#### Lavandula angustifolia

Sweetly scented, highly coloured flowers, grey/green foliage, fully hardy. Flowering late May through June/July. Height to 24"max unless otherwise stated. (40-60cm)

*Little Lady* Outstanding variety. Sky blue. Early flowers – blooms twice if trimmed after first flush. (May-September). Butterfly and Bee favourite. Sweetly scented! **P** 

*Hidcote* ♥ Midnight blue almost purple, much acclaimed garden favourite. A true winner.

**Folgate** Unique, long sapphire blue flowers, striking. One of the best blues available.

**Arctic Snow** Highly sought after medium white lavender. **Beechwood Blue** ♥ Colour of a bluebell glade, beautiful.

Blue Rider Lovely long deep blue flowers. P

*Lady Anne* Compact Habit, pale pink flowers. 12" **P** *Miss Muffett* ♥ Miniature lavender, tidy and blue. 12" **P** 

Lavinite Petite. Blue pompom shaped flowers, dwarf and neat.

**Dursley White\*** Raised at nursery. Compact with long sweet scented flowers,

Ashdown Forest Charming pale violet flowers, compact. Cedar Blue Cool, quaint, dwarf lavender. Light blue

**Hidcote Pink** A delicate blush. A pleasing contrast.

Princess Blue Long Blue flowers,

*Imperial Gem* ♥ Deep purple with tidy compact foliage, a highly sought after variety. 18"

*Munstead* Original & genuine violet blue flowers- this true Munstead is beautiful, beware of imitations!

*Melissa Lilac* Striking powder Lilac flowers. Eyecatching And beautiful. **P** 

**Royal Purple** Stunning long violet flowers, good for dried lavender arranging.

Little Lottie ♥ A pinky-white delicacy. Tiny & compact. 1

Blue Ice\* Very pale blue almost white in colour, unusual

.Miss Katherine ♥ Truly scrumptious. Darkest pink of the angustifolia lavenders. P

Peter Pan Dark purple, neat and compact 18"

Rosea Radiant rose pink flowers over very green leaves.

Nana Alba ♥ Compact tiny white lavender, a real gem. 12"

Coconut Ice Pink and white at the same time, rarely seen!

# lanata x angustifolia

Deep purple flowers on silver foliage. Flowering late June-July, hardy to  $-10~^{\circ}C$ 

**Richard Gray** ♥ Vibrant deep purple flowers over smooth silver foliage, exquisitely different.

*Sawyers* ♥ Similar to Richard Gray, but with longer and more spear-like flowers.

*lanata* (*Pure form*)\* Silver wooly leaves with the darkest lavender purple flowers.

### Lavandula x intermedia

Often referred to as Lavandin. Broader and larger than the angustifolia varieties. Large flower heads, grey/green foliage. Strongly scented. Fully Hardy. Flowering late June-July/August.24-36" max.(60-90 cm.)

**Grosso** The lavender of Provence. Tall spikes of violetblue flowers. Highly scented. A truly delightful plant. Excellent! Grown commercially throughout the world for its high oil content.

Grappenhall Very large mid-blue Edwardian lavender Old English Group Traditional powder blue, cottage garden favourite.

**Lullingstone Castle** A spreading giant. Traditional blue lavender, with grey foliage. Impressive.

*Grey Hedge* Original ice blue/grey flowers. Tidy, well shaped lavender.

**Edelweiss** Nostalgia in a pot! Captivating bright white lavender. Shines in twilight. One of the best whites available. High in oil, attracts Bumblebees!

**Seal** Lovely large lavender, tall violet blue flowers, over green foliage.

Gros Bleu Darkest of the intermedia lavenders.

*Fragrant Memories* Silver peppermint grey leaves. excellent for hedging, blue flowers.

**Priors Cross.** Large lavandin with grey/green foliage. Distinctive shaped flower heads (mid-blue).

**Sussex** Magnificent, long flower heads, strong scented large, but tidy bush, grown for its high oil content.

# stoechas Lavender

Often referred to as French or Mediterranean Lavender. Plump heads with Butterfly-winged bracts. Strongly scented. Can flower all season if deadheaded. Frost hardy to -5 degrees. Best in a sheltered position, ideal in a pot. Lots of different, highly colourful varieties.

