



HABITAT

MATURE TREE NURSERY



SEPT-NOV 2026 AVAILABILITY LIST

BAG SIZE	PRICE EXCLUDING VAT
HAND CARRIED SIZE	
40L - 50L	R900.00 - R1200.00
100L	R1,800.00 - R3,800.00
250L	R4,200.00 - R6,000.00
CRANE TRUCK SIZE TREES	
500L	R8,000.00 - R10,000.00
1000L	R12,000.00 - R18,000.00
1500L	R20,000.00 - R28,000.00
2000L	R28,000.00 - R45,000.00
4000L	R45,000.00 +
1500L / 2000L / 4000L	PRICES ON REQUEST AND WILL VARY.
Certain varieties subject to surcharge (eg Magnolia, Camelia, Pride of India, Fruit trees, Murraya exotica, Frangipani etc.)	
PRICES EXCLUDE:	
Delivery within 50km radius, This does not apply for single tree deliveries with crane truck. - Guideline only	30% + of total tree value (Subject to fuel levy)
Installation (includes delivery, labour for digging & closing the holes for the trees with the necessary compost and fertilizer) - Guideline only	55% of total tree value (Subject to fuel levy)
Please note small orders for hand carried size trees will be for collection only.	
VAT	15%

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION	
BAG SIZE	HOLE SIZE REQUIRED
50L	0.7m x 0.7m square, 0.5m deep and backfilled to 0.3m depth
100L	1m x 1m square, 0.6m deep and backfilled to 0.4m depth
250L	1.2m x 1.2m square, 0.7m deep and backfilled to 0.5m depth
500L	1.5m x 1.5m square, 0.7m deep and backfilled to 0.5m depth
1000L	1.7m x 1.7m square, 0.9m deep and backfilled to 0.7m depth
1500L	2m x 2m square, 1m deep and backfilled to 0.8m depth
2000L	2.5m x 2.5m square, 1.1m deep and backfilled to 0.9m depth
4000L	3m x 3m square, 1.2m deep and backfilled to 1m depth
Backfill meaning: A mixed layer of 0.2m consisting of half compost and half existing soil	

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Acer campestre	Field maple	Acer campestre, commonly known as the Field Maple or Hedge Maple, is a versatile deciduous tree native to Europe, western Asia, and North Africa. Typically reaching heights of 10 to 12 meters, it features a dense, rounded crown with dark green, lobed leaves that turn a warm golden yellow in autumn. In spring, small yellow-green flowers emerge alongside the new foliage, providing a subtle yet attractive display. This species is well-suited to the Western Cape's climate, as it tolerates heat, drought, and frost, and is resilient against strong winds, including coastal sea breezes. Its adaptability to various soil types, including heavy clay and calcareous soils, makes it a robust choice for diverse planting sites. Acer campestre is particularly valued for its ability to withstand heavy pruning, making it ideal for use as a tall, dense screening hedge or as a standalone specimen tree. Additionally, it supports local wildlife by attracting bees, butterflies, and birds.	Exotic	Deciduous	☑	☑	☐	☑	☑		☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☑	☐	☐
Acer rubra	Red Maple	The Acer rubrum, or Red Maple, is a stunning deciduous tree renowned for its brilliant red autumn foliage, adding a spectacular seasonal display to any landscape. Growing 10–25 meters tall, it has a neat, upright form, making it ideal for shade, screening, or as a focal point. This wind-resistant and frost-tolerant tree thrives in a variety of soils, including moist areas, and can handle coastal conditions with moderate salt exposure. In early spring, it produces small red flowers, adding to its ornamental appeal. If you're looking for a low-maintenance, resilient, and visually striking tree that offers year-round interest, the Red Maple is a perfect choice!	Exotic	Deciduous	☑	☑	☐	☑	☑		☐	☐	☐	☑	☐	☑	☐	☑
Aloe barbarea / A. bainsii	Tree Aloe	Aloidendron barberae, formerly known as Aloe barberae or the Tree Aloe, is Africa's largest aloe species, capable of reaching heights up to 18 meters. It boasts a striking sculptural form with a stout, smooth, grey trunk that can exceed 2.5 meters in diameter at the base, supporting a neat, rounded crown of dark green, arching leaves. In mid-winter (June to July), it produces tubular flowers ranging from orange to salmon pink, which attract sunbirds, bees, and other pollinators. This species thrives in warm, well-drained river valleys and coastal forests with mild climates and annual rainfall between 1,016 to 1,524 mm. In the Western Cape, particularly in areas like Cape Town, it has been successfully cultivated, provided it is planted in a sunny, well-drained location with ample space for its eventual size. Aloidendron barberae is wind-tolerant and can handle coastal conditions, making it suitable for coastal gardens. However, it is sensitive to frost and should be protected during the first few years in frost-prone areas. Due to its massive size and sculptural form, it serves as an excellent focal point in the garden but is not suitable for screening purposes. Additionally, its shallow-spreading, non-aggressive root system necessitates planting away from buildings and structures to accommodate its expansive base.	Indigenous	Evergreen	☑	☑	☑	☐	☐		☐	☑	☐	☐	☑	☑	☑	☐
Apodytes dimidiata	White Pear	Apodytes dimidiata, commonly known as the "white pear" is a stunning, evergreen tree that thrives in the Western Cape's coastal and semi-coastal environments. With its smooth, dark green leaves and attractive, dense canopy, this tree provides excellent shade and can grow up to 10 meters tall. In spring, it produces clusters of small, fragrant white flowers, followed by edible fruits that attract birds. Apodytes dimidiata is relatively wind-resistant, making it a great choice for coastal gardens, and its robust nature allows it to handle dry, well-drained soils. While it is not frost-tolerant, it can withstand light frost in more sheltered spots. Its dense foliage also makes it ideal for use as a screening tree or a natural hedge, offering privacy and beauty throughout the year. This tree adds elegance and a touch of wildlife interest to any garden in the Western Cape.	Indigenous	Evergreen	☑	☑	☑	☐	☑		☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☑	☐	☐
Bambusa Multiplex	Hedge Bamboo	Bambusa multiplex, commonly known as Hedge Bamboo or Chinese Dwarf Bamboo, is a versatile, evergreen clumping bamboo that typically reaches heights of 20 to 35 feet (6 to 10 meters), depending on the cultivar. It features dense, upright canes with lush green foliage, creating a graceful, slightly arching appearance. This species is well-suited for use as a privacy screen or windbreak due to its dense growth habit. Bambusa multiplex thrives in full sun to partial shade and prefers moist, well-drained soils, though it can adapt to various soil types. It is frost-tolerant, enduring temperatures down to approximately 15°F (-9°C), making it suitable for the Western Cape's climate. Additionally, it can handle coastal conditions, provided it is sheltered from strong winds to prevent stem damage. While bamboo species do flower, Bambusa multiplex flowers infrequently, often with many years between flowering events, so flowering is not a significant concern for most gardeners. Its non-invasive, clumping growth habit makes it an excellent choice for creating a lush, tropical aesthetic in your garden without the risk of uncontrolled spreading.	Exotic	Evergreen	☑	☑	☐	☑	☑		☐	☑	☐	☑	☐	☐	☐	☐
Barringtonia racemosa	Powderpuff tree	Barringtonia racemosa, commonly known as the Powder-puff Tree, is an evergreen species that typically reaches heights of 4 to 8 meters, occasionally taller under optimal conditions. It is renowned for its striking, pendulous inflorescences, which can extend up to 1 meter in length, adorned with pinkish-white, powder-puff-like flowers that bloom primarily at night, emitting a faintly sweet fragrance. This tree thrives in coastal and estuarine environments, often found along tidal riverbanks and in swampy areas, displaying a remarkable tolerance for saline conditions. While it can endure both wet and dry soils, Barringtonia racemosa is highly sensitive to frost, making it less suitable for regions prone to cold temperatures. In the Western Cape, particularly in frost-free coastal areas, it can be a captivating addition to gardens, provided it is sheltered from strong winds, as its branches and delicate flowers may be susceptible to wind damage. Due to its moderate size and dense foliage, it can serve effectively as a screening plant, offering both privacy and aesthetic appeal. However, it's important to note that all parts of the plant are considered toxic, and the pulverized fruit has been traditionally used as snuff.	Exotic	Evergreen	☑	☐	☑	☐	☑		☐	☐	☐	☑	☑	☑	☐	☐

