

Antirrhinum majus

(Common Snapdragon , Greater Snapdragon, Snapdragon)

Antirrhinum majus is a flower native to Southwestern Europe and the Mediterranean. For it to grow in the proper conditions, it needs a neutral soil environment, moderate water and full sunlight. The leaves are evergreen; simple and oblong; alternatively connected to the stem. As for the flowers, they are of different colors and one can be transformed into a mixture colors. They bloom in summer and winter. The plant is used as cut flower, borders, beds and containers.



Plant Image

Landscape Information

Arabic Name: تم السمكة

Plant Type: Groundcover

Origin: Southwestern Europe and the Mediterranean

Heat Zones: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12

Hardiness Zones: 9, 10, 11

Uses: Border Plant, Mass Planting, Container, Cut Flowers / Arrangements

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

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Botanical Description

Foliage

Leaf Arrangement: Alternate

Leaf Venation: Nearly Invisible

Leaf Persistence: Evergreen

Leaf Type: Simple

Leaf Blade: 5 - 10 cm

Leaf Shape: Oblong

Leaf Margins: Entire

Leaf Textures: Glossy, Medium

Leaf Scent: No Fragrance

Color(growing season): Green

Color(changing season): Green

Flower

Flower Showiness: True

Flower Size Range: 3 - 7

Flower Type: Spike

Flower Sexuality: Monoecious (Bisexual)

Flower Scent: Pleasant

Flower Color: Yellow, Orange, Red, Purple, White, Pink

Seasons: Summer, Fall

Fruit

Fruit Type: Capsule

Fruit Showiness: True

Fruit Size Range: 0 - 1.5

Fruit Colors: Brown

Seasons: Summer, Fall

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Leaf Image

Horticulture Management

Tolerance

Frost Tolerant: No

Heat Tolerant: Yes

Drought Tolerant: No

Salt Tolerance: Poor

Requirements

Soil Requirements: Clay, Loam, Sand

Soil Ph Requirements: Neutral, Alkaline

Water Requirements: Moderate

Light Requirements: Full

Management

Toxity: No

Invasive Potential: No

Susceptibility to Pests and Diseases: No

Diseases: Wilts, Root rot

Edible Parts: None

Pests: Aphids

Plant Propagations: Seed

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