
Canada White Violet

(Viola canadensis)

- Canada white violet is a leafy-stemmed perennial with white flowers with a yellow 'throat'. Sometimes the flowers have purple streaks. The backs of the petals are pale purple.
- The leaves are heart-shaped, with coarse, rounded teeth.
- Canada white violet is normally found in deciduous woodlands, often growing in clusters.



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- It attracts all types of bees, as well as flies and butterflies!

Interesting Facts

- Canada white violet has larger flowers than our other white violets.
- In the forest, animals that sometimes feed on these plants include White-tailed Deer, Eastern Chipmunk and Wood Turtle.
- Although it is abundant in parts of its geographic range, it is very rare in New Brunswick.