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SPECIES	Agave angustifolia
COMMON NAME	Century Plant, Maguey
ORIGIN	Mexico
DESIGN USE	For large containers and as small focal accent in formal plantings



HEIGHT

1m–1.5m

SPREAD

2m–2.4m

HABIT

Compact



FORM

Trunkless foliage rosette and has symmetrical form.

FLOWERS

A branched pinnacle 3-5m tall with green to yellow flowers.

FLOWERING PERIOD

Once every 10-20 years. The plant dies after flowering but produces suckers from the base.



FRUIT

Produces live plantlets on the old inflorescence which fall off and take root.

VARIATIONS

var. Marginata (white leaf margins and may only reach 1m diameter)

CLIMATIC TOLERANCES

Tolerates a wide variety of climatic conditions including moderate drought and wet monsoonal rainfall.

HORTICULTURE

Prefers full sun or light shade and well-drained soil.

REFERENCES

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Agave_angustifolia

