

# Asiatic primrose

*Primula capitata* Also known as: **Capitata primrose**

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This description is for *Asiatic primrose (Primula capitata)*:

Blue by name and blue by appearance, the *Primula capitata* is one of the most recognisable and admired species of Primrose around. It displays deep, violet blue tubular blooms, bursting above the light green foliage at the end of a fuzzy, milky-green stem. Stunning to the eyes, it is understandably a favorite amongst those with greenhouses. In fact, the Noverna Blue thrives in warm temperatures, but not in hot places. It also likes its patch to be well watered, almost to the state of boggy.



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Plant	Environment	Usage
<b>Known dangers?</b> no	<b>Acidity</b> Acidic Neutral	<b>Standard category</b> Flowers & bulbs Wild flowers
<b>Height [m]</b> 0.4	<b>Hardiness zone</b> Z4-8	<b>Grown for</b> Attractive Flowers
<b>Spread [m]</b> 0.4	<b>Heat zone</b> H8-1	<b>Creative category</b> For Beginners Colours Show-offs Roses & classics

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<b>Dominant flower colour</b> Purple	<b>Winter temperatures [°C]</b> -34 - -7	<b>Garden type</b> Cottage garden Containers City Wildlife gardens Meadows
<b>Flower Fragrance</b> No, neutral please	<b>Heat days</b> 0 - 120	<b>Garden spaces</b> Flower beds Borders
<b>Flowering seasons</b> Late spring Early summer Mid summer Late summer	<b>Moisture</b> well-drained but frequently watered poorly-drained	<b>Gardening expertise</b> beginner
<b>Foliage in spring</b> Green	<b>Soil type</b> sandy loams	<b>Time to reach full size</b> 2 to 5 years
<b>Foliage in summer</b> Green	<b>Sun requirements</b> Full sun Partial shade	
<b>Foliage in Autumn</b> Green	<b>Exposure</b> Exposed Sheltered	
<b>Propagation methods</b> seed basal cuttings division root cuttings offsets		
<b>Growth habit</b> Rosette		