

Press Information

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HERB SEEDS LEMON BALM Mandarina



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Attributes

1. Lemon Balm, but not as you know it!
2. The first Lemon Balm to feature a zesty orange aroma
3. Perfect for brewing a relaxing herbal tea.
4. Provides fragrant foliage summer long
5. Hardy Perennial ideal for beds, borders, patio pots and containers.

Customer delivery date:	From September
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Product Code	Variety	Qty Available	Seed Quantity	Retail Selling Price	Exclusivity
16 43 83	LEMON BALM MANDARINA		20 seeds	£3.49	No

Other information

Genus: Melissa

Family: Lamiaceae

Species: Melissa officinalis

Special Features/Notes: The first lemon balm to have a zesty orange aroma, just like peeling an orange! Making it perfect for brewing a relaxing herbal tea.

Soil type: All Types

Where to grow: Containers, Beds and Borders, Raised Beds and Patios

Type of plant: Hardy Perennial

Edible: Leaves

Scented: Yes

Climate: Prefers Full Sun

Flower/Veg colour: Green

Foliage Colour: Green

Hardiness: -11 to-15 degrees

Height/Spread: H 30-40cm, S 40-50cm

Aftercare: Easy

Sow/Plant: Sow-Late Feb to the End April, Plant-Late May to the end of June

Harvest/Flower: From Aug to Mid Oct, from May to Oct in its second year

Additional Information:

Description:

Lemon Balm, but not as you know it!

The first lemon balm to have a zesty orange aroma, just like peeling an orange! This hardy perennial will form large clumps of fragrant foliage, perfect to add to the garden or a large container. Leaves can be steeped in hot water to create a relaxing and calming orange flavoured tea. Easy to grow, with a shorter (30-35cm) cascading habit than regular lemon balm. Can be used to cover slopes and difficult areas in the garden, adding fragrance all summer.

Growing Information

Sow in small pots/trays of good quality seed compost 0.5cm deep and put on a warm windowsill or propagator at around 21 degrees. Germination up to 28days. When seedlings are large enough to handle, transplant into individual pots and grow on, planting outside 30cm (12") apart (or in pots) after all chance of frost has passed.

Caring for your Lemon Balm Mandarin

Keep your lemon balm plants well-watered during the growing season, particularly during dry spells. Keep the soil moist. Water early in the day so its foliage has time to dry. Lemon balm can also be chopped and frozen.

Culinary Tip

Pick a few leaves or a sprig and steep in hot water for a refreshing herbal tea.

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