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# Healall

Prunella vulgaris L.

# Life cycle

Stoloniferous perennial.

## Leaves

Opposite, egg- to lance-shaped, 0.75 to 4 inches long with smooth to slightly toothed margins. Leaves are sparsely hairy to smooth with crinkled upper surfaces.

## Stems

Prostrate, stoloniferous stems are square in crosssection and capable of rooting at the nodes to form dense patches. Flowering stems may reach up to 2 feet in height.



Healall plant.

Lamiaceae (Mint family)

## Healall continued

#### Flowers and fruit

stems

Flowers have blue-violet to purple petals fused into a two-lipped tube and formed in dense spikes atop erect stems. Large, green to purple bracts are present at each flower. Four brown nutlets are formed at each flower. **Reproduction** Seeds and creeping



Square stem of healall.



Healall flowering spikes.

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