



the HOP shop



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Ordering

To order, please telephone **01959 523219** (preferably on weekdays 10am – 5pm) or e-mail us on sales@hopshop.co.uk and we will confirm availability and cost of your order. Please give a daytime telephone number and, for your own security, **do not send credit card details in an e-mail**. We will take payment details by telephone and also give an estimate of the date of despatch.

A limited range of items can be ordered directly off the internet where there is a secure online payment system.

Payment is not taken until orders are prepared for despatch.

Delivery Charges and Information

	Delivery charge per order
Oils, Toiletries and Food Items Delivery is by Royal Mail packets service. Please allow 5 working days for delivery. An express courier service is available at extra cost for delivery to addresses on the UK mainland – please telephone to arrange.	£5.00
Dried Flowers and Displays <i>Please note:</i> we pack our flowers with great care and will only despatch those items which we are confident will travel successfully, however there may be the occasional breakage of small flower heads or shedding of petals which is unavoidable due to movement in transit. Dried flowers are naturally fragile.	£7.50
Hop Bines Dried bines – Delivery is by Royal Mail parcels service or, for larger quantities, by Parcelforce. Please give a delivery address which is manned on weekdays 9.00-17.00 or instructions on where parcels can be safely left. An express courier service is available at extra cost for delivery to addresses on the UK mainland. Fresh bines – Delivery is by DHL Standard (to business addresses), DHL@home-24 (to residential addresses) or by Parcelforce-24 (business and residential addresses).	delivery included (UK delivery only)
Hop Plants Delivery is by Royal Mail packets service. Please give a delivery address which is manned on weekdays 9.00-17.00 or instructions on where parcels can be safely left.	delivery included (UK delivery only)
Overseas delivery (only available for oils, toiletries and teas)	charged at cost

KENTISH LAVENDER - Essential Oils and Toiletries

The pure lavender, lavandin and rosemary oils in these products are grown and distilled at Castle Farm. We have produced a unique range of high quality products by working with individual specialists in the flavouring, fragancing and toiletries industries.

Essential Oils

Item	Description	Price	Unit
Pure Kentish Lavender Oil	a high-grade sweet, gentle essential oil suitable for relaxing baths, perfumery and aromatherapy	£5.00	10ml
		£12.50	30ml
		£32.00	100ml
Pure Kentish Lavandin Oil	a strong-scented stimulating essential oil for general use as a room scent, insect repellent etc, or in chocolate-making	£4.50	10ml
		£11.25	30ml
		£28.50	100ml
Pure Kentish Rosemary Oil	a stimulating refreshing essential oil	£5.00	10ml
The Castle Farm Trio	one bottle each of Kentish lavender, lavandin and rosemary essential oils	£13.50	3 x 10ml
Kentish Lavender and Hop 'Sleepy Scent'	a unique soothing, relaxing blend of essential oils for use as a pillow fragrance	£6.75	10ml

Toiletries

Item	Description	Price	Unit
Kentish Lavender and Hop 'Sleepy Balm'	aromatherapy balm massage into temples or upper lip below the nose	£5.50	15ml
Kentish Lavender Massage Oil	blended massage oil with lavender, English chamomile and neroli	£5.50	30ml
		£12.75	100ml
Kentish Lavender Hand Cream	with Kentish lavender and English beeswax	£7.95	60ml pot
		£19.95	150ml pot
'Hopshave'	a fresh-scented aftershave with English hops	£6.95	30ml
Rosy Posy Nettle & Olive Shampoo	hand-made shampoo bar – ideal for travelling – with Kentish rosemary oil and nettles	£4.95	approx. 100g
Lavender Soap	with Kentish lavandin oil	£4.95	140g block
Rosemary Soap	with Kentish rosemary oil	£4.95	140g block
Kentish Lavender Room Spray	with 99% natural oils of lavender, rosemary and thyme	£7.50	100ml

'NATURAL SLEEP' PRODUCTS with Kentish Hops and Lavender

Item	Description	Price	Unit
'Sleepy Pillow Mix'	lavender (<i>L. angustifolia</i>) and hop flowers	£15.00	approx. 200g pkt
'Sleepy Scent'	oils of lavender and hops as a pillow fragrance	£6.75	10ml bottle
'Sleepy Balm'	oils of lavender and hops as an aromatherapy balm	£5.50	15ml pot
'Sleepy Tea'	camomile, lavender, hops and rose petals	£3.75	50g

