

# Rogers Aurea Sport Western Red Cedar



**Roger's Golden Sport Arborvitae is a dwarf conifer which is primarily valued in the landscape or garden for**

**its decidedly oval form.**

## ***Thuja plicata 'Rogers Aurea Sport'***

- **Use:** A real gem of an evergreen shrub, forming a compact egg-shaped mound; features bright golden foliage held over dark green all season, ideal for use as a colorful detail accent in the shrub or rock garden; performs best in moist, humid locations Both heat and drought-tolerant. Excellent for planting in a container on the patio, or as a foundation shrub.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Full (best foliage color) to part sun. During the winter they prefer well-drained soils. Water regularly, when top 3 in. of soil is dry. Once established needs only occasional water.
- **Growth:** Mature size is 4-6 ft tall, 3-5' wide into an oval shape. This is a relatively low maintenance shrub. When pruning is necessary, it is recommended to only trim back the new growth of the current season, other than to remove any dieback. It has no significant negative characteristics.
- **Hardiness:** Zone 5 –8; Shrub /Small tree.
- **Foliage:** Evergreen. It has golden foliage. The scale-like sprays of foliage turn an outstanding coppery-bronze in the fall, which persists throughout the winter.
- **Flower:** Not known for flowers..

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