Attractive to bees and butterflies. Ideal for herb gardens, mixed borders and containers.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Tolerates full sun to part sun. Water regularly, when top 3 in. of soil is dry to start. Little water needed once established.
- **Growth:** Moderate grower 1-2' tall x 2' wide.
- **Hardiness:** Zone 5-9; Perennial; Shrubby
- **Foliage:** Evergreen. The older leaves on this herb tend to be green in the middle, with an irregular white margin; the younger leaves are purplish.
- **Flower:** Lavender blue flower spikes appear in summer.

Edible sage is good for use in cooking and great in the perennial border.