Purple Haze™ Fan Flower

Scaevola aemula 'Purple Haze'

Height: 12 inches

Spread: 24 inches

Spacing: 18 inches

Sunlight: ○

Hardiness Zone: (annual)

Description:

This upright-bushy variety is sure to add stunning color to hanging baskets, containers and garden beds; large, deep purple flowers with glossy green foliage bloom all season long; low maintenance and fast growing; heat tolerant

Ornamental Features

Purple Haze Fan Flower features dainty deep purple flowers with yellow eyes along the stems from mid spring to late summer. Its small serrated oval leaves remain dark green in color throughout the season.

Landscape Attributes

Purple Haze Fan Flower is an herbaceous annual with an upright spreading habit of growth. Its relatively fine texture sets it apart from other garden plants with less refined foliage.

This plant will require occasional maintenance and upkeep. Trim off the flower heads after they fade and die to encourage more blooms late into the season. It has no significant negative characteristics.

Purple Haze Fan Flower is recommended for the following landscape applications;



Purple Haze Fan Flower flowers
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Purple Haze Fan Flower in bloom
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- Mass Planting
- Border Edging
- General Garden Use
- Groundcover
- Container Planting
- Hanging Baskets



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Planting & Growing

Purple Haze Fan Flower will grow to be about 12 inches tall at maturity, with a spread of 24 inches. When grown in masses or used as a bedding plant, individual plants should be spaced approximately 18 inches apart. Its foliage tends to remain dense right to the ground, not requiring facer plants in front. This fast-growing annual will normally live for one full growing season, needing replacement the following year.

This plant should only be grown in full sunlight. It does best in average to evenly moist conditions, but will not tolerate standing water. It may require supplemental watering during periods of drought or extended heat. It is not particular as to soil type or pH. It is somewhat tolerant of urban pollution. This is a selected variety of a species not originally from North America. It can be propagated by cuttings; however, as a cultivated variety, be aware that it may be subject to certain restrictions or prohibitions on propagation.

Purple Haze Fan Flower is a fine choice for the garden, but it is also a good selection for planting in outdoor containers and hanging baskets. It is often used as a 'filler' in the 'spiller-thriller-filler' container combination, providing a mass of flowers against which the larger thriller plants stand out. Note that when growing plants in outdoor containers and baskets, they may require more frequent waterings than they would in the yard or garden.