Chelone glabra Turtlehead





Summer/Fall Flower & Foliage

Characteristics: herbaceous perennial

Appearance:

Height - 2 to 4 ft. **Spread** - 1 to 2 ft. **Flower Color** - white **Flowering Period** - July through October

Habitat (Community): brushy marshes, stream banks, wet ditches, low meadows, woodlands, and rain gardens

Hydrology:

Indicator Status - obligate

Wildlife Benefits: food for butterflies; host for Baltimore checkerspot caterpillars

Distribution: North America from Newfoundland west to Minnesota, and south to Alabama and Georgia