

2023 Herb Variety List

Basil—Boxwood—**ANNUAL** This compact, small-leafed herb makes a highly ornamental and fragrant edging or container. It's great for pesto too!! Extremely bushy and productive, even on the hottest days. Grown 10-12 inches tall.

Basil—Everleaf Emerald Towers—**ANNUAL** A well-branched variety with short internodes between branches. Makes a beautiful columnar plant with huge harvest potential. This basil has the traditional Genovese flavor that is perfect for eating fresh.

<u>Basil—Everleaf Genovese--</u>*ANNUAL*_The first basil bred for all season-long performance and continual harvesting. A compact variety, excellent branching with short leaf internodes. Ideal for in-ground or container gardens. Robust Genovese flavor—perfect for pesto and sauces. Grows 18"-24" tall, 12"-18" wide. It has a columnar growth habit.

Basil—Emerald Leaf Thai Towers—**ANNUAL** A large, fragrant columnar plant with purple stems and beautiful green foliage. Licorice-flavored leaves enhance stir fries and Thai soups. Grows 24"-36" tall and 12" wide. Easily grown in a container

<u>Basil—Dolce Fresca</u>—ANNUAL 2015 All-America Selections winner. Produces sweet tender leaves, while maintaining an attractive, compact shape that's both versatile and beautiful. Use leaves like any Genovese basil. Plant recovers quickly to keep desired ornamental shape. Grows 10"-24" tall. Suitable for large container.

<u>Basil</u>—Emily</u>—ANNUAL A compact growing Genovese type. It has very short internodes for maximum foliage and produces a large green leaf. Grows 18" tall. Full sun.

Basil—Genovese—**ANNUAL** A traditional Italian basil. Authentic flavor and appearance. Has large, dark green leaves about 3" long. Grows 24"-30" tall. Full sun.

Basil—Italian Large Leaf—**ANNUAL** A sweeter pesto type with high yields. Tall, 24"-30", medium-dark green leaves up to 4" long. Compared to Genovese, scent and taste is sweeter, less clove-like. Full sun.

Basil—Mrs. Burns Lemon—**ANNUAL** Produces very bright green, 2 ½" long leaves that are sweet and tangy lemon with white blooms. This basil is both attractive and intensely flavorful. Grows 20-24" tall.

<u>Basil</u>—**Newton**</u>—*ANNUAL* A fast growing variety with traditional Genovese flavor. Produces large, bright green, crinkled leaves. Does not have a licorice aftertaste. High resistance to fusarium wilt.

Basil—Sweet Thai—**ANNUAL** A flavorful addition for sweet dishes. Produces green 2" long leaves that have a spicy, anise-clove flavor. Attractive purple stems and blooms. Grows 16-20" tall.

<u>Catnip</u>—*PERENNIAL* Vigorous, high-yielding plants. Cat-attracting with gray-green leaves and white flowers. Grows 18"-24" tall. Hardy Zone 3-9. Full Sun.

<u>Chives—PERENNIAL</u> Perfect for freezing, drying and fresh use. Grows 12"-18" tall. Hardy Zone 3-10. Full Sun.

<u>Chives—Garlic Geisha</u>—*PERENNIAL* "Just right" garlic flavor and vigorous growth highlight this 2015 All America Selections winner. Slightly wider, flatter and more refined leaves makes it useful as both an edible and an ornamental. Late flowering, white blooms that attract butterflies. Grows 24" tall. Hardy Zone 4-10.

<u>**Cilantro**</u>—**Santo**</u>—**ANNUAL** A classic Mexican herb. A variety that is slow-bolting (going to seed). You need to plant seed for cilantro every 2 weeks for a continuous supply of fresh leaves all summer.

<u>Cutting Celery</u>—*ANNUAL* A leafy herb with bold celery flavor. Use fresh in salads or cooked in soups, stews, and with mixed vegetables. Grow in full sun.