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Bismarckia nobilis	Bismarkia palm	Bismarckia nobilis, commonly known as the Bismarck Palm, is a striking, evergreen palm native to Madagascar, celebrated for its impressive stature and distinctive silver-blue, fan-shaped leaves. Typically reaching heights of 40 to 70 feet (12 to 21 meters) with a spread of 10 to 15 feet (3 to 4.5 meters), it serves as a dramatic focal point in any landscape. This palm thrives in full sun and well-drained soils, exhibiting high drought tolerance once established. While it can withstand mild frost, tolerating temperatures down to the low 20s°F (around -6°C), it is not as resistant to windstorm damage as some other palm species. Its moderate salt tolerance allows it to handle coastal conditions, though protection from strong winds is advisable to prevent potential damage to its large fronds. Due to its substantial size and solitary growth habit, the Bismarck Palm is not suitable for screening purposes but makes a magnificent specimen tree, adding a touch of grandeur to gardens in the Western Cape.	Exotic	Evergreen	☑	☐	☐	☐	☐		☐	☐	☐	☐	☑	☑	☐	☐
Brachyleana discolor	Coast silver oak	Brachylaena discolor, commonly known as the Coast Silver Oak, is a hardy, evergreen tree or large shrub native to South Africa's coastal regions. Reaching heights of 4 to 10 meters in garden settings, it features striking foliage with dark green upper surfaces and silvery-white undersides, creating a shimmering effect in the wind. From July to September, it produces nectar-rich, cream-white flowers that attract birds and bees, enhancing local biodiversity. This fast-growing species is well-suited to the Western Cape's climate, thriving in both full sun and shade, and tolerating a range of soil types, including sandy and loamy soils. Its wind-resistant qualities make it an excellent choice for windbreaks and screening, particularly in coastal gardens where it can also aid in dune stabilization. Brachylaena discolor is drought- and frost-resistant, though young plants may require protection from frost during their first year. It responds well to pruning, allowing for easy maintenance as a hedge or standalone specimen. With its non-invasive root system and adaptability, this tree is an asset to gardens, parks, and schools in the Western Cape.	Indigenous	Evergreen	☑	☑	☑	☐	☑		☑	☑	☐	☑	☐	☐	☐	☐
Brunfelsia pauciflora	Yesterday-Today-Tomorrow	A charming small tree or large shrub, Brunfelsia pauciflora is known for its stunning flowers that change from deep purple to lavender and finally to white over a few days, creating a spectacular multi-colored display. It thrives in well-drained soil and prefers a sheltered, semi-shaded position. While it is not particularly wind-resistant, it can be used for screening in protected gardens. It is not highly frost-tolerant and needs some protection in cold winters. It is best suited to subtropical or warm, sheltered parts of the Western Cape but does not thrive in harsh coastal conditions. This tree makes a fantastic feature plant, especially near patios where its beautiful flowers and light fragrance can be enjoyed.	Exotic	Evergreen	☐	☐	☑	☐	☑		☑	☐	☐	☑	☐	☐	☐	☐
Buddleja saligna	False olive	Buddleja saligna, also known as the False Olive, is a versatile and attractive tree ideal for the Western Cape's climate. It boasts narrow, silvery-green leaves and a graceful, open canopy, growing to around 4-5 meters in height. It thrives in well-drained soils, making it perfect for coastal gardens, and is notably tolerant of wind, drought, and even mild frost, which makes it an excellent choice for diverse conditions. Its small, fragrant white or pale lavender flowers bloom in summer, attracting butterflies, and the tree is well-suited for screening due to its dense foliage. This hardy, low-maintenance tree adds beauty while being resilient to coastal and harsh weather conditions, making it a fantastic addition to any garden.	Indigenous	Evergreen	☑	☑	☑	☑	☑		☐	☐	☐	☑	☐	☐	☐	☐
Celtis africana	White Stinkhout	A fast-growing, deciduous tree with a beautiful spreading canopy and light green foliage, Celtis africana is an excellent shade tree for large gardens. It is highly wind-resistant, making it ideal for exposed areas, and it thrives in a variety of soils, including sandy and loamy conditions. It can be used for screening when young, but as it matures, it becomes more suited for avenue planting or as a focal shade tree. It is moderately frost-tolerant and can handle some coastal exposure but does best slightly inland. It produces small, inconspicuous flowers followed by berries that attract birds. A fantastic indigenous option for Western Cape gardens.	Indigenous	Deciduous	☐	☑	☐	☐	☐		☐	☐	☐	☑	☐	☐	☐	☐
Celtis sinensis	Chinese Hackberry	A hardy, fast-growing deciduous tree with a rounded crown and attractive textured bark, Celtis sinensis is an excellent option for shade and urban planting. It is highly wind-resistant, making it a great choice for exposed areas, and it adapts well to a wide range of soil types. This tree can be used for screening while young but eventually develops into a large tree with dappled shade. It is more frost-tolerant than its African counterpart and can withstand moderate coastal exposure, though it thrives best inland. It produces small, berry-like fruits that attract birds. A fantastic option for large spaces, avenue planting, or as a feature tree.	Exotic	Deciduous	☐	☑	☐	☐	☐		☐	☑	☑	☑	☐	☑	☐	☑
Ceratonia siliqua	Carob Tree	A tough, drought-resistant evergreen tree, Ceratonia siliqua is an excellent option for water-wise gardens. It has a dense, rounded canopy with leathery, dark green leaves and produces small, inconspicuous flowers followed by edible carob pods. It is highly wind-resistant, tolerates coastal conditions, and thrives in the Western Cape's Mediterranean climate. This slow-growing tree can be used for screening and is highly frost-tolerant once established. If you're looking for a low-maintenance tree that offers shade, resilience, and even edible benefits, the Carob Tree is a fantastic choice.	Exotic	Evergreen	☑	☑	☐	☑	☑		☐	☐	☐	☑	☐	☑	☐	☐

