

Polygonum - Plant



silver lace vine

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Description Polygonum is a genus of about 220 species of flowering plant in the buckwheat and knotweed family Polygonaceae. Common names include knotweed, knotgrass, bistort, tearthumb, mile-a-minute, smartweed and several others.

Common name: silver lace vine

Color: Pink

Bloom time: July to frost

Height: 15.00 to 25.00 feet

Difficulty level: easy to grow

Planting & Care

If growing outdoors from the off then it is best to sow Knotweed and other Polygonum species outside just after the last frost of spring; once sown lightly cover the Knotweed seeds with topsoil.

The plants prefer to grow in a partially shaded part of the garden and like to have a moist soil of pH 6 to 7.5. Even though the soil should be moist it is important that Knotweed grows in areas of good drainage.

Sunlight: Full Sun to Partial Shade

Soil: well-drained soil

Water: Medium

Temperature: 60-68 degrees

Fertilizer: Apply any organic fertilizer

Care:

- Knotweed and other Polygonum plant genus members like to grow in a moist garden soil so keep well watered.
- The vine varieties of Polygonum should be pruned heavily at the start of spring to prevent scrawny growth and make them more attractive.
- Once flowering has finished cut back the stems (usually in the autumn).
- If you require more plants then they can be propagated by division in the autumn.

Special Feature:

Provides quick cover in sun or shade for trellises, fences, arbors, pergolas and walls. May also be sprawled over the ground as a ground cover to camouflage rock piles or old tree stumps or to provide soil stabilization for banks

Use

Medicinal use:

- Medicinal use of Knotweed: Knotweed is a safe and effective astringent and diuretic herb

Ornamental use:

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Note:

please consult appropriate doctor before use.

Reference:

<http://www.gardenershq.com/Polygonum-Knotweed-Bistort.php> <http://www.gardenershq.com/Polygonum-Knotweed-Bistort.php>