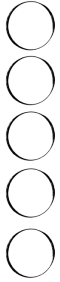




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## OVERVIEW

Cactus with flat, paddle shaped stems and prickly spines or hairs. Some varieties produce edible fruits, but many varieties are popular ornamental cactus plants for low water gardens.



## WATER

Plants require minimal water and should only receive supplemental water when the soil is completely dry. When irrigating only apply water lightly to moisten soil but not saturate it.



## LIGHT

Full Sun



## SOIL

Plant requires well drained soil, and prefers soil with high levels of sand and gravel.