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Dovyalis caffra	Kei Apple	A tough, fast-growing, evergreen tree or shrub, Dovyalis caffra is perfect for security hedging and screening due to its dense growth and sharp thorns. It thrives in a variety of soil types and is highly wind-resistant, making it well-suited for exposed Western Cape gardens. It is drought-tolerant, frost-resistant, and can handle coastal conditions, making it an excellent low-maintenance choice. The tree produces small, greenish-yellow flowers, followed by delicious, golden-yellow, vitamin C-rich fruits that attract birds and wildlife. Ideal for those wanting a functional, indigenous tree that provides both security and edible rewards.	Indigenous	Evergreen	☑	☑	☐	☑	☑		☐	☐	☐	☑	☑	☐	☐	☐
Dracaena draco	Dragon Tree	A striking, slow-growing tree with a bold architectural form, Dracaena draco is perfect for creating a dramatic focal point in the garden. It features thick, grey-green, sword-like leaves that form a distinctive umbrella-like canopy as it matures. This hardy tree thrives in sandy, well-drained soil and is exceptionally drought- and wind-resistant, making it ideal for Western Cape coastal and arid gardens. It can tolerate mild frost but benefits from some protection during severe cold spells. While it does not produce showy flowers, it develops small white blossoms followed by orange berries that attract birds. A fantastic choice for low-maintenance, water-wise, or Mediterranean-style gardens.	Exotic	Evergreen	☑	☑	☐	☐	☐		☑	☐	☑	☐	☐	☑	☐	☐
Erythrina caffra	Coastal Coral Tree	A striking, deciduous tree with a spreading canopy, Erythrina caffra is well-loved for its spectacular display of bright red-orange flowers in late winter to early spring, which attract birds and pollinators. It thrives in coastal conditions, making it an excellent choice for Western Cape gardens, especially near the sea. It is moderately wind-resistant but benefits from some protection in extreme conditions. While it can tolerate light frost, it is best suited to frost-free or mild climates. Not ideal for screening due to its open branching structure, but it makes an excellent focal point or shade tree in large gardens.	Indigenous	Deciduous	☑	☑	☑	☐	☐		☐	☐	☐	☐	☑	☑	☑	☑
Erythrina lysistemon	Lucky Bean Tree or Common Coral Tree	This fast-growing, deciduous tree is similar to Erythrina caffra but slightly smaller, making it a great choice for gardens needing a showy, medium-sized tree. Its brilliant red, nectar-rich flowers bloom in late winter, bringing life to the garden with birds and bees. Erythrina lysistemon thrives in well-drained soil and warm conditions but is more frost-tolerant than E. caffra. It handles coastal conditions well and can withstand moderate winds. While not typically used for screening due to its open canopy, it makes a stunning ornamental tree and is well-suited for water-wise and indigenous landscapes.	Indigenous	Deciduous	☑	☑	☑	☐	☐		☐	☐	☐	☐	☑	☐	☐	☐
Ficus lutea	Giant- Leaved Fig	A fast-growing, evergreen tree with large, glossy leaves, Ficus lutea is an excellent shade tree for spacious gardens. It thrives in warm, subtropical to coastal climates and is well-suited for the Western Cape, provided it has enough space to spread. It is highly wind-resistant and can be used for screening if allowed to grow into a dense form. Tolerant of mild frost and coastal conditions, it is a hardy option for challenging environments. While it does not produce showy flowers, its small figs attract birds and wildlife, making it a valuable addition to biodiversity-friendly gardens.	Exotic	Semi - deciduous	☑	☐	☐	☐	☑		☐	☐	☐	☑	☐	☐	☐	☐
Ficus microcarpa / nitida	Curtain Fig	A versatile, evergreen tree with dense, glossy foliage, Ficus microcarpa is perfect for screening, hedging, or as a shade tree. It is highly wind-resistant, making it a great choice for exposed sites, and it thrives in both inland and coastal Western Cape conditions. This tree is moderately frost-tolerant once established and is well-suited to urban environments due to its adaptability. While it does not have noticeable flowers, its small figs attract birds. It is an excellent choice for creating a green barrier or providing a lush, tropical feel in the garden.	Exotic	Evergreen	☑	☑	☐	☐	☑		☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☑	☑
Ficus natalensis	Natal Wild Fig	An adaptable, fast-growing, evergreen or semi-deciduous tree depending on location, Ficus natalensis is known for its ability to create dense shade and its attractive, spreading growth habit. It is ideal for large gardens or park-like settings, as it needs space to thrive. This tree is highly wind-resistant and performs well in the Western Cape, including mild coastal conditions. It is tolerant of light frost and grows well in a variety of soil types. While it does not have showy flowers, its small figs provide an important food source for birds and wildlife. A great option for those looking for a hardy, shade-giving tree with a strong presence.	Indigenous	Semi - deciduous	☐	☑	☐	☐	☑		☐	☐	☐	☑	☐	☑	☑	☑

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Ficus rubignosa	Rusty Fig	A tough, evergreen tree with glossy green leaves and a dense, rounded crown, Ficus rubiginosa is an excellent choice for creating shade or screening in the Western Cape. It is highly wind-resistant and thrives in coastal conditions, making it ideal for exposed areas. It tolerates mild frost and adapts well to different soil types, although it prefers well-drained conditions. While not known for showy flowers, its small figs attract birds and other wildlife, adding to its appeal as a biodiversity-friendly tree. Perfect for those looking for a resilient and low-maintenance option.	Exotic	Evergreen	☑	☑	☐	☐	☑		☐	☐	☐	☑	☑	☑	☐	☐
Ficus sur	Cape Cluster Fig or Broom Cluster Fig	A fast-growing, semi-deciduous to evergreen fig, Ficus sur is known for its spreading canopy and ability to produce figs in clusters along its branches and trunk, making it a magnet for birds and wildlife. It is highly wind-resistant and can be used for screening or shade in larger gardens. It tolerates mild frost and can adapt to coastal conditions, though it thrives best in well-watered, inland environments. While it does not have showy flowers, its fruiting habit and lush foliage make it an attractive and ecologically valuable addition to the garden.	Exotic	Evergreen	☑	☑	☑	☑	☑		☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Ficus variegated	Golden king	A striking variegated fig with green and creamy-yellow leaves, this tree brings year-round interest and brightness to any garden. It is evergreen, fast-growing, and ideal for screening or hedging due to its dense foliage. It is highly wind-resistant and adapts well to coastal conditions, making it an excellent choice for the Western Cape. While it tolerates mild frost, it is best suited to frost-free or protected areas. It does not produce showy flowers but provides great ornamental value with its beautiful foliage and makes a lovely, low-maintenance feature tree.	Exotic	Evergreen	☑	☑	☐	☐	☑		☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☑	☐
Gardenia volkensii	Bushveld Gardenia	A small to medium-sized deciduous tree, Gardenia volkensii is loved for its beautifully fragrant white flowers, which appear in summer and attract pollinators. It has glossy, dark green leaves and produces decorative, woody fruit that persists on the tree. It is moderately wind-resistant and can be used as a feature plant rather than for screening. While it tolerates mild frost, it thrives in warmer conditions and can handle some coastal exposure. This tree is a great choice for anyone looking for an ornamental, scented tree that provides year-round beauty.	Indigenous	Deciduous	☐	☐	☑	☐	☑		☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Ginkgo biloba	Maidenhair Tree	A truly unique, deciduous tree, Ginkgo biloba is renowned for its distinctive fan-shaped leaves that turn a brilliant golden yellow in autumn. It is slow-growing but extremely hardy, tolerating wind, frost, and urban conditions with ease. While it is not typically used for screening due to its open growth habit, it makes a stunning focal point in any garden. Ginkgo can handle coastal conditions in the Western Cape, though it prefers well-drained soil. Though it does not have showy flowers, its foliage and historical significance as a "living fossil" make it a fascinating and worthwhile addition to any landscape.	Exotic	Deciduous	☐	☑	☐	☑	☐		☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☑	☐	☐
Harpephyllum caffrum	Wild Plum	A hardy, evergreen tree with a dense, rounded canopy, Harpephyllum caffrum is an excellent choice for providing shade and screening in the Western Cape. Its glossy green leaves and striking reddish new growth make it a beautiful ornamental feature, while its small, tart, plum-like fruit attract birds and other wildlife. This tree is highly wind-resistant and can handle coastal conditions, making it suitable for exposed gardens. It tolerates light frost and thrives in a variety of soils, provided there is good drainage. While its flowers are small and inconspicuous, the tree's fruit and lush foliage ensure year-round visual appeal.	Indigenous	Evergreen	☑	☑	☐	☐	☑		☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☑	☑	☑
Heteropyxis natalensis	Lavender Tree	An elegant tree with an upright form, although this tree is deciduous, it may be semideciduous in subtropical climates, Heteropyxis natalensis is best known for its fragrant leaves, which release a delightful lavender-like scent when crushed. Its smooth, flaking bark adds further interest, and in autumn, its foliage turns a lovely golden hue. This tree is moderately wind-resistant and works well as a specimen or light screening tree, though it is not as dense as some other species. It tolerates light frost and can adapt to coastal conditions, though it prefers warmer, sheltered locations. Small, pale-yellow flowers appear in summer, adding subtle charm to this unique and aromatic tree.	Indigenous	Deciduous	☐	☑	☐	☐	☑		☐	☐	☐	☑	☐	☑	☐	☐
Ilex mitis	Cape Holly	A versatile, evergreen tree with a graceful, upright growth habit, Ilex mitis is perfect for screening, hedging, or as a standalone specimen. It boasts glossy, dark green leaves and small, white flowers in summer, followed by bright red berries that attract birds. This tree is highly wind-resistant and thrives in both coastal and inland areas, making it a great fit for Western Cape gardens. It can tolerate light frost and does well in moist, well-drained soil. Its neat, dense foliage makes it an excellent choice for those seeking a lush, fast-growing tree with year-round interest.	Indigenous	Evergreen	☐	☑	☐	☑	☑		☐	☐	☐	☑	☐	☑	☐	☐
Kigelia africana	Sausage Tree	A striking and unusual tree, Kigelia africana is best known for its large, sausage-shaped fruit that hang from its branches, creating a dramatic visual effect. It has a spreading canopy with lush, dark green foliage and produces stunning, deep red, trumpet-shaped flowers that attract pollinators, especially bats. This tree is moderately wind-resistant and can handle coastal conditions, though it prefers a warm, sheltered spot. It is not particularly frost-tolerant and thrives in well-drained soil with regular watering. While not commonly used for screening due to its open growth habit, its bold presence makes it an excellent focal point in larger gardens.	Indigenous	Deciduous	☐	☑	☑	☐	☐		☐	☐	☐	☐	☑	☑	☑	☐
Kirkia acuminata	White Sringa	A deciduous tree with a graceful, spreading canopy, Kirkia acuminata is a beautiful choice for larger gardens. Its delicate, feathery foliage turns golden in autumn, adding seasonal interest. The tree produces small, white flowers, but its real appeal lies in its striking bark and elegant growth habit. It is moderately wind-resistant and can handle dry conditions but is not ideal for coastal gardens due to its inland habitat preference. While it can tolerate some frost, it thrives best in warm, well-drained locations. This tree is not typically used for screening but makes a lovely shade or avenue tree.	Indigenous	Deciduous	☐	☑	☐	☐	☐		☐	☐	☐	☑	☑	☑	☑	☐

