

Crassula ovata

(Jade Plant)

Jade plant is a well known succulent plant. It's frequently used as a houseplant, and could also serve as a specimen in the garden, and could be used in rock gardens as well.

The plant grows best in well drained soil, in full sun.



Plant Image

Landscape Information

French Name: Crassule ovale, Arbre de Jade

Arabic Name: كرسول بيضوي

Pronunciation: KRASS-oo-la oh-VAY-tuh

Plant Type: Shrub, Cactus / Succulent

Origin: South Africa

Heat Zones: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16

Hardiness Zones: 9, 10, 11, 12, 13

Uses: Specimen, Border Plant, Indoor, Container, Rock Garden

Size/Shape

Growth Rate: Moderate

Tree Shape: Round, oval

Canopy Texture: Medium

Height at Maturity: 1.5 to 3 m

Spread at Maturity: 1 to 1.5 meters

Time to Ultimate Height: 5 to 10 Years

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Flower Image

Botanical Description

Foliage

Leaf Venation: Nearly Invisible

Leaf Persistence: Evergreen

Leaf Type: Palmately Compound

Leaf Blade: Less than 5

Leaf Shape: Oblong

Leaf Margins: Entire

Leaf Textures: Fleshy/Juicy, Glossy

Leaf Scent: No Fragrance

Color(growing season): Green

Color(changing season): Green

Flower

Flower Showiness: True

Flower Size Range: 0 - 1.5

Flower Scent: Pleasant

Flower Color: White, Pink

Trunk

Trunk Esthetic Values: Not Showy, Smooth, Colored

Fruit

Fruit Showiness: False

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Leaf Image

Horticulture Management

Tolerance

Frost Tolerant: No

Heat Tolerant: Yes

Drought Tolerant: Yes

Requirements

Soil Requirements: Loam, Sand

Soil Ph Requirements: Acidic, Neutral, Alkaline

Water Requirements: Low

Light Requirements: Full, Part

Management

Invasive Potential: Yes

Susceptibility to Pests and Diseases: Yes

Pruning Requirement: No pruning at all

Edible Parts:

Pests: Mites, Scales, Aphids, Mealy-Bug

Plant Propagations: Seed, Cutting

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