<u>Dill—Fernleaf</u>—ANNUAL Excellent for the herb garden. Also maybe grown in a sunny windowsill. Easy to grow. All-America Selections winner. Grows 18" tall.

Fennel—Bronze—**TENDER PERENNIAL** (Reseeds) Gorgeous reddish-bronze color in the foliage. Vigorous variety that is slow to bolt (go to seed). Leaves have a sweet flavor, nice addition to salads, coleslaw, and dressings. Non-bulbing type. Attractive food source for certain swallowtail caterpillars who won't eat much and are fun to watch as they grow and turn into butterflies. Grows 24"-36" tall.

<u>Lavender—Annet—</u>*PERENNIAL* An English lavender, blooms in summer. Drought tolerant, fragrant foliage and large flowers. Sturdy stems. Attracts butterflies, hummingbirds, and bees. Deer and rabbit resistant. Grows 16"-18" tall and width 18". Hardy Zone 5-9

Lavender—Blue Scent Early—PERENNIAL A compact, bushy shrub with grey-green foliage, grows 12"-16' tall and 8" wide. Produces spikes of fragrant, lavender-blue flowers, blooming June-September. Attracts butterflies and bees. Useful in borders. Hardy Zone 5-9.

Lavender—Ellagance Pink—PERENNIAL Produces an abundance of fragrant light pink blooms. Attracts bees and butterflies. Use in borders, as an accent plant, fresh or dried flower, or potpourri. Grows 12" tall. Hardy Zone 5.

<u>Lavender—Ellagance Purple—</u>*PERENNIAL* A bushy, well-balanced variety producing large, dense flower spikes. Use as a cut flower, dried or in garden borders. Attracts butterflies, hummingbirds, and bees. Grows 12"-14" tall. Hardy Zone 5-9.

<u>Lavender—Grosso—</u>*PERENNIAL* Extremely fragrant deep violet flowers are produced above attractive silver green foliage. Attracts butterflies, hummingbirds, and bees. Grows 24" tall. Hardy Zone 5-9

Lavender—Hidcote Blue—**PERENNIAL** Attractive dark purple flowers above a dense mound of fine-leafed, silvery, aromatic foliage. Use in borders, a garden accent, fresh or dried. Grows 12"-18" tall. Hardy Zone 5-9.

<u>Lavender—Lavance Purple</u>—*PERENNIAL* Naturally compact, with deep purple flowers. Blooms all season long. Enjoy in a container on the patio. Grows 10" tall. Hardy Zone 5.

Lavender—Munstead—PERENNIAL Plants are aromatic, compact, with silvery foliage and deep lavender blue flowers. Use in borders, rock gardens, fresh or dried. Grows 12"-18" tall. Attracts butterflies, hummingbirds, and bees. Hardy Zone 5-9

<u>Lavender—Sensational—</u>*PERENNIAL* Improved, easy-to-grow variety that features unusually large flower spikes on a compact form. Features fragrant flowers and foliage and will thrive in hot, sunny, dry conditions. Attracts bees and butterflies. Good cut flower, deer resistant. Hardy Zone 5-9

<u>Lavender—Vicenza Blue</u>—*PERENNIAL* Fragrant and elegant deep blue flowers against fine cut gray-green foliage. Use as an accent, in the rock garden, or for potpourri. Grows 15" tall. Hardy Zone 4.

Lemon Balm---**PERENNIAL** Attractive plant that produces abundant supply of lemony, fresh leaves for tea and salads. Easy to grow. Grows 18"-26" tall. Hardy Zone 4-9.

<u>Orange Balm Mandarina</u>—*PERENNIAL* Unique orange scented lemon balm. Very ornamental with small white flowers on a trailing growth habit. Height 12"-14". Hardy Zone 4-9

Lemon Grass---**ANNUAL** Attractive East Indian grass that is used in Asian cuisine to add a "sweet-sour" lemon flavor. Leaf stalks and leaves cane be used fresh or powered. Grows 6"-10" tall.