**Fathead** Plump free flowering heads of purple and pink, Certainly one of the best and hardiest stoechas available.

**Pedunculata ♥** (**Papillon**) Purple heads with long cerise Butterfly bracts. Superb Stunner. Prize winning variety.

**Jamboree\*** Exquisite specimen, raised at the nursery, flamboyant bi-coloured pink/lime green flags on rich purple heads. highly scented lime green foliage.

**Purple Wings\*** Free flowering, compact, lilac-purple heads.

*Willowvale* ♥ A lilac-purple coloured Stoechas from Australia. Truly stunning.

*Helmsdale* Sheer brilliance! From New Zealand this Stoechas has compact green foliage with deep burgundy/maroon flowers- a real favourite.

*Madrid Blue* Eye-catching blue heads with white bracts, don't miss this one! **P** 

Madrid Purple Long deep purple-pink bracts P

Madrid White Long wispy white bracts P

*Marshwood* Large pink bracts on a damson head, stunning sensation from the other side of the world. **P** 

**Pretty Polly** \*Vibrant Purple heads, cream flags. Superb! **P Viridis** A zaney zest! Yellow flowers over lemon scented lime foliage. Grows wild on Madeira.

Avonview A large,dark- flowering stunner. Purple&pink Somerset Mist A beautiful variety- blue and rose-beige. Devon Compact. Large purple flowers on neat low growing plant!

**Devon Compact alba.** Pure cream white flowers. Tidy **Kew Red** A true stunner with pinky/red & white heads. An absolute must for summer! ( may need winter protection!)

**Rocky Road** Pinkish-mauve flags contrast with purple heads, repeat flowers. **P** 

**Pukehou** Broad pale flags on purple flowers, superb eyecatching lavender.

**Regal Splendour** Dark purple coloured blooms, excellent The darkest of all stoechas.

Tiara Large white flags on blue heads, exquisite variety. P

# **Details of Lavender varieties available for 2010**

# **Unusual varieties**

The following unusual varieties flower most of the year. They can be kept outside in the Summer months and make good conservatory plants in the Winter. Most are not frost-hardy. All look superb in a pot!

Bulls Cross\* a strong growing hybrid raised at the nursery, blue/pink, flowers constantly!

*dentata* Lime green, tooth leaves, unique powder blueviolet-white heads, a beauty.

*dentata var Candicans* Superb! Grey version of Dentata. *canariensis* Fine lacy lime foliage, sapphire-blue flowers. From the Canary Islands.

*pinnata* Silver-green lacy foliage with blue flowers. Grows wild on Lanzarote.

pinnata (Pink Form)- \* A rare find!

*christiana* Hybrid cross of Pinnata and Canariensis, stunning deep blue flowers

**Goodwin Creek Grey** Unusual lavender, from America. Velvety silver tooth leaves, with profuse sapphire-blue flowers. A rarity and a must for any collectors! (Hardy to  $-5^{\circ}$  C)

We have many other varieties, subject to availability

\*New for the nursery this year. **T** Awarded an AGM by the RHS P Plant protected by European/UK Plant Variety Rights. (Illegal to propagate without permission)

### Lavender Prices 2010 ed 9cm. Pot £2.50 (£2.00 ea. )

Standard 9cm. Pot £2.50 (£2.00 ea. For 5+) Medium 1ltr. Pot £3.50(£3.00 ea. For 5+) 2ltr. Pot £4.50. 3ltr. Pot £5.50

(Further discounts available for orders of 100+ plants, please ask for details.)

We can provide Fresh cut or dried Lavender, subject to availability. We also sell two types of Lavender oil, angustifolia and Grosso 10 ml bottles £3.50 each.

# THE LAVENDER GARDEN

Welcome to The Lavender Garden, a traditional nursery, set in a Victorian Kitchen Garden. We specialise in Lavender and Buddleja, also other Butterfly and Bee attracting plants. We have landscaped the gardens particularly to attract Wildlife, planting collections so that they can be seen in a more established environment. In our terracotta pot display, you can see a large collection of Lavenders in bloom, with a vast array of scents and colours.

Around the walled garden is a large collection of Buddlejas, which when in full bloom have attracted over 28 species of Butterfly to date. Our nursery is a Wildlife friendly environment we do not spray any chemical pesticides/insecticides.

We hope that you enjoy your visit to the nursery. If you would like any help or advice please feel free to ask.

How to find us:

Follow signs to Ozleworth/Newark Park, NOT Kingscote village! NOT Bagpath! Do not turn by Hunters Hall Pub, we are further along the A4135. Our Purple sign is at the junction/crossroads with B4058.

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Bristol		X	
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