

Botanical Name: Convolvulus sabatius

Common Name: Ground morning glory

Type of Plant: dicot; groundcover Family Convolvulaceae

Habit of Growth:

Overall Shape low, tumbling, spreading groundcover perennial with
trailing stems and soft, hairy, gray-green foliage

Height to 2 ft. Spread to 4 ft. Growth Rate moderate

Environment:

Exposure outdoors full sun to partial shade

Soil needs a soil with good drainage

Hardiness some frost: zones 7-9, 12-24

Morphology:

Leaves ovate to orbiculate, to 1-1/2" across; olive green color
above, hairy and silvery beneath

Flowers funnel-shaped flowers to 2" across, lavender-blue - blooms
late spring into fall

Fruit 2-valve capsule

Propagation: stem cuttings any time

Usage: low perennial for dry landscapes, slopes, mixed with other
drought-tolerant perennials, cactus and succulents

Landscape Care:

Watering average watering, but does best with excellent drainage;
keep on dry side for longest life

Fertilizing balanced fertilizer in spring

Pruning head back lightly each year to keep from getting woody

Pests/Diseases none significant

Other _____

Origin: North Africa