

Sun Mouse Hosta



Hostas are exceedingly popular perennials in today's gardens due to their versatility in the landscape. Hostas also grow well in city environments where the air may be polluted by car exhaust, etc.

Hosta 'Sun Mouse'

- **Use:** This miniature Hosta hybridized by Tony Avent has a similar leaf shape and performance to 'Blue Mouse Ears', but with brilliant yellow leaves that holds its yellow color well into summer. The color is perfect for brightening up hosta troughs and shade gardens. Compared to 'Blue Mouse Ears', 'Sun Mouse' is a little bit shorter and wider. Plant it in an area with morning sun or filtered shade for best yellow color. Lavender flowers appear in midsummer.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Part sun (best)–shade. Acid, moist, well-drained soil, but not soggy. Use slow release fertilizer two times a year.
- **Growth:** Mature height of 6-7" (18" in bloom) tall and 12" wide.
- **Hardiness:** Zone 3-9; Perennial
- **Foliage:** Deciduous. Thick, heart-shaped foliage is a brilliant yellow and resistant to slugs.
- **Flower:** In early summer, the clumps are topped with proportionally short spikes of lavender flowers.