
Swamp Milkweed

(Asclepias incarnata)



- Swamp Milkweed grows in wet areas and has deep pink-magenta flowers.
- It attracts many butterflies and other pollinators with its nectar.
- Like Common Milkweed, Swamp Milkweed is host to Monarch butterflies, which lay their eggs on the leaves.
- Monarch larvae feed on and then pupate on milkweed leaves.

Interesting Facts

- Swamp Milkweed is a good garden plant as it doesn't spread as aggressively as Common Milkweed can.
- It has a milky latex sap with numerous toxins.