Aquilegia vulgaris

(columbine)

The flowers of this perennial plant vary in color depending on their place of origin from blue to pink, yellow or white. Flowers early summer. Used for borders, rock gardens, cottage gardens, open shade gardens,



Landscape Information

Plant Type: Groundcover

Origin: Europe

Heat Zones: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 **Hardiness Zones:** 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8

Uses: Specimen, Border Plant, Mass Planting

Size/Shape

Growth Rate: Fast Tree Shape: Round

Height at Maturity: Less than 0.5 m Spread at Maturity: Less than 50 cm Time to Ultimate Height: 1 to 2 Years

Plant Image

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Flower Image

Botanical Description

Foliage

Leaf Arrangement: Whorled Leaf Persistance: Deciduous

Leaf Type: Trifoliate **Leaf Blade:** Less than 5

Leaf Scent:

Flower

Flower Showiness: True Flower Size Range: 1.5 - 3

Flower Color: Purple, Blue, White, Pink

Seasons: Summer

Fruit

Fruit Type: Capsule
Fruit Showiness: True
Fruit Size Range: 1.5 - 3
Fruit Colors: Green

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Leaf Image

Horticulture Management

Tolerance

Frost Tolerant: Yes Heat Tolerant: No Drought Tolerant: No Salt Tolerance: Poor

Requirements

Soil Requirements: Clay, Loam, Sand

Soil Ph Requirements: Neutral Water Requirements: Moderate Light Requirements: Full, Part

Management

Edible Parts: None

Pests: Aphids, Leaf Miner **Plant Propagations:**

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