Species: *Syringa pekinensis*

(si-RING-gah pee-keen-EN-sis)

Pekin Lilac

### Cultivar Information

* See specific cultivar notes on next page.

### Ornamental Characteristics

Size:  Tree < 30 feet
Height:  15'-20'
Leaves:  Deciduous
Shape:  Multi-stemmed, upright-arching, loose and open
Ornamental Other:

### Environmental Characteristics

Light:  Full sun
Hardy To Zone:  4b
Soil Ph:  Can tolerate acid to neutral soil (pH 5.0 to 7.4)
Salt Tolerance:  Tolerates salty soil

### Insect Disease

No diseases listed

### Bare Root Transplanting

Any

### Moisture Tolerance

[Moisture Tolerance Graph]

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Cultivars for *Syringa pekinensis*

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<td>Great Wall</td>
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<td>Pendula</td>
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Photos

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