

Myosotis scorpioides

Common names:

Forget-me-not
Yellow eye forget-me-not
Water scorpion-grass

Origin:

Europe
Western Asia

Key features:

Plants grow 8-24 inches (20-60 cm) in height

Stems: Stems are angled, often creeping

Leaves: Lower leaves are tapered to the base while the upper leaves are more oblong, leaves are alternate, with short hairs

Flowers: Flowers are flat and are typically blue with a yellow center, 0.2-0.4 inches (6-9 mm) wide, along a simple inflorescence with a common axis

Fruits/Seeds: Seeds are contained in a nutlet that is angled and keeled on the inner side

Reproduction: Seeds

Easily confused species:

Bay forget-me-not: *Myosotis laxa*

