



2012 Herb Variety List

Basil—Amethyst Improved—ANNUAL Dark purple Italian large-leaf type. Produces large, flat 3” long leaves that stand out horizontally, copper-tinged purple color. Grows 18”-24” tall. Full Sun

Basil—Boxwood—ANNUAL Compact, small-leafed plants look like boxwoods and are more uniform than other dwarf basil. Great for pesto and other culinary uses, as well as ornamental.

Basil—Cardinal—ANNUAL Beautiful standout in the herb garden and flavorful addition to a flower garden. Attractive tight packed blooms in cardinal red, rich heady scent with a touch of spice.

Basil—Christmas—ANNUAL Amazing basil that not only serves well in the kitchen, but would also make a great garden border or bouquet addition. Has nice fruity aroma. Beautiful, big, glossy green leaves with dark purple flowers.

Basil—Cinnamon—ANNUAL Distinctive cinnamon colored stems, purple flowers and dark green leaves. Pleasant sweet scent. Slight cinnamon taste. Use fresh or dried.

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

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.

Basil—Key Lime—ANNUAL Distinct zesty aroma of lime. Adds a unique citrus flair to fish and salads. Compact plant, leaves are 2” long and grows 16”-20” tall.

Basil—Mrs. Burns Lemon—ANNUAL The best tasting lemon basil, with a sweet tangy flavor. Bright green 2 ½” leaves with white flowers. Attractive and flavorful. Grows 20”-24” tall.

Basil—Minnette—ANNUAL Attractive, bushy very small-leafed and grows in a tight, compact shape. Excellent for a container on the patio or inside by a sunny window. Grows 10” tall.

Basil—Napoletano—ANNUAL “Lettuce-leaf” type with huge, frilly leaves. Spicy, traditional basil flavor. Leaves are up to 4” long and tend to be lighter green in color than other presto types. Grows 14”-16” tall.

Basil—Red Rubin—ANNUAL Vigorous, purple, Italian large leaf type. High yields and great flavor. Flat, 3” long leaves, copper-tinged purple color. Grows 18”-24” tall.

Basil—Spicy Globe—ANNUAL Small, dome-shaped plants with smaller leaves. Decorative plants can be grown in pots or used in flower gardens. Grows 8”-14” tall.

Basil—Thai Magic—ANNUAL Mild, sweet flavor with a hint of anise. Shiny, thick green leaves 3” long. Brilliant magenta flower cluster—fantastic for ornamental use. Grows 18”-22” tall.

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

Chamomile-Roman—PERENNIAL Aromatic, ground cover that will tolerate light foot traffic. Can be used for teas like the annual variety, but produces fewer blossoms. Grows 10"-16" tall. Hardy Zone 5-8.

Chives—PERENNIAL Mild onion flavor. Leaves are a key culinary herb, while the attractive globe-shaped blooms are used as an edible garnish. Grows 18" tall. Hardy Zone 3-9

Chives—Garlic—PERENNIAL Produces thin, flat leaves that have a delicate garlic flavor. It blooms white flowers in midsummer. Grows 15"-18" tall. Hardy Zone 3-9

Cilantro—Calypso—ANNUAL A classic Mexican herb. A variety that is slow-bolting, (going to seed). You need to plant seed every 2 weeks for a continuous supply of fresh leaves all summer.

Cutting Celery—ANNUAL Leafy herb with bold celery flavor. Use fresh in salads, cooked in soups, stews or with vegetables. Grows 18" tall.

Dill-Bouquet—ANNUAL Produces edible seeds and greens to flavor many foods. A must for making pickles! Foliage known as dill weed. Grows 38"-42" tall.

Fennel-Bronze—TENDER PERENNIAL (reseeds) Gorgeous reddish-bronze color in the foliage. Vigorous uniform variety that is slow to bolt (go to seed). Leaves have a sweet flavor, nice addition to salads, cole slaw, and dressings. Non-bulbing type. Grows 24"-36" tall.

Lavender—dentata—ANNUAL Fringed French Lavender that blooms blue flowers. Leaves are glossy, toothed, blue-green lance leaf. Has a unique rosemary-lavender aroma. Grows 28" tall.

Lavender—Ellagance Purple—PERENNIAL A bushy, well-branched variety producing large, dense flower spikes. Use as a cut flower, dried, or in flower garden borders. Attracts butterflies. Grows 12"-14" tall. Hardy Zone 5-7

Lavender—Grosso—PERENNIAL Extremely fragrant deep violet flowers above attractive silver green foliage. A butterfly magnet. 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

Lavender—Lavender Lady—PERENNIAL Aromatic, beautiful silvery foliage and deep lavender-blue flowers. Use in borders, a garden accent, fresh or dried. Grows 18" tall. Hardy Zone 5-9

Lavender—Lavance Purple—PERENNIAL Naturally compact, 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. Hardy Zone 5-9

Lavender—Stoechas—PERENNIAL A French lavender with dark purple flowers on the ends of silver leaf stalks. Grows 24” tall. Hardy Zone 5

Lavender—Vicenza Blue—PERENNIAL Fragrant and elegant deep blue flowers against fine cut gray-green foliage. Use as an accent, in the rock garden, or 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

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.

Marjoram—ANNUAL An elegant and versatile culinary herb. Aroma is similar to oregano, but sweeter and more balsam-like. Grows 10”-24” tall.

