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Thymus x citriodorus

LEMON THYME is an evergreen shrub with pale lilac flowers.

It is also known as *Citrontimjan* (Swedish), Garden thyme, German thyme, Golden-edged thyme, Lemon-scented thyme, *Sitruuna-ajuruoho* (Finnish), *Thaëme* (Channel Islander-Guernsey), *Thymbre* (Channel Islander-Jersey Norman-French), Winter thyme, *Zitronenquendel* (German), and *Zitronenthymian* (German).

Citriodorus is made up of the genus name *Citrus* and Latin *odori-* (scent) components meaning 'lemon-scented'.

Lemon thyme is used domestically for cooking and as an aromatic ornamental garden plant – but it is not employed medicinally.