

# *Lupinus truncatus*

## Collar Lupine

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To 3' high, branched.

Leaves usually truncate.

Flowers blue changing to  
purple to magenta -  
March to May.

Native habitat: valley grass-  
land, coastal sage scrub,  
chaparral - central and  
south western California  
to Baja California.

Full sun to part shade.

Useful on its own or in an annual  
spring flower mix.

Can be used to give spring color  
to areas of later-flowering  
perennials.

Note: Lupines are toxic.



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