Mint-Candymint—PERENNIAL Sweet **peppermint** scented foliage that has reddish stems. Use in teas, jellies, and desserts. Grows 18”-24” tall and 30” wide. Can be invasive. Hardy Zone 5-9

Mint-Chocolate—PERENNIAL Features dark leaves, purple stems and lavender flowers. Delightful peppermint patty fragrance and flavor. Use in borders, drinks, candy. Grows 24” tall. Can be invasive. Hardy Zones 5-9

Mint—The Best—PERENNIAL A stronger, sweeter spearmint aroma and flavor. Truly the “best” culinary mint. Use as an addition to any container. Grows 24” x 18”. Hardy Zones 5-9

Oregano—Cuban—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”

Oregano—Greek—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 Zones 4-8

Oregano—Hot & Spicy—PERENNIAL Thought to be the best oregano for cooking with its’ bold flavor. Has a creeping growth habit. Grows 12” tall. Hardy Zone 5

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

Parsley—Extra Triple Curled—BIANNUAL Intense curled dark green leaves make exceptionally beautiful garnishes. Mild flavor, good yields. Grows 14”-16” tall.

Rosemary—TENDER PERENNIAL Needle-like leaves with a soft pine aroma. Use fresh or dried in a variety of food dishes. Grows 30” tall.

Rosemary-Pine Scented—TENDER PERENNIAL Upright growth habit. Distinctive, strong pine scent. Wonderful plant! Grows 24” tall.

Rosemary—Huntington Carpet—TENDER PERENNIAL Produces blue flowers on deep green glossy foliage. Grows 12”-24” tall. Use as edging, or in containers. Wonderful fresh or dried for crafts or cooking.

Sage—Garden—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

Sage—Gold Variegated—PERENNIAL Long, oval green and gold leaves. Blooms lavender-blue flowers. A milder flavor than the standard sage. Grows 24” tall. Hardy Zones 5-8

Sage—Pineapple—ANNUAL This plant has a shrubby growth habit with attractive scarlet flowers and wonderful pineapple accented leaves. Butterflies and hummingbirds love it! Grows 24” tall.

Sage—Purple—PERENNIAL Aromatic purple foliage, blooms striking blue flowers. Beautiful addition to the flower garden. Use fresh or dried leaves in sausage, salads and soups. Grows 24” tall. Hardy Zones 4-8

Salad Burnet—PERENNIAL Unique leaf shape for salads, garnishes. Mild cucumber flavor. Oval toothed leaflets and deep crimson flower heads. Grows 16”-24” tall. Hardy Zones 4-8

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

Savory—Winter—PERENNIAL The perennial cousin to summer savory, with thicker and shinier leaves. The flavor is more pungent and biting. Use to flavor beans, cabbage. Grows 10”-18” tall. Hardy Zones 4-8

Scented Geranium—Citronella—ANNUAL Attractive deep lobed leaves, with rough texture. Wonderful lemon fragrance.

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

Scented Geranium—Fair Ellen—ANNUAL Leaves are slightly lobed with purple-brown midrib markings. Has a strong pungent scent. Low-growing oak leaf type and looks good in containers.

Scented Geranium—Grey Lady Plymouth—ANNUAL Deep divided grey-green leaves edged with white. Lovely rose scent.

Scented Geranium—Lemon—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!

Scented Geranium—Lime—ANNUAL It has smooth roundish leaves that are slightly ruffled, and sweetly lime-scented. Will grow tall and lanky if not pruned frequently. Wonderful scent!

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

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

Scented Geranium—Pungent Peppermint—ANNUAL Plant has deep cut gray-green leaves. Grows to a medium size and has a nice mint scent.

Scented Geranium—Snowflake Rose—ANNUAL Attractive large, slightly fuzzy leaves that have a hit-and-miss white variegation. Good choice for large containers. Lemon-rose scent.

Spilanthes—ANNUAL Called the “toothache” plant as chewing on a leaf will numb your mouth for several minutes. A fun ornamental that blooms olive-shaped golden yellow flowers with a dark maroon dot in the center. Grows 12”-15” tall.

Stevia—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.

Tarragon—French—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.

Thymus—German Winter—PERENNIAL Classic culinary and ornamental herb. Small, round to needle-shaped, evergreen leaves on woody stems. Good flavor and yields. Grows 8”-12” tall. Hardy Zones 4-9

Thymus—Lemon—PERENNIAL Attractive tiny, light green leaves with lemon scent. Small clusters of tiny pink flowers. Use as a ground cover, in rock gardens, or for edging. Grows 12” tall. Hardy Zones 5-8

Thyme—French—PERENNIAL Neat, upright shrub with spicy, sweet flavored narrow leaves and pale pinkish-purple flowers. Grows 12”-18” tall, spread 18”. Hardy Zones 4-9

Thyme—Minus—PERENNIAL Fragrant evergreen foliage and showy light pink flowers. Use as a ground cover or between stepping stones. Grows 1” tall. Hardy Zones 5-8

Thyme—Orange—PERENNIAL A citrusy scented thyme to use with fish and vegetables, stews, marmalades, or chutney. The strong orange scent is flavorful but not bitter. Great in the kitchen or the garden. Grows 8”-12” tall. Hardy Zone 5

Thymus—Red Creeping—PERENNIAL Blooms reddish-pink flowers on mat-forming, smooth dark leaves of sweetly scented foliage. Excellent as a ground cover. Grows 4” tall. Hardy Zones 4-9

Thymus—Wooly—PERENNIAL Attractive dense silver-grey wooly leaves. Use as a ground cover, in rock gardens and between stepping stones. Grows 2”-4” tall. Hardy Zone 5