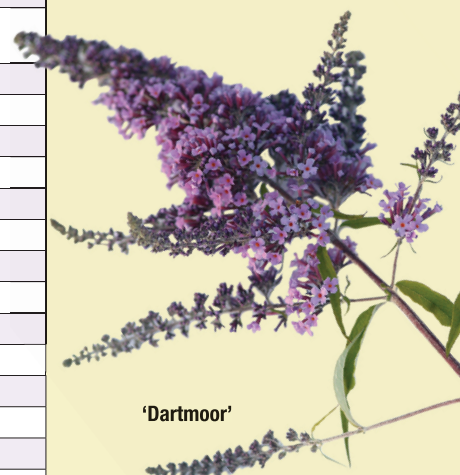


Overall rating	Name	Height	Width	Flower color	Flower size (length)	Bloom production
★★	<i>Buddleia alternifolia</i>	55 inches	66 inches	Lavender	7 inches	Moderate
★★★★	<i>B. davidii</i> * 'Adokeep' (Adonis Blue™)	52 inches	73 inches	Blue-purple	10 inches	Heavy
★★★★	<i>B. davidii</i> * 'African Queen'	80 inches	78 inches	Dark violet	12 inches	Heavy
★★	<i>B. davidii</i> * 'Asian Moon'†	27 inches	38 inches	Lavender	6 inches	Moderate
★★★★	<i>B. davidii</i> * 'Attraction'	56 inches	75 inches	Red-purple	12 inches	Heavy
★★★	<i>B. davidii</i> * 'Black Knight'	70 inches	74 inches	Dark purple	12 inches	Heavy
★	<i>B. davidii</i> * 'Blue Chip' (Lo & Behold® Blue Chip)†	30 inches	60 inches	Lavender-blue	6 inches	Heavy
★★	<i>B. davidii</i> * 'Bonnie'	54 inches	67 inches	Light lavender	10 inches	Heavy
★★★	<i>B. davidii</i> * 'Border Beauty'	66 inches	89 inches	Dark lilac-purple	8 inches	Heavy
★★★	<i>B. davidii</i> * 'Butterfly Heaven'	84 inches	65 inches	Lilac-purple	10 inches	Heavy
★★	<i>B. davidii</i> * 'Cornwall Blue'	27 inches	29 inches	Medium lavender	7 inches	Heavy
★★★	<i>B. davidii</i> * 'Dartmoor'	78 inches	96 inches	Medium pink-purple	12 inches	Heavy
★★★	<i>B. davidii</i> * 'Ellen's Blue'	37 inches	44 inches	Deep blue-purple	7 inches	Heavy
★★	<i>B. davidii</i> * 'Empire Blue'	56 inches	69 inches	Violet-blue	7 inches	Heavy
★★	<i>B. davidii</i> * 'Evil Ways'	27 inches	44 inches	Dark purple	6 inches	Heavy
★★	<i>B. davidii</i> * 'Guinevere'	70 inches	88 inches	Dark purple	12 inches	Heavy
★★★	<i>B. davidii</i> * 'Harlequin'	55 inches	69 inches	Magenta	11 inches	Heavy
★★★	<i>B. davidii</i> * 'Ile de France'	72 inches	78 inches	Blue-purple	8 inches	Heavy
★★	<i>B. davidii</i> * 'Miss Molly'†	27 inches	28 inches	Bright pink-red	8 inches	Heavy
★★	<i>B. davidii</i> * 'Miss Ruby'†	56 inches	54 inches	Bright rosy pink	9 inches	Heavy
★★	<i>B. davidii</i> * 'Nanho Blue'	62 inches	74 inches	Lavender-blue	12 inches	Heavy
★★★	<i>B. davidii</i> * 'Nanho Purple'	38 inches	52 inches	Magenta-purple	6 inches	Heavy
★★★	<i>B. davidii</i> * 'Opera'	70 inches	72 inches	Purple	12 inches	Heavy
★★★	<i>B. davidii</i> * 'Orchid Beauty'	74 inches	90 inches	Lavender	13 inches	Heavy
★★★	<i>B. davidii</i> * 'Peakeep' (Peacock™)	46 inches	51 inches	Purplish pink	11 inches	Heavy
★★	<i>B. davidii</i> * 'Potter's Purple'	67 inches	68 inches	Light purple	6 inches	Moderate