Lemon Verbena—**ANNUAL** A wonderful smelling herb with long, narrow leaves, white flowers. A strong lemon fragrance and flavor. Use in drinks, jams, fruit salads and potpourri. Grows 36" tall.

<u>Marjoram</u>—*ANNUAL* An elegant and versatile culinary herb. Aroma is similar to oregano, but sweeter and more balsam-like. Grows 10"-24" tall.

<u>Mint—Kentucky Colonel</u>—*PERENNIAL* This variety is the wrinkled leaf form of a group of mints called "spearmint". This is an improved spearmint mint for Mint Juleps and Mojitos. Allowing the mint to go to flower will make the leaves taste bitter. Plant two pots, one for your use and one to flower for the butterflies. Hardy Zone 5-10. Best grown in container.

<u>Mint-Mojito</u>—*PERENNIAL* An aromatic mint with sweet undertones, not just great in beverages, but a good seasoning for meats and confections. Grows 24" tall. Grow in full sun. Hardy Zone 6-9.

<u>Mint-Moroccan—PERENNIAL</u> A more compact mint. Grows 18"-24" tall. Attracts butterflies and pollinators. Edible. Hardy zone 5

<u>Mint—Peppermint</u>—*PERENNIAL* Grows large serrated, strongly scented leaves with purplish stems and reddish-violet flowers. Use in teas, jellies and desserts. Grows 12"-14" tall. Hardy Zone 4-9

<u>Mint—Variegated Pineapple</u>—*PERENNIAL* This mint prefers full sun early and afternoon shade; any rogue green stems and leaves should be cut off to preserve variegation. Great in containers and herb gardens. Be sure to guard against spreading by using a container. Hardy Zone 5

<u>**Oregano**</u>—*Cuban*</u>—*ANNUAL* Attractive highly scented green fuzzy foliage plant. A member of the plectranthus plant family. Use as an addition to any container. Grows 24" x 18".

<u>Oregano—Greek</u>—*PERENNIAL* Heavy oregano aroma; great for pizza and Italian cooking. Characteristic dark green leaves with white flowers. Use fresh or dried in stews, fish and meats. Grows 24' tall. Hardy Zone 4-8

<u>Oregano—Italian</u>--*PERENNIAL*_Good culinary variety. Somewhat milder and sweeter than Greek Oregano, with rounder leaves. Excellent oregano flavor, use in sauces, pizza, and other tomato dishes. Easy to grow, nice container plant. Hardy Zone 5-10. Full Sun.

Parsley—Italian Dark Single—**BIENNUAL** Flat, glossy, deeply cut dark green leaves with rich flavor. Grows 15"-18" tall.

<u>Parsley-Extra Triple Curled</u>—*BIENNUAL* Intense curled dark green leaves make exceptionally beautiful garnishes. Mild flavor, good yields. Grows 14"-16" tall.

Pennyroyal—**PERENNIAL** _This is English Pennyroyal, also called squaw mint or mosquito mint. Aromatic creeping plant in the mint family, lilac flowers when it blooms, quickly fills in problem areas to make fragrant groundcover. Can grow to about 12" tall. Was once commonly used to repel fleas and other insects. Hardy Zone 5-9. Full Sun.

<u>Rosemary</u>—*TENDER PERENNIAL* Needle-like leaves with a soft pine aroma. Use fresh or dried in a variety of food dishes. Grows 30" tall.

<u>Rosemary</u>—**Barbeque**</u>—*TENDER PERENNIAL* This rosemary has remarkable flavor and aroma for cooking. Strong straight stems make perfect barbecue skewers! Fast growing. Grows 36"-48" tall.

<u>Rosemary</u>—**Spice Island**</u>—*TENDER PERENNIAL* An upright variety with thin leaves and dark blue flowers. Use fresh or dried in many food dishes. Deer resistant. Grows 36"-40" tall.

