

Caryopteris x clandonensis

Blue Beard



PLANT DESCRIPTION

Plant Type:	Deciduous Shrub
Height / Width:	3 ft. H x 4 ft. W
Plant Form:	Low-growing, erect mound
Flower / Fruit:	Deep purple/blue clusters on current season's growth, from midsummer to frost
Leaf Color, Size:	Narrow, 1½-in. silvery-gray
Native To:	Hybrid of Asian native

GROWING REQUIREMENTS

Sunset Zones:	2b-9, 14-24
Soil:	Adaptable soil, well-drained
Water:	Low to moderate
Sun:	Full sun
Care and Pruning:	Cut back to ground before spring growth, trim after each wave of bloom to encourage repeat flowering

GARDEN USE

**Perennial and shrub borders
Very effective in large groups,
massed, or as a low hedge**