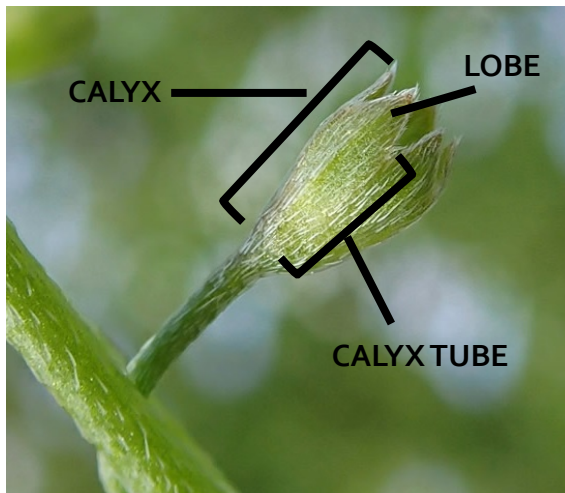


Forget-me-nots look alike

Two species of forget-me-nots are invasive in Wisconsin: woodland forget-me-not (*Myosotis sylvatica*) and aquatic forget-me-not (*M. scorpioides*). They look very similar to each other and to other forget-me-nots in Wisconsin: the native small forget-me-not (*M. laxa*) and non-native field forget-me-not (*M. arvensis*). Forget-me-nots can be distinguished from each other based on characteristics of the calyx (green, leaf-like cup below the flower) and hairs.

AQUATIC FORGET-ME-NOT

calyx has **lobes shorter** than the calyx tube. Hairs are **straight and flattened** against the plant.



FIELD FORGET-ME-NOT

calyx has **lobes about equal** in length to the calyx tube. Hairs are **spreading, some minutely hooked**.



WOODLAND FORGET-ME-NOT

calyx has **lobes longer** than the calyx tube. Hairs are **spreading, some minutely hooked**.



SMALL FORGET-ME-NOT

calyx has **lobes about equal** in length to the calyx tube. Hairs are **straight and flattened** against the plant.