

Botanical Name: Iberis sempervirens

Common Name: Evergreen candytuft

Type of Plant: dicot: perennial Character evergreen

Habit of Growth:

Overall Shape dense, rounded plant, covered with pure white flower
clusters on 2" stems

Height 12" - 18" Spread 12" - 18" Growth Rate moderate

Environment:

Exposure outdoors full sun to partial shade

Soil prefers good drainage

Hardiness hardy: all zones

Morphology:

Leaves oblong, 1" to 3" long, to 5/8" across, entire

Flowers white, in dense corymbs, on 2" long stems, in spring (as
early as November)

Fruit rounded silicle

Propagation: stem cuttings

Usage: useful in borders, rock gardens, containers, edging along
walks, small scale groundcover

Landscape Care:

Watering prefers occasional deep watering, fairly drought tolerant

Fertilizing balanced in spring

Pruning shear lightly after bloom to stimulate new growth

Pests/Diseases none

Special Conditions

Origin: Italy Family: Cruciferae