

ARIZONA-SONORA DESERT MUSEUM

PLANT CARE INFORMATION

'Ultraviolet' Canyon Sage

Salvia lycioides PP#21411

DESCRIPTION: Ultraviolet Canyon Sage is a selection (possibly a hybrid with *Salvia greggii*) of the species native to New Mexico and Texas. It is a perennial or subshrub growing to 2 or 3 feet high. The flowers are blue to indigo blue; occurring in 4" spikes in spring until fall. Ultraviolet Canyon Sage will keep your garden buzzing with honeybees, hummingbirds and butterflies.

RECOMMENDED USE: Makes a fine perennial border, groundcover, dry garden or container plant.

CULTURE:

Hardiness: To at least 0°F.



Sun tolerance: Full sun to light shade.



Watering and feeding: Moderate water use; but can become somewhat drought-resistant once established. Feed in spring and fall.



Soil requirements: Well drained soil.



Pruning: Lightly, as needed