

Fastigiata Atlas Cedar



Densely spaced, upward facing branches form a symmetrical columnar specimen for lining drives or as an accent in shrub beds. Narrow spread allows it to be used in areas with limited space.



Cedrus atlantica 'Fastigiata'

- **Use:** Fantastic color and a narrow, upright form recommend this blue selection of Atlas Cedar. Vibrant, blue-green needles and dramatically ascending branches contribute the character and shape needed to perform as a focal point or in a grouping. *Cedrus atlantica* 'Fastigiata' will grow as tall as the species, but its slender, columnar footprint requires less space.
- **Exposure/Soil:** For best results plant this tree in full sun, though it can tolerate some shade if needed. Tolerant of acidic and alkaline soils, clay soils, drought tolerant, cold hardy, but good drainage is a MUST! It is also a good idea to shelter the tree from exposure to strong winds.
- **Growth:** Fast growing at more than 15" a year and a mature height of about 25' tall and 14' wide.
- **Hardiness:** Zone 5-9; Tree
- **Foliage:** Evergreen. Powdery blue needles borne in whorls or a spiral pattern.
- **Flower:** Monecious; male cones sheds clouds of pollen, female cones are green/purple and mature to brown. Cones, short, persistent, upright, require 2 years to mature.

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