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Lagerstroemia indica	Crape myrtle or Pride of India	A stunning, deciduous ornamental tree, Lagerstroemia indica is loved for its showy, long-lasting summer flowers that come in shades of pink, white, red, or purple. Its smooth, peeling bark and vibrant autumn foliage add year-round interest. This tree is wind-resistant and moderately frost-tolerant but needs protection in very exposed areas. It can handle coastal conditions if planted in a sheltered spot and does well in well-drained soil. While not ideal for screening due to its relatively open branching, it makes an excellent feature tree, adding color and elegance to gardens of all sizes.	Exotic	Deciduous	☐	☐	☒	☒	☐		☐	☒	☒	☐	☒	☒	☐	☐
Liquidambar styraciflua	Sweet Gum	A magnificent deciduous tree, Liquidambar styraciflua is prized for its spectacular autumn colors, ranging from deep red to bright orange and yellow. It has a neat, pyramidal shape when young, maturing into a broader, rounded canopy with distinctive star-shaped leaves. This tree thrives in well-drained soil and enjoys full sun, making it a beautiful shade tree. It is moderately wind-resistant but is not ideal for coastal conditions due to salt sensitivity. Liquidambar is frost-tolerant and not typically used for screening, but its dense canopy provides some privacy. Though it produces small, inconspicuous flowers, its real charm is in its foliage and striking bark.	Exotic	Deciduous	☐	☒	☐	☒	☐		☐	☐	☐	☒	☒	☒	☒	☒
Magnolia grandiflora Little Gem	Little Gem	A compact evergreen magnolia, 'Little Gem' is a fantastic choice for smaller gardens, offering glossy dark green leaves with velvety brown undersides and large, creamy white, fragrant flowers in summer. It thrives in well-drained soil, prefers full sun to partial shade, and is relatively wind-resistant. While not ideal for coastal conditions, it can adapt if given some protection. It is moderately frost-tolerant and works well as a screening tree due to its dense, upright growth habit. This tree is perfect for adding elegance to gardens while also serving as a functional evergreen screen or specimen tree.	Exotic	Evergreen	☐	☒	☒	☐	☒		☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Murraya exotica	Mock Orange	A lush, evergreen shrub or small tree, Murraya exotica is well-loved for its glossy green leaves and clusters of highly fragrant, white, jasmine-like flowers that bloom throughout the year. It thrives in warm, sheltered spots and is excellent for screening due to its dense growth habit. It is moderately wind-resistant and tolerates light frost but does best in a mild climate. Murraya can handle coastal conditions if protected from strong salt-laden winds. Its combination of fragrance, beauty, and practicality makes it an ideal choice for hedging, screening, or as a feature plant near patios or entrances.	Exotic	Evergreen	☐	☐	☒	☐	☒		☐	☒	☒	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Olea europea subsp. africana	Wild Olive	A hardy and versatile evergreen tree, the Wild Olive is perfect for the Western Cape's diverse conditions. It has a neat, rounded canopy with grey-green foliage and small, inconspicuous flowers that give way to edible, bird-attracting fruit. This tree is highly wind-resistant, making it an excellent choice for screening or windbreaks. It is drought-tolerant, frost-resistant, and can thrive in coastal conditions, making it one of the best low-maintenance trees for local gardens. Whether used as a specimen tree, in avenue plantings, or for privacy screening, it offers resilience, beauty, and wildlife value.	Indigenous	Evergreen	☒	☒	☐	☒	☒		☐	☐	☒	☒	☐	☐	☐	☐
Philodendron selloum	Philodendron	Philodendron selloum is a lush, tropical-looking plant that develops a thick, trunk-like stem over time, giving it a small tree-like appearance. It features large, deeply lobed, glossy green leaves that create a bold, architectural statement in any garden. This plant thrives in warm, sheltered conditions with moist, well-draining soil, making it an excellent choice for shaded areas in the Western Cape. While not a traditional screening plant, its dense foliage can provide some visual privacy. It is not particularly wind-resistant and prefers protection from strong coastal winds. Philodendron selloum is sensitive to frost and should be placed in a sheltered position or covered during cold snaps. Though it does produce flowers, they are not its main ornamental feature. This plant is best suited to subtropical-style gardens, courtyards, and areas where a dramatic green presence is desired.	Exotic	Evergreen	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐		☐	☐	☒	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Phoenix canariensis	Canary Island Palm	The Phoenix canariensis is a magnificent, slow-growing palm that adds a regal touch to landscapes with its thick, textured trunk and large, arching, feathery fronds. It thrives in full sun and well-draining soil, making it well-suited to Western Cape gardens, particularly in Mediterranean and coastal settings. This palm is highly wind-resistant and can handle coastal conditions, though salt spray may cause some leaf tip browning. It is moderately frost-tolerant but benefits from protection during severe cold. While not typically used for screening, its impressive size can create a focal point and provide dappled shade. Phoenix canariensis does flower, producing small, creamy-white blossoms followed by orange, inedible fruits. This iconic palm is perfect for large gardens, avenues, or as a striking specimen in a landscape.	Exotic	Evergreen	☒	☒	☐	☐	☐		☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☒
Phyllostachys nigra	Black Bamboo	Black Bamboo is an elegant, fast-growing evergreen bamboo known for its striking black canes and delicate, lush green foliage. It is an excellent choice for screening, creating a natural windbreak, or as a dramatic focal point in a garden. It thrives in the Western Cape's conditions, handling wind well, tolerating light frost, and adapting to a variety of soil types as long as they are well-drained. While not ideal for extremely exposed coastal gardens, it can grow successfully in more sheltered seaside locations. Phyllostachys nigra does not produce showy flowers, as bamboo only flowers rarely and unpredictably. If you're looking for a stylish, fast-growing plant that provides privacy, movement, and a unique aesthetic, Black Bamboo is a superb option.	Exotic	Evergreen	☐	☒	☐	☐	☒		☐	☐	☒	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