LAVENDER and HOP FLOWERS

Item	Description	Price	Unit
Hop flowers*	whole, unpresseed flowers for hop pillows and home-brewing (Fuggles)	£3.00	approx. 40g pkt
		£8.25	approx. 125g pkt
		£25.00	500g
Sleep Pillow Mix	lavender (<i>L. angustifolia</i>) and hop flowers	£15.00	approx. 200g pkt
Lavender flowers* <i>L. angustifolia</i>	dark blue, gentle calming scent for sleep pillows etc.	£3.75	50g packet
		£22.00	500g
		£44.00	1kg
Lavandin flowers <i>L. intermedia</i>	grey-blue, strong stimulating scent for scenting rooms, linen, pot pourri etc (not for relaxation and sleep!)	£2.25	50g packet
		£15.00	500g
		£30.00	1kg
Lavandin flowers <i>L. intermedia</i>	in lilac organza bags for scenting drawers, linen etc	£1.40	mini bag (10g)
		£3.75	large bag (50g)
Lavandin flowers <i>L. intermedia</i>	embroidered bags with draw-string	£3.25	one size (25g)

* With reference to the BBC2 television programme 'Grow Your Own Drugs', we recommend the 200g Sleepy Pillow Mix as a good balance of aromas. This is equivalent to 2 x 40g hop flowers and approx 2.5 x 50g lavender. Put the Sleepy Mix into an old pillowcase, fold it in half and spread out the mixture evenly. Place the pad on top of your normal pillow but inside the normal pillowcase to hold it in place. The hops sound scrunchy at first until they settle. Lie down and breathe deeply. One or two drops of the popular Sleepy Scent or a little Sleepy Balm can be used for extra effect.

KENTISH LAVENDER - Gifts

Item	Description	Price	Unit
Tea Towel – 'Lavender fields'	watercolour painting of Castle Farm	£4.95	
Greetings Card – 'Lavender fields'	watercolour painting of Castle Farm (blank inside)	£1.95	8 x 6 in.

FOOD PRODUCTS with Culinary Kentish Lavender and Rosemary

Item	Description	Price	Unit
Culinary Lavender Essences	Hot – for bakery and high-temperature use	£4.75	10ml
	Cold – for ice-cream, drinks and low-temperature use	£4.75	10ml
Culinary Rosemary Essences	Hot – for bakery and high-temperature use	£4.75	10ml
	Cold – for ice-cream, drinks and low-temperature use	£4.75	10ml
Culinary Essences	Special chef / caterer's price	£18.50	100ml
Lavender Heads	dark blue, gentle scent, sweet taste suitable for cooking	£2.95	30g packet
Lavender Biscuits	shortbread biscuits made with essence and flowers	£2.25	150g pkt
Lavender Salt	Anglesey sea salt with culinary lavender flowers	£2.95	125g pkt

Specialist Lavender Teas – unique to The Hop Shop

Item	Description – all loose teas	Price	Unit
Morning Booster	white Chinese tea with medicinal herbs and stimulating rosemary and Lavandin	£4.95	125g
Lavender Grey	Earl Grey with lavender flowers – a tea-time tea	£4.00	125g
After Dinner Mint	peppermint leaves with lavender and lavandin flowers	£3.50	100g
Sleepy Tea	camomile, relaxing lavender, hops and rose petals	£3.75	50g

HOP BINES (see page 8 for Hop Plants)

Our hops are grown solely for decorative use and are cultivated so as to promote the growth of thick bines with a mass of flowers. There are two varieties – Phoenix, which matures in mid-August and has large showy flowers which are a dusky green; and Wye Challenger, which matures in early September and has a mass of smaller, nuttier bright green flowers. Growing to a height of over 4 metres, we select the best top 3m sections for decorative use. All hop flowers contain a yellow pollen-like substance which can cause staining to fabrics and furnishings so they must be handled and displayed with care – we recommend the use of dust sheets when handling hop bines.

DRIED Hop Bines – available all year

These are harvested in their prime and dried in the dark to retain maximum colour before being packed in boxes for storage. The new season's crop is available from early September and can be purchased throughout the year.

The dried hop bines are approximately 3m (10ft) long and individually boxed for delivery. (If we are sold out of the single, fuller bines, we will pack two thinner or shorter bines together to make up an equivalent weight/volume.) We recommend that the bines are removed from their packaging and hung in their final decorative position as soon as possible. We cannot accept responsibility for the condition of bines which remain in their packaging.

Dried bines must be handled carefully as the flowers are delicate and damaged hops can stain fabrics or carpets. If the bine seems brittle on arrival, open it up and leave it somewhere damp overnight - not outside, but in a garage or shed - to absorb atmospheric moisture to make it easier to handle. Hops must be placed where they can remain undisturbed. In time and with exposure to light, the colour will mellow. Hops kept in a dry, dark location will retain colour better than those in a damp or bright location.

