



Full Sun ☆ Average Water ♦ ♦

# SEDAN FLORAL GROWN SAFETM

## LEMON BASIL

Lemon Basil is an herb grown primarily for its strong lemon scent. It grows 7-15" tall with white flowers in late summer to early fall. It is a bushy plant with ovate, glossy, bright green leaves often with toothed edged 2" long pointed lemon-scented leaves. The leaves are similar to other basil leaves but tend to be narrower. Full sun and regular watering is regimented for healthy plants. It is actually quite hardy for an annual. Flavor will be at risk if not given any fertilizer. The only pointer to remember about watering is it should be watered whenever the topmost part of the soil is dry. At this time the plant will will but will be back to normal once watered. Basil should never reach flowering during the harvesting periods. If given a chance to flower, its flavor will be sacrificed and the leaves become smaller and rather leathery. Once the flower clusters form, they should be removed so that the plant will continue its vegetative growth, harvesting once a week for each plant will make it bushy due to the side shoots that will develop.

# Complimentary Foods

Cheese	Pasta Sauces	Soups
Chicken	Pesto	Sweet peppers
Duck	Pimientos	Tomatoes
Eggplant	Pizza	Turtle Soup
Fish	Pork	Veal
Lamb	Potatoes	Vegetables
Olive Oil	Rabbit	Vinegars
Onions	Shellfish	Zucchini



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#### Where to Plant

Border or Bed
Container
Edging
Focal Point
Fragrant
Great Foliage
Ground Cover
Mass Planting

### Cuisine

Chinese Italian Thai Vietnamese

## Flavor Pals

Cilantro
Garlic
Mint
Olive Oil
Oregano
Parsley
Saffron
Thyme