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Plumbago alba	White Plumbago	Plumbago alba is a fast-growing, semi-evergreen shrub or small scrambling tree that produces masses of delicate white flowers almost year-round, attracting butterflies and pollinators. It is a fantastic option for screening, hedging, or softening garden edges and thrives in the Western Cape's warm, dry climate. This plant is highly wind-resistant, moderately frost-tolerant, and adapts well to coastal conditions, making it an ideal choice for exposed gardens. It prefers well-drained soils and can be pruned into shape or left to grow naturally for a more informal, bushy appearance. If you're looking for a resilient, floriferous plant that adds a soft, romantic touch to your garden, Plumbago alba is a perfect choice.	Exotic	Semi - deciduous	☑	☑	☑	☐	☑		☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Platanus acerifolius	London Plane Tree	The London Plane is a large, fast-growing deciduous tree with a beautiful, spreading canopy and distinctive mottled bark that peels in patches, adding year-round interest. It thrives in the Western Cape's climate, handling wind, moderate frost, and urban pollution with ease. This tree is highly wind-resistant and an excellent choice for avenues, shade, or large gardens, though it is not typically used for screening due to its tall, open growth habit. It produces small, inconspicuous flowers in spring, followed by round seed balls that persist into winter. While it is not ideal for exposed coastal gardens, it can grow in more sheltered seaside locations. If you need a tough, low-maintenance shade tree with striking character, Platanus acerifolia is an excellent choice.	Exotic	Deciduous	☐	☑	☐	☐	☐		☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☑	☑
Plumeria rubra	Frangipani	Plumeria rubra, commonly known as the Frangipani, is a striking deciduous tree prized for its beautifully scented, showy flowers that bloom in shades of white, pink, yellow, and red throughout the warmer months. With its sculptural branching, lush green leaves, and intensely fragrant blossoms, it makes a stunning focal point in any garden. While it thrives in the warm, dry summers of the Western Cape, it is not frost-tolerant and needs protection from cold temperatures. It prefers well-drained soils and is fairly wind-resistant but is best suited for more sheltered positions rather than as a windbreak or screening tree. Frangipani adapts well to coastal conditions, making it an excellent choice for seaside gardens. If you're looking for a low-maintenance, tropical-style tree that fills your garden with fragrance and vibrant color, Plumeria rubra is a perfect choice.	Exotic	Deciduous	☐	☑	☑	☐	☐		☐	☑	☑	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Podocarpus falcatus / Afrocarpus falcatus	Outeniqua Yellow Wood	It seems like you may be referring to Afrocarpus falcatus (previously classified as Podocarpus falcatus), commonly known as the Outeniqua Yellowwood. This elegant, fast-growing evergreen tree has a tall, straight trunk and a dense, rounded canopy of gracefully drooping, dark green leaves. It is an excellent choice for the Western Cape, thriving in well-drained soils, tolerating moderate frost, and handling coastal conditions if planted in a somewhat sheltered position. While not a traditional flowering tree, it produces small cones, with female trees developing fleshy, berry-like seeds that attract birds. It is fairly wind-resistant and can be used for screening, avenue planting, or as a striking feature tree. As one of South Africa's treasured indigenous trees, Afrocarpus falcatus is a fantastic option for anyone looking for a hardy, low-maintenance tree with lasting beauty, shade, and historical significance. Let me know if you were referring to a different species!	Indigenous	Evergreen	☐	☑	☐	☑	☑		☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☑	☐	☑
Podocarpus henkelii	Henkel's Yellow Wood or Natal Yellow Wood	Podocarpus henkelii, or Henkel's Yellowwood, is a striking, evergreen tree with a graceful, upright growth habit and long, glossy, dark green leaves that give it a lush, tropical appearance. It is an excellent choice for the Western Cape, thriving in well-drained soils and tolerating moderate frost. While it is fairly wind-resistant, it performs best in more sheltered locations and can be used for screening, avenue planting, or as a majestic feature tree. Though not naturally suited to very harsh coastal conditions, it can adapt in more protected coastal gardens. Unlike flowering trees, it produces small cones, with female trees developing fleshy, berry-like seeds that attract birds. As a long-lived, indigenous tree with historical and ecological significance, Podocarpus henkelii is a superb investment for those looking to plant a hardy, elegant, and low-maintenance tree with lasting beauty.	Indigenous	Evergreen	☐	☑	☐	☐	☑		☐	☐	☐	☑	☐	☑	☐	☐
Podocarpus latifolius	Real Yellow wood	Podocarpus latifolius, the Real Yellowwood, is a magnificent, slow-growing evergreen tree with deep historical and ecological significance in South Africa. It boasts an elegant, upright growth habit with dark green, lance-shaped leaves that create a lush, dense canopy—perfect for screening, windbreaks, or as a stately feature tree. Exceptionally well-suited to the Western Cape, it thrives in a variety of soils, tolerates moderate frost, and can withstand coastal conditions if planted in a sheltered spot. While it does not produce traditional flowers, it forms small cones, with the female trees developing fleshy, berry-like seeds that attract birds. As South Africa's national tree, the Real Yellowwood is a symbol of resilience and longevity, making it a fantastic choice for anyone seeking a hardy, low-maintenance tree with lasting beauty and heritage.	Indigenous	Evergreen	☑	☑	☐	☑	☑		☐	☐	☐	☑	☐	☑	☐	☐
Portulacaria afra	Spekboom	Portulacaria afra, commonly known as Spekboom, is a hardy, water-wise succulent tree that thrives in the Western Cape's dry conditions. With its small, round, glossy green leaves and reddish-brown stems, this versatile plant can be grown as a small tree, a dense hedge for screening, or even a bonsai. It is highly wind-resistant, making it an excellent choice for exposed areas, and it flourishes in coastal conditions, tolerating salty air and sandy soils. While not fully frost-hardy, it can withstand light frost once established. In late spring to summer, it produces delicate pink star-shaped flowers that attract bees and butterflies. As an added bonus, Spekboom is renowned for its carbon-sequestering abilities, making it an eco-friendly and low-maintenance choice for gardens, living walls, and erosion control. If you're looking for a tough yet beautiful plant with incredible environmental benefits, Portulacaria afra is a perfect choice.	Indigenous	Evergreen	☑	☑	☑	☐	☑		☑	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

