

# HYDRANGEA aspera 'MACROPHYLLA'

Large-leaved scabrous hydrangea, Rough Leaved Hydrangea



Hardy deciduous shrub, large hairy leaves, large flat white flowers with purple centre.



**Maintenance advice:** In March, remove any dead wood. After a few years, rejuvenate by removing some of the older branches and cutting down to about 20cm from the base, the younger, year old shoots. Water regularly in dry weather.



**Botanical/Horticultural origin:** Horticultural origin : introduced by Ernest Wilson (GB) around 1910



**Use group:** Heathland plants



**Height at 10 years:** 3 m



**Width at 10 years:** 2 m



**Growth:** Medium



**Fragrance:** No



**Exposure:** Half shade



**Evergreen/Deciduous:** Deciduous



**Shape:** rigid, upright



**Colour of leaves:** Green



**Colour of flowers:** Blue violet



**Soil type:** Cool



**Uses:** Free standing specimen, Border,

Calendar :

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