

## ***Salvia x superba*** ***Adora Blue***

Perennial Salvia, Hybrid Sage

### ***Culture guide***

**Uses:**

Pot, mixed combinations, bedding

**Exposure:**

Sun - Partial shade

**Garden height:**

14" / 35 cm

**Crop time:**

12-14 weeks

**Sow time:**

January-March for flowering pots from May onwards; August-October for flowering pots the following year

**Sowing method:**

1-3 seeds per plug

**Germination:**

Germinates in 14-20 days at 70-75 °F (21-24 °C).  
Cover seed lightly with vermiculite after sowing.

**Growing On:**

Transplant plugs after 7 weeks. Transplant 1 plug per 4" (10 cm) pot and 2-3 plugs per 6" (15 cm) or gallon pot. Grow on at 60-65 °F (15-18 °C) in a well-drained, alkaline medium. Vernalization is not required for flower initiation.

**Media:**

Use a well-drained perennial substrate pH 6.0-7.5

**Temperature:**

Grow at 10-18 °C or outdoors

**Fertilization:**

Moderate to high fertilization levels are required.