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Prunus cerasifera nigra	Purpled-leafed Plum/ Cherry Plum	Prunus cerasifera 'Nigra', the Purple Leaf Plum, is a stunning deciduous tree prized for its deep purple foliage and beautiful spring blossoms. In early spring, it bursts into a profusion of delicate pink flowers before the rich, dark leaves emerge, creating a striking contrast in any garden. This small to medium-sized tree is ideal as a feature tree, in avenues, or even for screening, though its canopy is not extremely dense. It thrives in the Western Cape's climate, tolerating moderate frost and adapting well to various soil types. While it has some wind resistance, it is best planted in a more sheltered position for optimal growth. Though not naturally suited for very harsh coastal conditions, it can grow in more protected coastal gardens. If you're looking for a bold, ornamental tree with year-round interest and seasonal beauty, Prunus cerasifera 'Nigra' is a fantastic choice.	Exotic	Deciduous	☐	☒	☒	☐	☐		☐	☐	☒	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Ptaeroxylon obliquum	Sneezewood	Ptaeroxylon obliquum, commonly known as the Sneezewood, is a hardy, semi-deciduous tree with a striking upright growth habit and fine, feathery foliage that casts light, dappled shade. It is well-suited to the Western Cape's conditions, being highly drought-tolerant and able to withstand moderate frost once established. Its dense wood makes it naturally wind-resistant, and while it can be used for screening, its more open canopy is better suited for ornamental planting or as a feature tree. In spring and summer, it produces small, fragrant yellow-green flowers that attract pollinators, followed by winged seeds. Though not ideal for very harsh coastal conditions, it can manage in more sheltered coastal gardens. This long-lived tree is an excellent choice if you're looking for a tough, low-maintenance tree with historical significance, as its durable timber was once prized for its resistance to termites and rot.	Indigenous	Semi - deciduous	☐	☐	☒	☒	☒		☐	☐	☐	☒	☐	☐	☐	☐
Quercus ilex	Holly Oak or Holm Oak	Quercus ilex, the Holm Oak, is a tough, evergreen tree with a dense, rounded canopy of dark green, leathery leaves that resemble those of an olive tree. This slow-growing but highly resilient tree is perfect for the Western Cape's conditions, as it is exceptionally wind-resistant, drought-tolerant, and can handle moderate frost. It is also well-suited for coastal gardens, as it thrives in sandy, well-drained soils and withstands salt-laden winds. Its dense foliage makes it an excellent choice for screening, windbreaks, or a shade tree in larger gardens. In spring, it produces small, inconspicuous flowers, followed by acorns that provide food for birds and wildlife. If you're looking for a long-lived, low-maintenance tree that offers beauty, privacy, and resilience, Quercus ilex is an outstanding choice.	Exotic	Evergreen	☒	☒	☐	☒	☒		☐	☐	☐	☒	☐	☐	☐	☐
Quercus nigra	Water Oak	Quercus nigra, the Water Oak, is a semi-evergreen to deciduous tree with a fast-growing, rounded canopy that provides excellent shade. Its glossy, dark green leaves remain for most of the year in mild climates, offering a lush, full appearance. This adaptable tree thrives in a variety of soils, including wetter areas, making it a great option for gardens with good water availability. It is moderately wind-resistant and can be used for screening, though its more open growth habit means it's better suited as a shade or feature tree. Quercus nigra tolerates mild frost but is not ideal for very cold areas. While it is not the best choice for harsh coastal conditions, it can manage in more sheltered coastal gardens. In spring, it produces small, inconspicuous flowers, followed by acorns that attract birds and wildlife. If you need a fast-growing, low-maintenance tree with year-round greenery, Quercus nigra is a fantastic choice.	Exotic	Semi - deciduous	☐	☒	☐	☒	☒		☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☒	☒
Quercus palustris	Pin Oak	Quercus palustris, the Pin Oak, is a fast-growing, deciduous tree known for its striking pyramidal shape and spectacular autumn colors, ranging from deep red to bronze. It thrives in well-drained, slightly acidic soils and does well in the Western Cape's climate, tolerating moderate frost. While it is relatively wind-resistant, it is best suited for sheltered areas rather than as a primary windbreak. Although not ideal for dense screening, its elegant, layered branching provides light shade and visual interest. In spring, it produces small, inconspicuous flowers, followed by acorns that attract birds and wildlife. While not naturally suited to harsh coastal conditions, it can adapt in more protected coastal gardens. If you're looking for a bold, beautiful tree that brings vibrant seasonal interest to your landscape, Quercus palustris is an excellent choice.	Exotic	Deciduous	☐	☒	☐	☒	☐		☐	☐	☐	☒	☐	☐	☐	☒
Quercus robur	English Oak	Quercus robur, the English Oak, is a majestic, long-lived deciduous tree with a broad, spreading crown that provides excellent shade and a strong sense of presence in any landscape. Its deeply lobed green leaves turn golden in autumn before falling, creating a seasonal display. This tree is highly wind-resistant and works well for large gardens, avenues, or as a statement tree, though it is not typically used for dense screening. It thrives in deep, well-drained soils and is well-suited to the Western Cape's climate, tolerating moderate frost and adapting to a range of conditions. While not ideal for harsh coastal environments, it can manage in more protected coastal gardens. In spring, it produces small, inconspicuous flowers, followed by acorns that attract birds and wildlife. If you're looking for a timeless, hardy tree with strong character and excellent shade, Quercus robur is a fantastic choice.	Exotic	Deciduous	☐	☒	☐	☒	☐		☐	☐	☐	☒	☒	☒	☐	☐
Quercus suber	Cork Oak	Quercus suber, the Cork Oak, is a striking, long-lived evergreen to semi-evergreen tree with a rugged, deeply fissured corky bark that adds unique character to any landscape. Its dense, dark green foliage provides excellent shade and can be used for screening or wind protection in larger gardens. This hardy tree thrives in well-drained soils and is well-suited to the Western Cape's Mediterranean climate, tolerating both drought and moderate frost. It is fairly wind-resistant and can handle coastal conditions if planted in a more sheltered spot. In spring, it produces small, inconspicuous flowers, followed by acorns that attract wildlife. A slow-growing but highly rewarding tree, Quercus suber is perfect for those looking for a resilient, water-wise, and visually interesting addition to their garden. Plus, its bark is the source of natural cork, making it a conversation piece as well as a functional tree.	Exotic	Evergreen	☐	☒	☒	☒	☒		☐	☐	☐	☒	☐	☐	☒	☐

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Rauvolfia caffra	Quinine Tree	Rauvolfia caffra, or the Quinine Tree, is a fast-growing, semi-deciduous tree that brings a lush, tropical feel to any garden. It boasts a rounded crown with glossy, dark green leaves and produces clusters of small, creamy-white flowers in spring and summer, attracting bees and butterflies. These are followed by small, red to black berries that birds love. This tree thrives in moist conditions, making it an excellent choice for areas with ample water, but it can also adapt to well-drained soils. While it is not highly wind-resistant or ideal for screening, it provides good shade and works well in protected spaces. It is not particularly frost-tolerant but can handle mild frost once mature. Though not naturally suited for harsh coastal conditions, it can grow in more sheltered coastal gardens. If you're looking for a beautiful, fast-growing shade tree that supports wildlife, Rauvolfia caffra is a great choice.	Indigenous	Deciduous	☐	☐	☒	☐	☐		☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☒	☒	☐
Searsia lancea	Karee	Searsia lancea, or the Karee, is a tough, water-wise evergreen tree that thrives in the Western Cape's challenging conditions. With its graceful, weeping growth habit and dense, dark green foliage, it makes an excellent choice for screening, windbreaks, or as a feature tree. It is highly wind-resistant and copes well with coastal conditions, making it ideal for exposed gardens. This hardy tree is also drought-tolerant and can withstand moderate frost once established. In spring, it produces small, yellow-green flowers that attract pollinators, followed by clusters of small berries that birds love. Adaptable to a wide range of soils, Searsia lancea is a fantastic low-maintenance choice for those looking for a resilient and attractive tree for their garden or landscape.	Indigenous	Evergreen	☒	☒	☒	☒	☒		☐	☐	☐	☒	☐	☒	☐	☐
Searsia pendulina	White Karee or River Karee	Searsia pendulina, commonly known as the White Karee, is a fast-growing, graceful semi-deciduous tree with a lovely weeping habit, making it a fantastic choice for screening, wind protection, or simply adding elegance to your garden. Its fine, feathery foliage provides soft shade, while its strong root system allows it to thrive in a variety of soils, including the sandy and well-drained conditions of the Western Cape. Exceptionally wind-resistant, it handles coastal conditions well, making it perfect for exposed areas. It is also drought-tolerant and can withstand light frost once established. In spring, it produces small, inconspicuous yellow-green flowers, which attract pollinators, followed by small fruits that birds love. Low-maintenance and highly adaptable, Searsia pendulina is an excellent choice for anyone looking for a resilient yet beautiful tree.	Indigenous	Semi - deciduous	☒	☒	☒	☐	☒		☐	☒	☐	☐	☒	☒	☐	☐
Senegalia galpinii	Monkey thorn	Senegalia galpinii, commonly known as Monkey Thorn, is a striking, fast-growing deciduous tree that makes a bold statement in larger gardens or landscapes. Reaching heights of up to 15–20 meters, it features a wide, spreading canopy and finely divided, feathery foliage that creates light, dappled shade—perfect for creating a natural, inviting atmosphere. It produces fragrant, creamy-white puffball flowers in summer, attracting bees and other pollinators. Native to warmer parts of southern Africa, it thrives best in well-drained soils with full sun, and while it prefers frost-free conditions, it can tolerate light frost once established. It's moderately wind-resistant and makes an excellent screening tree due to its dense canopy and thorny branches. While not ideal for exposed coastal sites with salty winds, it may perform well in more sheltered coastal gardens in the Western Cape. If you're looking for a characterful, wildlife-friendly shade or screening tree with beautiful flowering appeal, Senegalia galpinii is a rewarding choice.	Indigenous	Deciduous	☐	☒	☒	☐	☒		☐	☐	☐	☒	☐	☒	☐	☐
Sideroxylon inerme	Milk Wood	Sideroxylon inerme, commonly known as the White Milkwood, is a hardy, evergreen tree perfect for coastal and garden settings in the Western Cape. With its dense, glossy green foliage and gnarled, characterful trunk, this slow-growing tree provides excellent wind resistance, making it ideal for screening and windbreaks in exposed areas. It thrives in sandy, well-drained soils and can withstand the harsh coastal conditions of the Cape, including salt-laden winds. While not fully frost-tolerant, it can handle mild frost if established. In spring and summer, it produces small, sweetly scented white flowers that attract bees and birds, followed by black berries enjoyed by wildlife. This protected tree is a fantastic, low-maintenance choice for those seeking a resilient, attractive addition to their landscape.	Indigenous	Evergreen	☒	☒	☐	☒	☒		☐	☐	☐	☒	☒	☐	☐	☐
Spathodea campanulata	African Flame Tree or African Tulip tree	Spathodea campanulata, commonly known as the African tulip tree, is a striking deciduous tree that stands out with its large, glossy leaves and show-stopping bright orange, bell-shaped flowers that bloom in abundance during spring and summer. Ideal for the Western Cape's Mediterranean climate, it thrives in well-drained soils and full sun, making it a fantastic choice for adding dramatic color and structure to your garden. While it's not frost-tolerant and should be protected from cold temperatures, it can handle coastal conditions and moderate salt exposure. Spathodea campanulata is moderately wind-resistant, but it performs best in sheltered areas. It's not typically used for screening due to its open, spreading canopy, but its bold flowers and large stature make it an excellent specimen tree for adding a tropical feel and vibrant seasonal interest to your landscape.	Exotic	Deciduous	☒	☐	☒	☐	☐		☐	☐	☐	☒	☒	☒	☒	☐

