

Euphorbia candelabrum

(Candelabra-tree)

Candelabra tree is a bold architectural plant for xeriscape landscapes. Reaching tree size this succulent plant is originated from South Africa. The plant grows needle like barbs or thorns . Yellow small flowers appear at the end of each stems by and of the winter time. Needs full sun and dry soil.



Plant Image

Landscape Information

Pronunciation: yoo-FOR-bee-uh

Plant Type: Cactus / Succulent

Origin: South Africa

Heat Zones: 10, 11, 12, 13, 15, 16

Hardiness Zones: 10, 11, 12, 13

Uses: Specimen, Mass Planting, Indoor, Container, Reclamation

Size/Shape

Growth Rate: Slow

Tree Shape: Upright

Canopy Symmetry: Irregular

Canopy Density: Open

Canopy Texture: Coarse

Height at Maturity: 5 to 8 m

Spread at Maturity: 1.5 to 3 meters

Time to Ultimate Height: 10 to 20 Years

Notes

All parts of plant are poisonous if ingested.
Handling plant may cause skin irritation or allergic reaction.
Thorny plant.

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Flower Image

Botanical Description

Foliage

Leaf Arrangement: Spiral

Leaf Venation: Nearly Invisible

Leaf Persistence: Evergreen

Leaf Type: Simple

Leaf Blade: Less than 5

Leaf Shape: Oblong

Leaf Margins: Entire

Leaf Textures: Medium

Leaf Scent: No Fragrance

Color(growing season): Green

Color(changing season): Green

Flower

Flower Showiness: True

Flower Size Range: 0 - 1.5

Flower Sexuality: Monoecious (Bisexual)

Flower Scent: No Fragrance

Flower Color: Yellow

Seasons: Spring

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Leaf Image

Horticulture Management

Tolerance

Frost Tolerant: No

Heat Tolerant: Yes

Drought Tolerant: Yes

Salt Tolerance: Poor

Requirements

Soil Requirements: Loam, Sand

Soil Ph Requirements: Neutral, Alkaline

Water Requirements: Low

Light Requirements: Full

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: Yes

Life Span: 25-50 years

Edible Parts: None

Plant Propagations: Cutting

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