



**Perovskia 'Blue Spire'**  
Russian sage



#### TYPES OF PLANTING

**Tree types:** solitary shrubs | **Other types of planting:** undergrowth

#### USE

**Location:** park, large garden, small garden, patio, cemetery | **Pavement:** none | **Planting concepts:** Eco planting

#### CHARACTERISTICS

**Crown shape:** wide vase-shaped | **Crown structure:** open | **Height:** 1 - 1.2 m | **Width:** 0.5 - 1 m | **Winter hardiness zone:** 5A - 10B

#### ASPECTS

**Wind:** slightly tolerant to wind | **Soil:** loess, sabulous clay, light clay, sand, loamy soil | **Nutrient level:** moderately rich in nutrients | **Soil moisture level:** dry, moist | **Light requirements:** sun | **pH range:** acidic, neutral, alkaline (6.1 - 8.5) | **Host plant/forage plant:** bees, butterflies

#### PLANTKENMERKEN

**Flowers:** spikes, striking, singular, small, flower-scented | **Flower colour:** violet, blue | **Flowering period:** June - August | **Leaf colour:** grey-green, underside white-grey | **Leaves:** deciduous, lanceolate, small, slightly hairy, leaf scented, lacinate, serrate | **Autumn colour:** brown | **Fruits:** no fruit | **Bark colour:** pale grey | **Bark:** smooth | **Twig colour:** grey | **Twigs:** hairy | **Root system:** moderately branched, coarse roots