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Strelitzia juncea	Spear Strelitzia or Spear Crane Flower	Strelitzia juncea, also known as the river banana or reed-like bird of paradise, is a unique and striking plant that adds an architectural element to your garden. Unlike its larger cousin, Strelitzia reginae, this variety has slender, reed-like stems that give it a more vertical, upright appearance, and it produces vibrant, orange and blue flowers that resemble a bird in flight. In the Western Cape's Mediterranean climate, it thrives in well-drained soils and prefers full sun, making it an ideal choice for creating focal points or adding a tropical touch to your landscape. Strelitzia juncea is moderately frost-tolerant, handling light frost, and is well-suited to coastal conditions, tolerating salt exposure. While it is wind-resistant to some extent, it is best placed in more sheltered spots to ensure optimal growth. It's not typically used for screening due to its narrow form but excels as an ornamental plant with its stunning flowers and unique growth habit, adding color and architectural interest to your garden throughout the year.	Indigenous	Evergreen	✓	✓	✓	✓	☐		☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Strelitzia reginae	Crane Flower or Bird of Paradise Flower	Strelitzia reginae, commonly known as the bird of paradise, is a striking, evergreen plant that adds a dramatic flair to any garden with its vibrant, orange and blue flowers resembling a bird in flight. Its large, glossy, banana-like leaves create a bold, tropical appearance, making it an excellent choice for adding color and texture to your landscape. In the Western Cape's Mediterranean climate, it thrives in well-drained soils, preferring full sun to partial shade. While not particularly frost-tolerant, it can handle coastal conditions, including salt exposure, and is moderately wind-resistant, though it performs best in more sheltered spots. Strelitzia reginae flowers most abundantly in late winter to spring, making it a stunning feature during the cooler months. Though it is not typically used for screening due to its more clumping growth habit, its striking flowers and tropical appearance make it perfect for adding a touch of exotic beauty and seasonal interest to your garden.	Indigenous	Evergreen	✓	✓	✓	☐	☐		☐	✓	✓	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Syzygium cordatum	Water Berry	Syzygium cordatum, commonly known as the Waterberry, is a striking evergreen tree that brings lush, dense foliage and a sense of elegance to any garden. Its large, glossy, dark green leaves create a beautiful canopy, and its smooth, light-colored bark adds visual interest year-round. This tree thrives in the Western Cape's Mediterranean climate, preferring well-drained, moist soils and full sun to partial shade. While not highly frost-tolerant, it can handle coastal conditions with its tolerance for salt exposure and moderate wind resistance. Syzygium cordatum produces small, fragrant white flowers in late spring to summer, which are followed by attractive dark purple berries that birds love. It's ideal for use as a screening or hedging plant due to its dense growth habit and ability to provide year-round cover. Whether you need a low-maintenance tree for privacy or simply want to add some beauty to your garden, Syzygium cordatum is a fantastic option.	Indigenous	Evergreen	✓	✓	✓	☐	✓		☐	✓	☐	✓	☐	✓	✓	✓
Syzygium guineense	Water Pear	Syzygium guineense, also known as the Waterpear, is an elegant evergreen tree that offers both beauty and functionality in the garden. With its glossy, dark green leaves and smooth bark, it creates a lush, dense canopy, making it an excellent choice for screening or as a specimen tree. This tree thrives in the Western Cape's Mediterranean climate, preferring well-drained, moist soils and full sun to partial shade. While not particularly frost-tolerant and requiring protection from colder temperatures, it can handle coastal conditions, tolerating some salt exposure. Syzygium guineense produces clusters of small, white to pink flowers in summer, followed by dark purple fruits that attract birds. It is moderately wind-resistant, though it performs best in sheltered spots. With its dense foliage, fragrant flowers, and adaptability to coastal environments, this tree is perfect for adding privacy, structure, and seasonal interest to your garden.	Indigenous	Evergreen	✓	✓	✓	☐	✓		☐	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	☐
Syzygium paniculatum	Australian Brush Cherry / Eugenia	Syzygium paniculatum, commonly known as the brush cherry, is a versatile evergreen tree that brings lush greenery and year-round interest to your garden. With its dense, glossy leaves and attractive, rounded shape, it makes an excellent choice for privacy or screening. This tree thrives in the Western Cape's Mediterranean climate, preferring well-drained soils and full sun to partial shade. While not highly frost-tolerant and needing protection from colder temperatures, it adapts well to coastal conditions, handling salt exposure with ease. Syzygium paniculatum also produces small, fragrant white flowers in spring, followed by edible, red berries that attract birds. While moderately wind-resistant, it is best placed in sheltered spots for optimal growth. Whether you're looking for a screening option, a hedge, or an ornamental tree, this low-maintenance beauty offers both aesthetic appeal and functional benefits.	Exotic	Evergreen	✓	☐	✓	☐	✓		✓	✓	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Tabebuia impetiginosa	Pink Trumpet Tree	Tabebuia impetiginosa, also known as the pink trumpet tree, is a striking deciduous tree that will bring vibrant color to your garden. In late spring to early summer, it bursts into a spectacular display of pink trumpet-shaped flowers, creating a stunning focal point. This tree has a graceful, spreading canopy and smooth, light-colored bark, making it attractive year-round, even when not in bloom. Thriving in the Western Cape's Mediterranean climate, Tabebuia impetiginosa prefers well-drained soils and full sun. While it is not frost-tolerant and should be protected from harsh winter conditions, it can handle coastal conditions and moderate salt exposure. It is moderately wind-resistant, but its best performance will be in sheltered spots. While it is not typically used for screening due to its open canopy, it excels as an ornamental tree, offering seasonal beauty and a striking presence in your garden.	Exotic	Deciduous	✓	✓	✓	☐	☐		☐	☐	☐	☐	✓	☐	✓	☐

