

## **Thuja cultivars**

### **Arborvitae**

The Thuja genus is a very broad group of evergreens: from upright like an arrow, to globular, to fast growing, to goliath-like. There is an arborvitae to check off the boxes of all your needs.

### **Hardiness Zones**

USDA Hardiness 2-7

### **Sun Exposure/ Watering**

SUN: Full sun to part shade

SOIL: Generally speaking, Arborvitae are adaptable to any environment except very wet soils.

### **Mature Plant Size**

'Jantar' – narrow upright golden selection, up to 6' tall

'Green Giant' – very fast grower to 40-50' tall

'Little Giant' - globe shaped to 4' wide

**Bloom Period**- None

### **Growing Tips**

Knowing the type of arborvitae, you need is key to being successful with siting it correctly the first time. Make sure you give it enough space and room to grow. A lot of times correct space is the number one cause of why a plant fails and arborvitae are no exception. Mulch roots to keep soil moisture evaporation at a minimum.

### **Uses**

Screens, Hedges, Foundation Plantings, Wildlife, Mixed Plantings

### **Pests & Problems of Thuja**

Leaf miner, bag worms, poor water management