



Species: *Hydrangea anomala ssp. petiolaris*

(hye-dran'jee-ah ah-nom'ah-lah ssp. pet-ti-oh-lay'ris)

Climbing Hydrangea

Cultivar Information

* See specific cultivar notes on next page.

Ornamental Characteristics

Size: Vine

Height: 60' - 80'

Leaves: Deciduous

Shape: clinging vine

Ornamental Other: full sun or shade

Environmental Characteristics

Light: Part shade, Shade

Hardy To Zone: 5a

Soil Ph: Can tolerate acid to alkaline soil (pH 5.0 to 8.0)

Environmental Other: large, fragrant white flowers in June/July; glossy dark green leaves may turn yellow in fall; flaky tan bark

Insect Disease

none serious

Bare Root Transplanting

Any

Other

native to Japan and China; best transplanted from container; plant parts are poisonous but with little appeal and are not troublesome. Slow growing.

Cultivars for *Hydrangea anomala ssp. petiolaris*

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Cultivar Name	Notes
Firefly	'Firefly' -variegated foliage, broadly margined with creamy yellow
Miranda	'Miranda' - variegated form, dark green leaves with yellow margins, leaf margins may fade to creamy white as the summer progresses
Skylands Giant	'Skylands Giant' - extremely large 12" inflorescences; blooms at a young age
var. tiliifolia	var. tiliifolia - smaller leaves than species

Photos



Flower closeup



Hydrangea on shed wall



Hydrangea anomala ssp. *petiolaris* - Bark



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