



Dreameria® Sweet Dreams False Sea Thrift
Armeria pseudarmeria 'Sweet Dreams'

Plant Height: 6 inches

Flower Height: 12 inches

Spread: 12 inches

Sunlight: ☉

Hardiness Zone: 5a

Other Names: Sea Pink

Description:

A breakthrough series, providing beautiful blooms from frost to frost; remove old flowers once a month for best re-blooming performance; perfect for massing in the garden or containers; very heat tolerant, and easy to grow

Ornamental Features

Dreameria Sweet Dreams False Sea Thrift has masses of beautiful balls of lavender flowers with pink overtones at the ends of the stems from late spring to early fall, which are most effective when planted in groupings. The flowers are excellent for cutting. Its grassy leaves remain forest green in colour throughout the year.

Landscape Attributes

Dreameria Sweet Dreams False Sea Thrift is a dense herbaceous evergreen perennial with a mounded form. It brings an extremely fine and delicate texture to the garden composition and should be used to full effect.

This is a relatively low maintenance plant, and should be cut back in late fall in preparation for winter. It is a good choice for attracting bees and butterflies to your yard, but is not particularly attractive to deer who tend to leave it alone in favor of tastier treats. It has no significant negative characteristics.

Dreameria Sweet Dreams False Sea Thrift is recommended for the following landscape applications;

- Rock/Alpine Gardens
- Border Edging
- General Garden Use
- Groundcover



Dreameria Sweet Dreams False Sea Thrift flowers
Photo courtesy of NetPS Plant Finder

Planting & Growing

Dreameria Sweet Dreams False Sea Thrift will grow to be only 6 inches tall at maturity extending to 12 inches tall with the flowers, with a spread of 12 inches. Its foliage tends to remain low and dense right to the ground. It grows at a slow rate, and under ideal conditions can be expected to live for approximately 10 years. As an evergreen perennial, this plant will typically keep its form and foliage year-round.

This plant should only be grown in full sunlight. It prefers dry to average moisture levels with very well-drained soil, and will often die in standing water. It is considered to be drought-tolerant, and thus makes an ideal choice for a low-water garden or xeriscape application. It is not particular as to soil type or pH, and is able to handle environmental salt. It is highly tolerant of urban pollution and will even thrive in inner city environments. This is a selected variety of a species not originally from North America. It can be propagated by division; however, as a cultivated variety, be aware that it may be subject to certain restrictions or prohibitions on propagation.