<u>Sage-Garden</u>—*PERENNIAL* Handsome, dusty green leaves. Use in dressings, sausage, sauces, and tea. Makes a good base for dried wreaths. Grows 16"-30" tall. Hardy Zones 5-8.

<u>Sage-Pineapple</u>—*ANNUAL* This plant has a shrubby growth habit with attractive scarlet flowers and wonderful pineapple scented leaves. Butterflies and hummingbirds love it! Grows 24" tall.

<u>Savory—Summer</u>—ANNUAL Dark green leaves add a peppery flavor to culinary dishes such as beans, cabbage and sauerkraut. Grows 10"-18" tall.

<u>Savory-Winter</u>—*PERENNIAL* The perennial cousin to summer savory, with thicker and shinier leaves. The flavor is more pungent and biting. Use to flavor beans and cabbage. Grows 10"-18" tall. Hardy Zone 4-8.

<u>Scented Geranium—Citronella</u>—ANNUAL Attractive deep lobed leaves, with rough texture. Wonderful lemon fragrance. Reputedly repels biting flies and mosquitos.

<u>Scented Geranium—Dr. Livingston</u>—ANNUAL Also called Skeleton Leaf Rose geranium. Has deep cut leaves with a rough, raspy texture and a slight rose scent.

<u>Scented Geranium—Fair Ellen</u>—ANNUAL Leaves are slightly lobed with purple-brown midrib markings. Has a strong pungent scent. Low-growing oak leaf type and very attractive.

<u>Scented Geranium—Grey Lady Plymouth</u>—ANNUAL Deep divided grey-green leaves edged with white. Light rose scent. The beautiful leaf variegation and vigorous semi-upright growth habit makes this a beautiful container plant.

<u>Scented Geranium—Lemon</u>—*ANNUAL* One of the most popular of the lemon-scented geraniums. It has small, roundish, crinkled leaves. Stiff, upright stems that may need to be pruned to keep an attractive shape. Great lemon fragrance!

<u>Scented Geranium—Lime</u>—*ANNUAL* It has smooth roundish leaves that are slightly ruffled, sweetly limescented. Will grow tall, prune frequently to keep attractive shape. Great scent!

<u>Scented Geranium—Old Fashioned Rose</u>—ANNUAL Grows to a medium height, with gray-green strongly indented leaves with a nice rose scent.

<u>Scented Geranium—Peppermint</u>—ANNUAL A large sprawling plant with large, lobed leaves with a wonderful soft, velvety texture. Quickly fills a container.

<u>Scented Geranium—Pungent Peppermint</u>—ANNUAL This plant has deep cut gray-green leaves. Grows to a medium size and has a nice mint scent.

<u>Scented Geranium—Snowflake Rose</u>—ANNUAL Attractive large, slightly fuzzy leaves that have a hit-and-miss white variegation. Good choice for large container. Leaves have a lemon-rose scent.

<u>Stevia</u>—*ANNUAL* Incredibly sweet leaves are an herbal alternative to sugar. Use fresh or dried to sweeten food. Bushy, high yielding plants. Grows 18"-30" tall.

<u>Tarragon—French</u>—ANNUAL Features narrow, dark green leaves with a mild, anise-like flavor. Use fresh, dried, or frozen to flavor vinegars, sauces, meats and eggs. Grows 36" tall.

<u>Thymus—German Winter</u>—*PERENNIAL* Classic culinary and ornamental herb. Small, round to needleshaped, evergreen leaves on woody stems. Good flavor and yields. Grows 8"-12" tall. Hardy Zone 4-9.

<u>Thymus—Red Creeping</u>—*PERENNIAL* Blooms reddish-pink flowers on mat-forming, smooth dark leaves of sweetly scented foliage. Excellent as a ground cover. Grows 4" tall. Hardy Zone 4

<u>Thymus—Variegated Lemon</u>—*PERENNIAL* Attractive plant with chartreuse/yellow leaves with a white edge. Attracts bees, butterflies, and birds. Grows 6"-12" tall. Hardy Zones 5-9