

Texas Sage or Cenizo

‘Leucophyllum frutescens’

Full Sun

5' X 6'

Evergreen to semi-evergreen

Purple blooms, summer

Culture: Texas sage grows best in full sun in very well drained alkaline soil. It tolerates extreme heat and poor soil, but not acidic or boggy conditions.

Growth Habit: This selection has a dense, rounded growth habit that its introducers say will allow broader uses than other sages on the market. The growth habit of ‘Silverado’ Texas Sage contrasts with the more open, irregular habit common with other sages. ‘Silverado’ Texas Sage is full and dense to the base. Blooms in cycles during summer. Some leaves may drop in late winter, but new leaves grow in spring.

Pruning: If you feel you need to prune just do a little light pruning to maintain its natural shape.

Notes: Fall is prime time to plant trees and shrubs!

Texas Sage can be viewed in the Master Gardener's Demonstration Garden located behind Hood County Annex 1 on 1410 W. Pearl St, Granbury, Texas