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Tabernaemontana elegans	Toad Tree	Tabernaemontana elegans, also known as the Toad Tree, is a compact, deciduous shrub or small tree that brings a touch of tropical elegance to any garden. Its glossy, dark green leaves form a dense canopy, and it produces fragrant, creamy-white, tubular flowers in late spring to summer, making it a lovely addition for adding both beauty and scent to your outdoor space. Ideal for the Western Cape's Mediterranean climate, it thrives in well-drained soils and prefers full sun to partial shade. While it's not particularly frost-tolerant and should be protected from cold spells, it is well-suited to coastal conditions and can handle some salt exposure. Tabernaemontana elegans is not highly wind-resistant but can be used as an ornamental specimen tree in more sheltered spots. Its delicate flowers and neat growth habit make it a perfect choice for adding fragrance and structure to your garden.	Exotic	Deciduous	☐	☐	☒	☐	☐		☐	☐	☒	☐	☒	☐	☐	☐
Tarchonanthus camphoratus	Camphor Bush	Tarchonanthus camphoratus, commonly known as camphor bush or wild camphor, is a hardy, evergreen shrub or small tree that's perfect for adding texture and interest to your garden. With its aromatic, silvery-green leaves and distinctive, papery bark, this tree offers year-round visual appeal, especially in the Western Cape's Mediterranean climate. It thrives in well-drained soils and full sun, and is highly wind-resistant, making it an excellent choice for coastal gardens or more exposed areas. It's also relatively frost-tolerant, handling light frost without issue. While it doesn't produce showy flowers, Tarchonanthus camphoratus blooms with small, inconspicuous white flowers in summer, followed by clusters of seeds that attract birds. This tree is a fantastic choice for screening or hedging, and its tough, drought-tolerant nature makes it low-maintenance while offering a unique look with its aromatic foliage and textured bark.	Indigenous	Evergreen	☒	☒	☒	☒	☒		☒	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Taxodium distichum	Swamp Cypress	Taxodium distichum, commonly known as the bald cypress, is a stunning deciduous tree that adds a unique touch to any landscape with its feathery, soft, needle-like leaves that turn a brilliant orange-brown in autumn before falling. This tree thrives in moist, well-drained soils and is perfect for gardens with a slightly wetter environment, making it ideal for water features or areas prone to occasional flooding. In the Western Cape's Mediterranean climate, it may require regular watering during dry spells but can handle coastal conditions, though it's not particularly frost-tolerant and should be protected from harsh winter cold. While not known for its flowering, it produces small, inconspicuous cones. The bald cypress is moderately wind-resistant, though it is better suited to sheltered areas rather than being exposed to strong winds. With its graceful appearance and adaptability to wetter soils, it's an excellent choice for creating a striking focal point or adding vertical interest to your garden.	Exotic	Deciduous	☒	☒	☐	☐	☐		☐	☐	☐	☒	☐	☒	☐	☐
Trichelia emetica	Natal Mahogany	Trichelia emetica, commonly known as the Natal mahogany, is an elegant, medium to large evergreen tree with a smooth, dark bark and a dense canopy of glossy, dark green leaves. It has a graceful, upright growth habit that makes it an excellent choice for creating shade or adding a stately presence to any garden. In the Western Cape, this tree thrives in well-drained soils and prefers full sun, though it can tolerate some shade. It is not frost-tolerant and may struggle with severe cold, but it does well in coastal conditions and can handle mild coastal exposure. While not particularly wind-resistant, it can be used for screening in more sheltered spots. Trichelia emetica produces small, inconspicuous flowers followed by reddish-brown fruits that attract birds. This tree's impressive foliage, ability to adapt to coastal conditions, and aesthetic appeal make it a lovely addition to gardens looking for a hardy yet graceful specimen tree.	Indigenous	Evergreen	☒	☐	☐	☐	☒		☐	☐	☐	☒	☐	☒	☒	☒
Ulmus parvifolia	Chinese Elm	Ulmus parvifolia, commonly known as the Chinese elm, is a hardy, fast-growing deciduous tree with a graceful, spreading canopy and attractive, textured bark that adds visual interest year-round. It has small, serrated leaves that turn a beautiful yellow in autumn, making it a stunning addition to any garden. Thriving in the Western Cape's Mediterranean climate, this tree adapts well to various soil types and prefers full sun to partial shade. It is moderately frost-tolerant, handling light frost with ease, and can tolerate coastal conditions, making it a versatile choice for coastal gardens. While it's not particularly wind-resistant, it can still perform well in sheltered locations and can be used as a shade tree. Though it doesn't produce showy flowers, Ulmus parvifolia offers excellent year-round foliage and a striking silhouette. With its resilience and aesthetic appeal, it's perfect for creating shade or enhancing your landscape with a low-maintenance tree.	Exotic	Deciduous	☒	☐	☐	☒	☐		☐	☐	☐	☒	☒	☒	☒	☒

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Vachellia xanthophloea	Fever Tree	Vachellia xanthophloea, commonly known as the fever tree, is a striking, medium-sized tree with a unique, yellow-green bark that adds color and texture to any landscape. Its delicate, feathery foliage creates a soft, airy appearance, making it a beautiful focal point in the garden. Thriving in the Western Cape's Mediterranean climate, this tree prefers well-drained soils and full sun but can tolerate partial shade. It is moderately frost-tolerant, handling light frosts, and is well-suited to coastal conditions, making it a versatile choice for a variety of settings. While not particularly wind-resistant, it can be used for screening in sheltered areas. In spring and summer, Vachellia xanthophloea produces clusters of yellow, ball-shaped flowers that attract bees and other pollinators, adding a seasonal burst of color to the garden. With its unique bark, fragrant flowers, and ability to adapt to different conditions, this tree is perfect for adding a touch of elegance to your outdoor space.	Indigenous	Semi - deciduous	☑	☐	☑	☑	☐		☐	☐	☐	☑	☐	☐	☐	☐
Viburnum sinensis	Sweet Viburnum	Viburnum sinensis, also known as Chinese viburnum, is a versatile, evergreen shrub that makes a stunning addition to any garden. With its glossy, dark green leaves and dense, compact growth, it is particularly useful for screening and hedging in the Western Cape's climate. This shrub thrives in full sun to partial shade, and its adaptability to various soil types makes it a low-maintenance choice for gardens. It is moderately wind-resistant and can tolerate coastal conditions, though it may need some protection from extreme winds. While not overly frost-tolerant, it can withstand light frost and cooler temperatures. Viburnum sinensis produces small, fragrant white flowers in spring, followed by dark blue-black berries that attract birds. Whether you're looking for a hardy screen or a shrub that offers seasonal interest, this attractive plant is a great option for your garden.	Exotic	Evergreen	☑	☑	☑	☐	☑		☑	☑	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Washingtonia robusta	Chinese Fan Palm	Washingtonia robusta, commonly known as the Mexican fan palm, is a tall, fast-growing palm tree with a striking, slender trunk and a crown of large, fan-shaped leaves. Ideal for the Western Cape's Mediterranean climate, this palm thrives in full sun and can tolerate coastal conditions, making it perfect for coastal gardens or urban landscapes. It's highly wind-resistant, making it a great choice for exposed areas, and is relatively frost-tolerant, handling light frost with ease. While it doesn't offer much screening due to its tall, columnar shape, its impressive height and bold appearance make it an excellent focal point or accent plant. Washingtonia robusta is also known for producing creamy white flower spikes, adding a seasonal touch to your garden. This hardy, low-maintenance tree is well-suited to the region's conditions and will continue to grow rapidly, providing long-term beauty and structure to any landscape.	Exotic	Evergreen	☑	☑	☑	☑	☐		☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☑	☐