

<u>Apocynaceae (Dogbane)</u>	<u>Order: Gentianales</u>	<u>Glossary of Botanical Terms</u>
<u>Common Names</u>	<u>Scientific Name</u>	<u>LV: leaves; FL: flowers; FR:fruit; ST:stem; EC:ecology</u>
[Subfamily]	<u>Apocynoideae [Dogbane]</u>	
<u>Spreading dogbane</u> (fly-trap dogbane)	<u>Apocynum androsaemifolium</u>	LV: opposite, oblong, entire; FL: 5 petals, connate, white/pink, terminal raceme, <1", jun-sep; ST: herb, 1-2', red; EC: X-poisonous
<u>Indian hemp</u>	<u>Apocynum cannabinum</u>	
<u>Myrtle</u>	<u>Vinca minor</u>	LV: opposite, sessile, decussate, evergreen, whole, oblong, entire, apex acute, base acute, >1", glabrous, single vein; FL: 5 parts, petals connate, blue/violet, solitary, axillary, >1", spring ; ST: herb, <1'; EC: roadside
[Subfamily]	<u>Asclepiadoideae [Milkweed]</u>	
<u>Blunt-leaved milkweed</u> (clasping milkweed, sand milkweed)	<u>Asclepias amplexicaulis</u>	LV: opposite, clasping, decussate, whole, elliptical, sinuate, apex rounded, base truncate, >6"; FL: 5 parts, green/purple, umbel, terminal, spring/summer; FR: follicle-1 suture, ST: herb, >1'; EC: X-poisonous
<u>Poke milkweed</u> (tall milkweed)	<u>Asclepias exaltata</u>	LV: opposite, whole, oblong, entire, apex acute, base acute; FL: 5 parts, petals reflexed, white, raceme, axillary; drooping, summer; FR: follicle; ST: herb, >1'; EC: forest
<u>Swamp milkweed</u> (rose milkweed, rose milkflower, swamp silkweed, white Indian hemp)	<u>Asclepias incarnata</u>	LV: opposite, decussate, whole, entire; FL: 5 parts; FR: follicle; EC: wetland
<u>Common milkweed</u> (butterfly flower, silkweed, silky swallow-wort, Virginia silkweed)	<u>Asclepias syriaca</u>	LV: opposite, decussate, whole, oblong, entire; FL: 5 parts; FR: follicle; EC: roadside/grasslands/fields, edible-LV, FL, FR, ST
<u>Orange milkweed</u> (butterfly-weed, pleurisy root)	<u>Asclepias tuberosa</u>	LV: alternate, sessile, whole, iinear, entire, apex acute, base obtuse, >1"; FL: 5 parts, orange, umbel, terminal, <1", summer; FR: follicle-1 suture, >1"; ST: herb, >1', erect, tomentose
<u>Black swallow-wort</u> (Louise's swallow-wort, black dog-strangling vine)	<u>Vincetoxicum nigrum</u>	LV: opposite, decussate, whole, entire; FL: 5 parts; FR: follicle; ST: vine
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