

Foeniculum vulgare

(Common Fennel, Fennel)

Foeniculum vulgare is native Southern Europe, Mediterranean; it grows in alkaline and nuetral soil, in full to partially shadded areas. It doesn't need alot of water. Moreover, it has yellow flowers and feathery leaves. This plant is attractive to bees, butterflies and/or birds.



Plant Image

Landscape Information

Arabic Name:	فولغاري
Plant Type:	Groundcover
Origin:	Southern Europe, Mediterranean
Heat Zones:	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9
Hardiness Zones:	4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9
Uses:	Border Plant, Container, Edible

Size/Shape

Growth Rate:	Fast
Tree Shape:	Upright
Canopy Symmetry:	Irregular
Canopy Density:	Dense
Canopy Texture:	Medium
Height at Maturity:	0.5 to 1 m
Spread at Maturity:	0.5 to 1 meter
Time to Ultimate Height:	1 Year

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Flower Image

Botanical Description

Foliage

Leaf Arrangement: Whorled

Leaf Venation: Nearly Invisible

Leaf Persistence: Deciduous

Leaf Type: Even Pinnately compound

Leaf Blade: 30 - 50

Leaf Shape: Linear

Leaf Margins: Entire

Leaf Textures: Smooth

Leaf Scent: Pleasant

Color(growing season): Green

Color(changing season): Green

Flower

Flower Showiness: True

Flower Size Range: 0 - 1.5

Flower Type: Umbel

Flower Sexuality: Monoecious (Bisexual)

Flower Scent: Pleasant

Flower Color: Yellow

Seasons: Summer

Trunk

Trunk Has Crownshaft: False

Fruit

Fruit Type: Capsule

Fruit Showiness: True

Fruit Size Range: 0 - 1.5

Fruit Colors: Brown

Seasons: Summer

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Bark Image

Horticulture Management

Tolerance

Frost Tolerant: No

Heat Tolerant: No

Drought Tolerant: Yes

Salt Tolerance: Poor

Requirements

Soil Requirements: Loam, Sand

Soil Ph Requirements: Neutral, Alkaline

Water Requirements: Moderate

Light Requirements: Full, Part

Management

Toxity: No

Invasive Potential: No

Susceptibility to Pests and Diseases: No

Pruning Requirement: No pruning at all

Fruit/ Leaves/ Flowers litter: No

Surface Rooting: No

Life Span: Less than 25

Diseases: Root rot

Edible Parts: Leaf, Seeds

Pests: Caterpillars, Aphids, Snail

Plant Propagations: Seed

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