★★★★	<i>B. davidii</i> * 'Purple Haze' (Lo & Behold® Purple Haze)†	26 inches	60 inches	Purple-blue	7 inches	Heavy
★★	<i>B. davidii</i> * 'Purple Prince'	66 inches	74 inches	Magenta-red	12 inches	Heavy
★★	<i>B. davidii</i> * 'Pyrkeep' (Purple Emperor™)	36 inches	49 inches	Light purple	7 inches	Heavy
★★★★	<i>B. davidii</i> * 'Red Plume'	79 inches	78 inches	Red-violet	12 inches	Heavy
★★★	<i>B. davidii</i> * 'Royal Red'	72 inches	67 inches	Red-purple	11 inches	Heavy
★★★	<i>B. davidii</i> * 'Santana'	65 inches	79 inches	Magenta-red	8 inches	Low
★★★★	<i>B. davidii</i> * 'Silver Frost'	65 inches	67 inches	White	8 inches	Heavy
★★★	<i>B. davidii</i> * 'Snowbank'	70 inches	78 inches	White	13 inches	Moderate
★★	<i>B. davidii</i> * 'Summer Beauty'	42 inches	39 inches	Rosy pink	9 inches	Heavy
★★★	<i>B. davidii</i> * 'Summer Rose'	65 inches	96 inches	Pink-purple	14 inches	Heavy
★★★	<i>B. davidii</i> * 'White Ball'	30 inches	35 inches	White	3 inches	Moderate
★★★★	<i>B. davidii</i> * 'White Bouquet'	79 inches	78 inches	White	12 inches	Heavy
★★★	<i>B. davidii</i> * 'White Feather'	83 inches	100 inches	White	11 inches	Heavy
★★	<i>B. davidii</i> * 'White Harlequin'	39 inches	52 inches	White	8 inches	Low
★★★★	<i>B. davidii</i> * 'White Profusion'	70 inches	66 inches	White	12 inches	Heavy
★★	<i>B. 'Lochin'</i>	46 inches	53 inches	Lavender	7 inches	Heavy
★★★	<i>B. 'Pink Delight'</i>	73 inches	75 inches	Pink	12 inches	Heavy
★★★	<i>B. 'Podaras #4' (Flutterby Grande™ Blueberry Cobbler)†</i>	26 inches	62 inches	Lavender-blue	12 inches	Heavy
★★★	<i>B. 'Podaras #9' (Flutterby™ Pink)†</i>	50 inches	40 inches	Rose-pink	12 inches	Heavy
★★★★	<i>B. × weyeriana</i> 'Bicolor'	67 inches	78 inches	Lavender and orange	10 inches	Heavy

RATINGS:

- ★★★★ Excellent
- ★★★ Good
- ★★ Fair
- ★ Poor

† = Sterile



'Dartmoor'

TRIAL PARAMETERS

How long: A minimum of six years

Zone: 5b

Conditions: Full sun; well-drained, alkaline soil

Care: Minimal, allowing plants to thrive or fail under natural conditions. Plants were regularly cut back to about 12 inches in late winter.

Observations: Ornamental traits; growth and adaptation to environmental and soil conditions; disease or pest problems; plant injury or winter losses.

SOURCES:

The following mail-order plant sellers offer many of the butterfly bushes featured:

Forestfarm, Williams, Ore.; 541-846-7269; forestfarm.com

Nature Hills Nursery, Omaha, Neb.; 888-864-7663; naturehills.com

Plant Delights Nursery, Raleigh, N.C.; 919-772-4794; plantdelights.com