



# Dense Blazing Star

*Liatris spicata*



Light:	Full Sun, Partial Sun
Soil:	Loam, Sand, Clay
Moisture:	Medium-Wet, Medium
Benefits:	Pollinators, Birds, Hummingbirds, Deer Resistant
Height:	4' to 5'
Blooms:	Jul, Aug, Sep
Zones:	3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9
Color:	Lavender, Pink, Purple
Spacing:	6" to 1'
Root:	Corm

Dense Blazing Star is a great addition to a home garden and makes an impressive vertical accent in the back border of the garden. It benefits hummingbirds and butterflies, is a host plant for some moths, songbirds love the seeds in the fall, and the Pollinator Program of The Xerces Society for Invertebrate Conservation has designated it as a special value to native bees.

Also known as Marsh Blazing Star, this plant does well in rain gardens, butterfly gardens, along shorelines and in marshy meadows.

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