

Botanical Name: Campanula poscharskyana

Common Name: Serbian bellflower

Type of Plant: dicot; groundcover Character evergreen

Habit of Growth:

Overall Shape low, many branched subshrub, erect branches to prostrate,  
covered with foliage to form a loose clump-mound, spreads outward

Height 6-12" (15") Spread indefinite Growth Rate mod/rapid

Environment:

Exposure outdoors full sun near coast, partial sun-shade inland

Soil prefers moist, acidic loam, tolerates most

Hardiness hardy (zones 1-7,8,9,14-24); thrives in mild, humid areas

Morphology:

Leaves pinnate, alternate, ovate-cordate, 3/4 to 1-1/2" long,  
irregularly toothed-crenate, medium green, slightly hairy

Flowers blue-lilac, bell shaped, deeply 5 lobed corolla, 1/2-1"  
across, small terminal clusters--spring through summer

Fruit 1/4" capsule

Propagation: seed, division of plant

Usage: facier, small area groundcover for moist, shaded locations--  
for blue, bellflower display and foliage texture, rock gardens, forest  
themes, temperate climate themes, fern areas, etc.

Landscape Care:

Watering prefers regular, tolerates some drought

Fertilizing balanced in spring

Pruning head back prostrate stems to keep in bounds

Pests/Diseases none

Special Conditions

Origin: Serbia, Albania Family: Campanulaceae