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Scientific Name: *Laurus nobilis*

Common Name: Bay Laurel

Size: 12-40' tall x 12-40' wide

Deciduous / Evergreen: Evergreen

Leaves / Flowers: Dark green leaves, are used extensively in cooking. Small yellow flowers in spring.

Exposure: Full sun to partial shade

Water: Moderate water

Origin: Mediterranean

Sunset Zones: 5-9, 12-24; H1, H2

Maintenance: Prune as single leader. Remove suckers from base of the trunk.

Comments: Oil from the fruit is used in perfumes, candles, and soap. Is the true Laurel of Greek and Roman mythology.