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Fescue, Blue 'Elijah Blue'

Bloom Color Blue

Bloom Time Summer

Leaf Color Blue and silvery
This plant has attractive foliage.

Environment

This plant tolerates drought.

This plant will grow in dry to moist soil.

Suitable soil is well-drained/loamy or sandy.

The pH preference is a neutral to slightly alkaline (6.8 to 7.7) soil.

Landscape Uses

- Container plantings
- Alpine garden
- Rock garden
- Seashore planting
- Border
- Massing
- Groundcover

Attributes and Features

***Festuca glauca* 'Elijah Blue'** syn. *Festuca ovina*
var. glauca
Blue Fescue
Poaceae (Grass)

Type Perennial, grass
Hardy range 4A to 9A
Height 6" to 8" / 15cm to 20cm
Growth rate Average
Form Rounded
Exposure Full sun

Native Habitat

Species native to Europe.

Propagation and Root Form

Propagation is from division.

Best propagation time is in the spring.

This plant's roots are fibrous.

Pests, Diseases and Damaging Agents

Diseases: Crown rot may occur if planted in wet, heavy soil.



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