

SKY NURSERY

2012 Lilac List

FRENCH LILACS (*Syringa vulgaris*)

Adelaide Dunbar. Rapid growing upright shrub. Height 8-12 feet—spread 6-12 feet. Double purple flowers.

Angel White. Medium growing vase-like shrub. Height 6-8 feet—spread 6-8 feet. Hardy to -30° F. Pure white flowers.

Atheline Wilbur. Rapid growing upright shrub. Height 8-12 feet—spread 6-12 feet. Hardy to -30° F. Deep rose buds open to semidouble flowers of orchid, rose, and violet.

Blue Skies. Rapid growing vase-like shrub. Height 8-10 feet—spread 4-6 feet. Covered with fragrant light lavender-blue flowers.

Charles Joly. Medium growing vase-like shrub. Height 6-12 feet—spread 6-12 feet. Double magenta flowers, sweet fragrance.

Ellen Willmott. Medium growing vase-like shrub. Height 6-12 feet—spread 6-12 feet. Double white flowers.

Katherine Havemeyer. Medium growing vase-like shrub. Height 8-12 feet—spread 8-12 feet. Hardy to -30° F. Double pink flowers, very fragrant.

Krasavitsa Moskovy—aka Beauty of Moscow. Medium growing upright shrub. Height 8-12 feet—spread 6-8 feet. Deep pink buds open to pale pink to white flowers, giving a bicolor appearance. Very full flowers—long blooming period. One of the most fragrant varieties.

Lavender Lady. Rapid growing vase-like shrub. Height 8-12 feet—spread 6 feet. Fragrant single lavender purple flowers.

Ludwig Spaeth. Medium growing vase-like shrub. Height 6-12 feet—spread 6-12 feet. Single purple flowers, very fragrant.

Madame Lemoine. Medium growing vase-like shrub. Height 6-12 feet—spread 6-12 feet. Hardy to -25° F. Double white flowers. One of the most fragrant varieties.

Michel Buchner. Medium growing vase-like shrub. Height 8-10 feet—spread 4-5 feet. Hardy to -50° F. Double lilac flowers, fragrant.

Monge. Medium growing upright shrub. Height 10-15 feet—spread 6-8 feet. Deep purple flowers. Tolerant of wet climates.

President Lincoln. Medium growing vase-like shrub. Height 6-12 feet—spread 6-12 feet. Hardy to -25° F. Single blue flowers.

Sensation. Rapid growing upright shrub. Height 8-10 feet—spread 4-8 feet. Wine-red flowers with white edges.

Yankee Doodle. Medium growing vase-like shrub. Height 10-12 feet—spread 6-8 feet. Hardy to -20° F. Single deep purple flowers.

SPECIES & HYBRID LILACS

Syringa meyeri ‘Palibin’—Dwarf Korean Lilac. Medium growing upright shrub. Height 3-4 feet. Hardy to -10° F. Lavender flowers.

Syringa patula ‘Miss Kim’—Miss Kim Dwarf Lilac. Medium growing rounded shrub. Height 2-3 feet—spread 3-4 feet. Hardy to -40° F. Deep purple buds open to ice blue flower; some fragrance.

Syringa x ‘Bloomerang’. Slow growing vase-like shrub. Compact: height 4-5 feet—spread 4-5 feet. Single purple flowers, fragrant. Hardy to -10° F. New reblooming variety; blooms heavily in spring, then reblooms mid-summer to fall.

Syringa x ‘Declaration’. Medium growing vase-like shrub. Height 6-8 feet—spread 4-5 feet. Blooms about a week earlier than most lilacs; covered with fragrant deep reddish-purple flowers. A selection from the National Arboretum.

Syringa x hyacinthiflora ‘Royal Purple’. Medium growing vase-like shrub. Height 6-8 feet—spread 4-5 feet. Hardy to -40° F. Double purple flowers with unusual two-tone effect—purple with bluish interior.

Syringa x prestoniae ‘Redwine’. Medium growing vase-like shrub. Height 8-12 feet—spread 6-10 feet. Hardy to -20° F. Fragrant magenta flowers.

Syringa x ‘Tinkerbelle’. Medium growing vase-like shrub. Height 4-5 feet—spread 4-5 feet. Hardy to -20° F. Pink flowers. Charming smaller lilac.