

Vernique Dark Blue Speedwell



Attractive to
butterflies.



Veronica longifolia 'Vernique Dark Blue'

- **Use:** A compact Speedwell selection, ideal for near the border edge, in containers and the rock garden. This forms a low mound of attractive deep green foliage, bearing numerous spikes of dark blue flowers starting in early summer and continuing for weeks. Prune off spent blooms to encourage more buds to form. Easy and colorful. Excellent mildew resistance.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Any well drained soil in part sun will do. Dislikes extreme drought, but otherwise tough and versatile.
- **Growth:** Clumps reach 18 to 22 in. tall, 12 to 16 in. wide.
- **Hardiness:** Zone 4-8; Perennial,
- **Foliage:** Deciduous; long leaves
- **Flower:** Abundant, full spikes of brilliant blue-purple flowers that bloom continuously throughout summer on a compact variety perfect for a border, cutting garden, or container.

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