Dried bines for Mail Order can be ordered direct off the internet or by phone. Dried bines are available from the shop all year – priced at £19.50. Baby bines £9.50.

Autumn 2009/Spring 2010 prices (delivery included):	1 bine	£31.50
	2 bines	£55.00
	3 bines	£78.00
	4 bines	£100.00

Prices for additional quantities available on request.

FRESH Hop Bines – mid-August to mid-September

Fresh hop bines can be draped and twined into place and left to dry naturally. They are available direct from the farm shop from mid-August to mid-September. Please note, fresh hops inevitably contain some small insects or maybe aphids which leave the bine as soon as it starts to dry. These normally disappear within a few days. We try to ensure that their presence is minimal but sometimes it cannot be detected until the bine starts to dry.

Fresh bines are cut on a daily basis for the farm shop. Prices for collection are from £12.50 to £17.50 depending on size. Fresh hops can be despatched by next day carrier within the UK mainland, though there may be restrictions/surcharges for delivery to certain postcodes. Fresh bines must be unpacked **immediately** on receipt.

Please **telephone to order** fresh bines so we can make exact delivery arrangements to suit you.

2009 Guide prices (with express delivery): (2010 prices will be confirmed in August)	1 bine	£34.00
	2 bines	£64.00
	3 bines	£93.00
	4 bines	£120.00

Prices for additional quantities available on request.

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DRIED FLOWERS and GRASSES (minimum order of 6 bunches in total)

Latin Name	Common Name	Description / Colour	Price per bunch
<i>Achillea filipendulina</i>	Yarrow 'Gold Plate'	yellow	£3.00
<i>Carthamus</i>	Safflower	natural orange	£4.00
<i>Echinops</i>	Globe Thistle	grey-blue	£4.25
<i>Eucalyptus</i>	Eucalyptus	dyed green, glycerined	£3.75
<i>Hordeum</i>	Barley	natural golden	£3.50
<i>Hydrangea</i>	Hydrangea	blue red, pale green	£3.50 – £4.50 ea. £2.75 – £4.50 ea.
<i>Lavandula angustifolia</i>	Lavender	dark blue 'Folgate'	£3.50
<i>Lavandula x intermedia</i>	Lavandin	grey-blue, strong-stemmed 'Grosso'	£3.00
<i>Linum</i>	Linseed	golden seedpods	£2.75
<i>Origanum vulgare</i>	Marjoram	purple (limited stocks)	£3.00
<i>Papaver somniferum</i>	Poppy	natural	£4.50
<i>Salvia</i>	Sage	natural grey	£2.00
<i>Thymus vulgaris</i>	Thyme	natural green	£2.00
<i>Triticum</i>	Wheat	natural green natural golden dyed red	£3.50 £3.50 £3.95
<i>Zea</i>	Maize Cobs	yellow cobs on stems	£1.75 ea.
<i>Zea</i>	Maize Tops	flower stems with leaves	£3.75

Ready-Made Displays (dimensions are approximate)

Item	Description	Price	Size
Maize Swags	decorative bundles of maize cobs designed to be hung on the wall	£12.50	approx. 75cm
Wheat Sheaf	for wall-hanging, green wheat tied with raffia or gold wheat with twine	£10.95 £18.50	Small (50-60cm) Medium (75cm)
Lavender and Wheat Sheaf	green wheat tied with raffia	£11.25 £18.95	Small Medium
Wheat Stook	free-standing, green or golden wheat, tied with jute twine	£10.95 £18.50 £32.50 £36.00	Small (approx. 50cm) Medium (approx. 60cm) Large (approx. 75cm) Large with plaited twine
Lavender and Wheat Stook	green wheat tied with twine	£13.50	Small

HOP PLANTS – available February to April *only*

Hardy perennial hop plants to grow in your garden are available in February, March and April. They can be purchased from the farm shop or sent by mail order within the UK. Unfortunately we cannot despatch hop plants to addresses outside the UK.

We stock the traditional brewing varieties, Fuggles, Goldings and Wye Challenger, and a dwarf variety 'Prima Donna' which is ideal for small gardens. All are female plants so have the showy hop flowers in August and September.

Hops are tolerant of a range of soil conditions but grow best in a deep, rich, moist soil. They need to have support, and climb by twining (clockwise) round strings or through trellis or other plants. They are excellent for covering unsightly sheds or old tree stumps in summer.

The plants die back in winter so all stems should be cut back to ground level in the autumn. New shoots will appear in the spring.

2010 Prices (delivery included):	1 plant	£14.75
	2 plants	£22.00
	3 plants	£29.25
	4 plants	£36.50

Prices for additional quantities available on request.