

Appendix A: Recommended Tree & Plant List

Water Use based on Water Use Classification of Landscape Species (WUCOLS IV) found at: ucanr.edu/sites/WUCOLS/.

1. TREES

- Group A – Trees for minimum 8’ wide, 50 sq. ft. planter areas.
- Group B – Trees for minimum 6’-8’ wide planter areas and 8’x8’ cutouts.
- Group C – Trees for minimum 4’-6’ wide planter areas and 6’x6’ cutouts.
- Group D – Trees for minimum 3’x3’ planter areas.

2. SHRUBS, GRASSES, SUCCULENTS

3. GROUNDCOVERS

4. VINES

Group A

Species recommended for **minimum 8 foot** parkways, planter areas, or large areas in excess of 50 sq. ft.

Botanical Name	Common Name	Ground & Aerial Setbacks	Minimum Spacing	Mature Height	Tree Type	Water Use
<i>Cedrus deodara</i>	Deodar Cedar	8’/20’	30’		Conifer	L
<i>Chorisia speciosa</i> ‘Majestic Beauty’	Pink Floss Silk Tree	8’/10’	30’		Deciduous	L
<i>Cinnamomum camphora</i>	Camphor Tree			60’	Semi-Deciduous	M
<i>Jacaranda mimosifolia</i>	Jacaranda	8’/10’	30’		Deciduous	M
<i>Koelreuteria bipinnata</i>	Chinese Flame Tree			50’	Deciduous	M
<i>Koelreuteria paniculata</i>	Golden Rain Tree			40’	Deciduous	L
<i>Magnolia grandiflora</i> ‘Majestic Beauty’	Magnolia	8’/20’	30’	Over 40’	Evergreen	M
<i>Pinus canariensis</i>	Canary Island Pine			Over 60’	Conifer	L
<i>Pistacia chinensis</i> ‘Keith Davey’ (male clones)	Chinese Pistache	G		60’	Deciduous	M
<i>Platanus acerifolia</i> ‘Bloodgood’	London Plane Tree			70’	Deciduous	M
<i>Quercus suber</i>	Cork Oak			80’	Evergreen	L
<i>Schinus molle</i>	California Pepper		30’		Evergreen	VL
<i>Tipuana tipu</i>	Tipu Tree			40’	Semi-Deciduous	L

Group B

Species recommended for **minimum 6-8 foot** parkways, planter areas, or 8'x8' cutouts.

Botanical Name	Common Name	Ground & Aerial Setbacks	Minimum Spacing	Mature Height	Tree Type	Water Use
<i>Arbutus unedo</i> 'Marina'	Marina Strawberry Tree				Evergreen	L
<i>Brachychiton acerifolius</i>	Flame Tree	6'/10'	25'	50'	Semi-Deciduous	L
<i>Brachychiton populneus</i>	Bottle Tree	6'/10'	25'		Evergreen	L
<i>Cinnamomum camphora</i>	Camphor Tree	8'/20'	40'	60'	Semi-Deciduous	M
<i>Eucalyptus sideroxylon</i>	Red Ironbark	4'/10'	20'	60'	Evergreen	L
<i>Prosopis chilensis</i>	Chilean Mesquite				Semi-Evergreen	L
<i>Quercus agrifolia</i>	Coast Live Oak	8'/20'	35'		Evergreen	VL
<i>Quercus suber</i>	Cork Oak	8'/20'	35'	80'	Evergreen	L
<i>Tipuana Tipu</i>	Tipu Tree	6'/10'	30'	40'	Evergreen	L

Group C

Species recommended for **minimum 4-6 foot** wide parkways, planter areas, or 6'x6' cutouts.

Botanical Name	Common Name	Ground & Aerial Setbacks	Minimum Spacing	Mature Height	Tree Type	Water Use
<i>Acacia cognata</i>	Bower Wattle; River Wattle			40'	Semi-Deciduous	M
<i>Agonis flexuosa</i>	Peppermint Tree; Australian Willow Myrtle			40'	Evergreen	L
<i>Bauhinia purpurea/variegata</i>	Purple Orchid Tree			25'	Semi-Deciduous	M
<i>Brachychiton acerifolius</i>	Flame Tree			50'	Semi-Deciduous	L
<i>Calodendrum capense</i>	Cape Chestnut			40'	Evergreen	M
<i>Cercis canadensis</i> 'Forest Pansy'	Purple-leaf Eastern Redbud				Deciduous	M
<i>Chitalpa tashkentensis</i>	Chitalpa				Deciduous	L
<i>Eriobotrya deflexa</i>	Bronze Loquat			30'	Evergreen	M
<i>Eucalyptus ficifolia</i> (<i>Corymbia ficifolia</i>)	Red Flowering Gum	4'/10'	20'		Evergreen	L
<i>Eucalyptus torquata</i>	Coral Gum			20'	Evergreen	L
<i>Geijera parviflora</i>	Australian Willow			50'	Deciduous	L
<i>Koelreuteria bipinnata</i>	Chinese Flame Tree	5'/10'	25'		Deciduous	M
<i>Lagerstroemia indica</i> x <i>L. fauriei</i> hybrids	Crepe Myrtle			30'	Deciduous	M

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<i>Liriodendron tulipifera</i>	Tulip Tree			80'	Deciduous	M
<i>Magnolia grandiflora</i> 'Samuel Sommer'	Magnolia	4'/8'	25'		Evergreen	M
<i>Melaleuca nesophila</i>	Pink Melaleuca			25'	Evergreen	L
<i>Olea europaea</i> 'Swan Hill'	Swan Hill Olive*				Evergreen	L
<i>Parkinsonia aculeata</i> 'Desert Museum'	Desert Museum Palo Verde				Deciduous	VL
<i>Pinus canariensis</i>	Canary Island Pine	4'/10'	15'		Evergreen	L
<i>Pinus eldarica</i>	Afghan Pine				Evergreen	VL
<i>Pistachia chinensis</i>	Chinese Pistache	4'/10'	25'		Deciduous	M
<i>Podocarpus gracilior</i>	Fern Pine	4'/10'	20'		Evergreen	M
<i>Rhus lancea</i>	African Sumac			25'	Evergreen	L
<i>Umbellularia californica</i>	California Laurel; California Bay; Oregon Myrtle			25'	Evergreen	L

* Non-fruiting

Group D

Species recommended for minimum 3'x3' planter areas.

Botanical Name	Common Name	Ground & Aerial Setbacks	Minimum Spacing	Mature Height	Tree Type	Water Use
<i>Archontophoenix cunninghamiana</i>	King Palm			50'	Palm	M
<i>Lagerstroemia indica</i> x <i>L. fauriei</i> hybrids	Crepe Myrtle*	3'/8'	20'	30'	Deciduous	M
<i>Laurus nobilis</i>	Sweet Bay				Evergreen	L
<i>Metrosideros excelsa</i>	New Zealand Christmas Tree	4'/8'	20'		Evergreen	M
<i>Prunus x blireana</i>	Bronze Leaf Plum	4'/12'	20'		Semi-Deciduous	M
<i>Pyrus calleryana</i> 'Bradfordi'	Bradford Pear	4'/8'	20'		Deciduous	M
<i>Pyrus kawakamii</i>	Ornamental Pear**	4'/8'	20'		Evergreen	M
<i>Rhaphiolepis indica</i> 'Majestic Beauty'	Tree Indian Hawthorn	2'/6'	15'		Evergreen	M
<i>Syagrus romanzoffianum</i> (<i>Arecastrum romanzoffianum</i>)	Queen Palm	3'/8'	15'	50'	Palm	M

* Mildew resistant

** Limited to Zone 24 only