

COMMON LILAC *SYRINGA VULGARIS*

PLANT CHARACTERISTICS

Size

12-16' high, 8-12' wide

Sun/Shade

Full sun

Water

Medium

Maintenance

Medium

Life Span

Deciduous Perennial Zones 3-7



DESCRIPTION

This plant has showy, very fragrant lilac purple flowers that bloom in May which attract butterflies and hummingbirds. Cultivars can have flowers in colors of white, rose, and lavender. It is a multi-stemmed suckering shrub that can be used in a hedge or at borders. Prune after flowering. Remove the suckers if you want to maintain the appearance of the plant. Problems can include powdery mildew, blight, scales, and borers.

Source:

<http://www.missouribotanicalgarden.org/PlantFinder/PlantFinderDetails.aspx?taxonid=282932&isprofile=1&basic=Syringa%20vulgaris>



Have questions or need help?
Contact us at GreenHelpLine@gmail.com.

