

# Leyland Cypress



**The fastest growing hedge there is!**



## *Cupressocyparis x leylandii*

- **Use:** Best used as a super fast large screen to mark property lines and block out unwanted neighbors. This is the fastest growing shrub/tree around. Grows a few feet the 1st year, but by the 2nd year they will grow up to 3-5' in one year with proper water and fertilizers. Trade-off for the fast growth however is susceptibility to branch breaking in ice storms due to weak growth.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Sun-part sun. Well-drained soil, not soggy. Water the 1st two years for best growth. If it doesn't rain for 7-10 days, then water. For fastest growth use slow release fertilizer two times a year!
- **Growth:** Grows quickly to 15-20' tall and 8-10' wide in only 5 years. Over time it can grow 20 to 30 feet wide and at least 50 feet tall. Can be kept shorter with pruning.
- **Hardiness:** Zone 5-9; Shrub
- **Foliage:** Evergreen. Feathery foliage on a large pyramidal form. Can take on any shape you wish and they are very easy to train into shape.
- **Flower:** none

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