

SPECIES

ORIGIN

Myoporum parvifolium **COMMON NAME Creeping Boobialla** Australia Large scale groundcover and for erosion control **DESIGN USE**



HEIGHT 1.5m

SPREAD

5m

HABIT Fast-growing groundcover with green or purple leaf forms.

FORM

It is referred to as a groundcover but is actually a small shrub, as some forms with more ascending branches can get to 1.5 metres in height.

FLOWERS

The flowers are star-shaped, about 75 mm in diameter and may be white or pale pink with purple spots.

FLOWERING PERIOD

Late Spring to early Autumn

FRUIT

The flowers are followed by globular shaped fruits.

CLIMATIC TOLERANCES

Myoporum parvifolium is a popular plant in cultivation and is hardy in a range of soils and climates.

HORTICULTURE

It is an excellent, spreading groundcover for a sunny position; in shade it can become sparsely foliaged. It's proven itself very adaptable in the landscape, and grows well in both acidic and alkaline soils, and sandy to quite clay.

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