




## ECHINOPS ritro ssp. ruthenicus 'Platinum Blue'

Globe Thistle

Item No.: EA016

Portion Price (sufficient for 50-100 plants)	1g Price (0.1-9.9g)	10g Price (10-99.9g)	100g Price (100-999.9g)	1000g Price (1000-9999.9g)	10000g Price (10000-99999.9g)
2,50€	2,50€	20,00€	140,00€	-	-

### Plant Description

<b>Article Type</b>	pure seed
<b>Life Cycle</b>	Perennial
<b>Family</b>	Asteraceae
<b>Special Features</b>	White-woolly stems.
<b>Basic Colour</b>	(blue)
<b>Flower Colour</b>	brilliant sky-blue
<b>Natural Flowering Period</b>	July - September
<b>Winter Hardiness Zones</b>	Z3 - Z8
<b>Foliage</b>	dark green, finely feathered
<b>Height with Flowers</b>	60 cm
<b>Soil Requirements</b>	dry / average
<b>Location</b>	
<b>Usage</b>	honey-bee food plant / for the rock garden / suitable for cutting

### Cultivation

<b>Grams per 1000 seeds</b>	7.69231 Gram
<b>Seeds per Gram</b>	130 (does not correspond to the number of plants!)
<b>Gram to get 1000 plants</b>	40 Gram (if sown directly into pots etc. you will need a larger quantity)
<b>Sowing Direction</b>	(15) Rapidly germinating, keep seed in constant moisture (not wet) with temperatures of about +20°C [68°F]. Seeds must be covered thinly. Do not cover very small seeds, but tightly press into the earth. Keep in cooler conditions after germination occurs.