

# Bacopa caroliniana



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## Blue Waterhyssop, Lemon Hyssop

### Plantaginaceae

#### Plant Specifics

Size: 0.25 - 0.5 ft tall by extensive mats ft wide

Life Span: Short-lived perennial

Flower Color: Blue

Phenology: Winter dormant

Habitats: Marshes, swamps, ditches

#### Landscaping

Recommended Uses: Spreading ground cover around the edges of retention ponds and aquatic gardens. Groundcover in restoration areas. Also used in aquariums.

Light: ☀ Full Sun

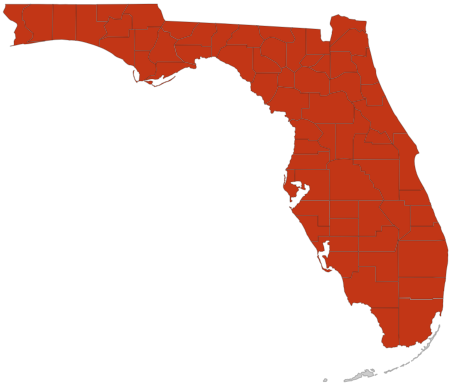
Moisture Tolerance: Aquatic ----- to ----- Aquatic

Salt Water Flooding Tolerance: Not salt tolerant of inundation by salty or brackish water.

Salt Spray Tolerance: Low/no tolerance of salty wind or direct salt spray

Soil/Substrate: Sand

#### Natural Range in Florida



#### USDA Zones

Suitable to grow in:



#### Wildlife



Larval host plant for white peacock (*Anartia jatrophae*) butterflies. Insect pollinated.

