

Hishtil's Double Marvel **Ornamental Herbs**











Thymus citriodorus



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'Ruby Glow'VR





Heard about the exciting new ways of utilising herbs in the garden?

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Traditionally, herbs have been used

in the kitchen and for medicinal purposes - the former because of their wonderful aromas and depth of flavour, and the latter thanks to their magical qualities which have healed and soothed us from the days of our ancestors.

Now retailers, garden designers and consumers are picking up on the exciting new dual-use ornamental trends which Hishtil is bringing to the market, and which multiply the thus enhancing our enjoyment our wellbeing.

herb species and cultivars elevates the gardening experience to a whole blossoms, such as the seductively

If it is fabulous foliage that inspires, try our wonderfully sticky olive-scented Santolina viridis and the zingy yellow Santolina viridis 'Lemon Fizz', or the beautiful Silvery foliage of aromatic ways in which herbs can be utilised, Salvia officinalis 'Snowflake'VR.

of outdoor space, whilst continuing If you like variegated foliage, we have to tantalise the senses and maximise cultivars with which you will fall head-over-heels in love - including the shiny white and silver variegated

Hishtil's extensive range of selected Thymus spp. 'Sparkling Bright'™, with beautifully contrasting pink flowers, and the eye-poppin' bold foliage new level - many with stunning colours of Salvia officinalis 'Tricolor'.

dark purple flowers of **Heperozygis** In addition to colourful flowers satureja 'Midnight Mojito', or and amazing foliage, herbs also the gorgeous rich ruby flowers of have so much to offer gardeners **Thymus spp. 'Ruby Glow'**VR, and the with their varied habits and forms. magical purple - pink flower spikes of Hishtil's GrowFlow range has been Ocimum basilicum 'Magic Mountain'™. specially selected with stunning

plant-lovers to trail elegantly over fences and walls, and from hanging baskets.

Rosmarinus officinalis GrowFlow™ 'Haifa' for your 'fix' of the Mediterranean. and the tangy **Thymus citriodorus** GrowFlow™ 'Lemonade' for her powerful citrus scent, or the cascading stems of pretty **Thymus** serpyllum GrowFlow™ 'Pink Magic',

If you are looking for tactile plants to give structure to a flower, fruit than the impressively columnar Rosmarinus officinalis 'Barbecue' making superb sentinels to contrast of the environment. with the bushy, the low and the sprawling produce at her feet -

tumbling and weeping cultivars for and of course providing spikes of fabulously aromatic foliage to accompany vegetables, fish and meat on the grill in the summer months. Try the wonderfully aromatic Alternatively, choose from Hishtil's extensive range of bushy rosemary cultivars to provide a productive sensory low hedge to edge your flower beds and produce gardens.

In addition, beyond feeding and healing us, and exciting and amazing us, with unusually large pink flowers. herbs also serve to attract some of the most valued and important pollinators into our gardens providing blossom and nectar or vegetable garden, look no further for butterflies, bees and others and which we have a duty to cherish and nurture in our role as guardians



So go ahead - surround yourself with nature and

"Activate your Senses" in pots on a balcony or a patio, or planting them in garden borders and beds, there are varieties with bushy, columnar and trailing habits to enhance every aspect of the gardening experience - with heavenly flowers and brilliant foliage and all with the wonderful tastes, evocative scents and magical healing properties that you would expect.