

Genus: *Trachelospermum*

Common Name: Star jasmine

Species: *jasminoides*

Cultivar:

Origin: China

Family: Apocynaceae



Stanford

Kind of Plant: Groundcover / Vine

Seasonal Habit: Evergreen

Growth Habit: Spreading

Height: 1½ to 2 ft as
groundcover, climbs to

Width: 4-5 ft

Light Needs: Sun-Part Sun-Shade

Water Needs: Low-Medium

Special Identifying Features

Leaves: Simple, opposite, pinnate veins, oval to 3" long, glossy light green when new, matures to lustrous dark green

Bark/Twig: Cut stems have a milky sap

Flowers: Fragrant, pinwheel-shaped, in spring or early summer, white, 1" wide, in small clusters on short side branches

Fruit:

Disease(s):

(Refer to Disease and Pest Control chart for treatments.)

Pest(s): Scale, spider mites

Special Points:

For groundcover plant 1-1/2 to 3 feet apart. To grow as vine, provide support and start with plant that has not been tip-pinchd to make shrubby. Leaves may yellow or burn in very hot sun. Does better with some shade.

Campus Location: 1) Citrus Courtyard, 2) Ford Center, 3) Front of Green Library