

Big Time Blue Lavender



Lavandula 'Big Time Blue'

- **Use:** Big, abundant flowers on a compact lavender that is perfect for pots, perennial borders, or massed as a flowering hedge. Aromatic, silvery green foliage contrasts beautifully with its darker flower color. The fragrant, nectar-rich flowers come early and continue from early summer into fall. Drought tolerant and easy to maintain.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Full sun– part sun. Drought tolerant once established. Needs at least 6 hours afternoon sun. **Soil must be sandy and have a pH of 7, so add lime as needed. DO NOT PLANT IN RED CLAY!** Keep water off the leaves, and water under foliage.
- **Growth:** Fast growing; reaches 18 to 20 in. tall, 30 in. wide.
- **Hardiness Zone 5-9;** Drainage and good airflow are important.
- **Foliage:** Deciduous. Vibrantly silver– green foliage. Cutting grown. Shear older flowers to promote continuous bloom in summer.
- **Flower:** Flowers abundantly with deep blue flowers. You'll notice that the size of the flowers is strikingly bigger than other lavender varieties.

You can enjoy its fragrant flowers from early summer into fall. This variety is rich with nectar: butterflies and bees will absolutely love it! 'Big Time Blue' grows fast and has a strong root-