

Armeria maritima

(Sea Pink, Sea Thrift)

Armeria maritima is an evergreen perennial native to Europe and North America. It flowers in spring and summer with pink flowers. It grows in full sun to partial shade with perfectly drained soil. It can be a great addition to rock gardens, border planting, and container.



Plant Image

Landscape Information

French Name: Gazon d'Espagne

Arabic Name: قرنفل بحري

Pronunciation: ar-MEER-uh muh-RIT-ih-muh

Plant Type: Groundcover

Origin: Europe, North America

Heat Zones: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9

Hardiness Zones: 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9

Uses: Border Plant, Container, Extensive Green Roof, Rock Garden

Size/Shape

Growth Rate: Fast

Tree Shape: Round

Canopy Density: Dense

Canopy Texture: Fine

Height at Maturity: Less than 0.5 m

Spread at Maturity: Less than 50 cm

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Flower Image

Botanical Description

Foliage

Leaf Arrangement: Spiral

Leaf Persistence: Evergreen

Leaf Type: Simple

Leaf Blade: 5 - 10 cm

Leaf Shape: Linear

Leaf Margins: Entire, Ciliate

Leaf Textures: Smooth

Leaf Scent:

Color(growing season): Green

Color(changing season): Green

Flower

Flower Size Range: 7 - 10

Flower Type: Spike

Flower Sexuality: Monoecious (Bisexual)

Flower Scent: Pleasant

Flower Color: Pink

Seasons: Spring, Summer

Trunk

Trunk Has Crownshaft: False

Trunk Esthetic Values: Not Showy

Fruit

Fruit Type: Capsule

Fruit Showiness: False

Fruit Size Range: 0 - 1.5

Fruit Colors: Brown

Seasons: Spring, Summer

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Horticulture Management

Tolerance

Frost Tolerant: Yes

Heat Tolerant: No

Drought Tolerant: Yes

Salt Tolerance: Good

Requirements

Soil Requirements: Loam, Sand

Soil Ph Requirements: Acidic, Neutral, Alkaline

Water Requirements: Low

Light Requirements: Full, Part

Management

Invasive Potential: No

Susceptibility to Pests and Diseases: No

Pruning Requirement: Little needed, to develop a strong structure

Fruit/ Leaves/ Flowers litter: No

Surface Rooting: No

Edible Parts: Leaf, Roots

Plant Propagations: Seed, Cutting, Division

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