

Greater Knapweed





Greater Knapweed (Centaurea scabiosa) is a thistle like plant which is made up of many small deep purple florets, reaching a height of 1m. It flowers from June to September and is a favourite to a variety of butterflies, such as; Common Blues and Marbled Whites.

It can be found on roadside verges, woodland, hedgerows and cliff tops. Preferring a well drained, fertile soil in the sun.

Sowing Time: Autumn/Spring

Sowing Depth: Sow 0.5cm deep and 5cm apart from one another.

