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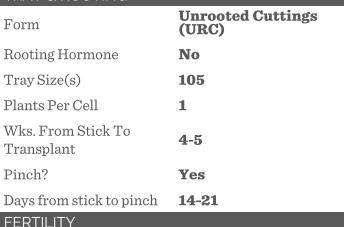
Salvia Open Cultivar(s)

Salvia officinalis



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Fertilize Through Mist?	No
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Fertilizer Rate 50-75 ppm N (20-6-22 or 22-5-16 [15-0-15 under low-light conditions])

EC Range Moderate: (2.0-3.5 mS via SME)

pH Range **5.8-6.2**

TEMPERATURE

Average Soil Temperature **65-72°F (18-22°C)**Average Air Temperature **65-72°F (18-22°C)**

IRRIGATION

Irrigation Frequency Level 3: Keep media moderately moist with mild dry cycles

LIGHT

Supplemental No
Benefits From Shade? No

POTENTIAL DISEASES

Botrytis, powdery mildew

POTENTIAL PESTS

whitefly, aphids

PGR SUGGESTIONS

• None



'Tricolor'

TIPS

- Keep plants on the dryer side during prop to discourage rot and disease.
- Herbs are regulated as edible crops in both the USA and Canada. Only apply fungicides, insecticides, and PGRs that are approved for edible crop production in your state/province.



FINISHING

Salvia Open Cultivar(s)

N/A

Salvia officinalis



Vernalization Required? **No**

Vernalization Duration

Minimum

Vernalization Temperature N/A

CONTAINER SIZE PLANTS
PER POT

4 in./qt (10-12 cm) 1 4-5 6 in./Gal. (15-16 cm) 2-3 5-6

FERTILITY

100-150 ppm N (20-6-22 or 22-5-16

TRANSPLANT TO

FINISH (WEEKS)

Fertilizer Rate [15-0-15 under low-light

conditions])

EC Range Moderate: (2.0-3.5 mS via SME)

pH Range **5.8-6.2**

TEMPERATURE

Day Temperature **65-75°F (18-24°C)**

Night Temperature **55-65°F (13-18°C)**

IRRIGATION

Irrigation Frequency

Level 3: Keep media moderately moist with mild dry cycles

LIGHT

Photoperiodic requirements **N/A**

Supplemental? **None**

Benefits From Shade? **No**

PINCHING

Finishing Pinch? **Yes**

Transplant to pinch (days) 14-21

POTENTIAL DISEASES

Botrytis, powdery mildew

POTENTIAL PESTS

whitefly, aphids,

PGR SUGGESTIONS

• None





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TIPS

- Sensitive to cold temperatures and overwatering, never allow temp to fall below 45°F (7°C).
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FEATURES AND BENEFITS

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First Year Flowering? N/A

Bloom Time

Grown for foliage

Exposure Full Sun

Hardiness Zone 6-9

Height **6-18 inches (15-46 cm)**Width **6-18 inches (15-46 cm)**

DESCRIPTION

A widely used herb in Italian, Balkan and Middle Eastern cuisine, sage has an unmistakable savory pepper aroma and taste. In American cuisine, it serves as a necessary ingredient in poultry stuffing around thanksgiving and other winter holidays.

CONSUMER APPEAL

- Herbs and edibles are a trendy addition to any garden regardless of gardening experience. Children in particular should be included in the multi-sensory experience of an herb garden. Encourage them to touch, crush, smell, taste, and immerse themselves in the wonderful charm of herbs.
- The potent taste and fragrance of herbs makes them naturally resistant to rabbits, deer, and most herbivorous insects.

GARDEN ATTRIBUTES

- Excellent in cottage gardens, sensory gardens, and fragrance gardens. Herbs are an ideal choice for high traffic areas like walkways or entryways into a residence. Their versatility spreads to containers and even houseplants if properly cared for. Can work equally well inter-mixed other perennials.
- Herbs can be a clever and unorthodox addition to cut flower arrangements to create a truly zesty bouquet. Or, dry your herbs to enjoy them out-of-season
- Best grown in very well drained (oftentimes rocky) soils that do not receive too much water.
- Herbs should not be allowed to flower at any time during their lifecycle. Flowering will alter the desired fragrance profile in addition to making the herb extremely bitter and unpalatable.

NATIVITY



COMPANION PLANTS

French tarragon, lemon verbena, lemon balm, mint, basil, oregano, rosemary, thyme, sweet marjoram, stevia

COMMON NAME(S)

sage, garden sage, common sage



'Purpurascens'

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