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*Scrophularia scorodonia*

**BALM-LEAVED FIGWORT** is a perennial. Native to Europe it has small dull purple flowers.

It is also known as *Atlantflenört* (Swedish), *Gornerth Gwennynddail* (Welsh), and *Orvale* (Channel Islander-Jersey Norman-French).

Warning – like common figwort (*Scrophularia nodosa*) it is poisonous and must be used with care.

*Scorodonia* is derived for some authorities from Greek *skorodon* (garlic, *Allium sativum*) but with no explanation.