



Plant Information

Common Name/ Variety	Frostweed
Scientific Name	<i>Verbesina virginica</i>
Light Requirements	Part shade to Shade
Water Requirements	Low to medium
Soil Requirements	Well drained, acid or calcareous loam
Flowering/Fruiting When?	Flowers, White in Jul-Dec, but will form “ice” at the base of stem when it freezes
Mature Size	Up to 8 feet tall, but often shorter
Aggressive Grower?	No
Other:	<p>This easy-to-grow <i>Verbesina</i> lends stately, dark green leaves and white, autumn flowers to the dappled shade found at the edges of woodlands, where it can form sizable colonies with its spreading rhizomes. Each stem has soft, fleshy green flanges running longitudinally down its length. When winter weather brings ice, the stems exude water that freezes into fascinating shapes, hence its common name Frostweed. This plant is best suited for naturalizing rather than formal landscapes.</p> <p>https://www.wildflower.org/plants/result.php?id_plant=vevi3</p>