



LEUCAENA RETUSA GOLDEN LEADBALL TREE

Golden lead ball tree is native to the dry rocky slopes of west Texas and Chihuahua, Mexico at elevations of 1500 to 5500 feet. It is a small, deciduous, unarmed, typically multi-trunk tree with a slow growth rate. The fine textured, bright green, lacy compound leaves contrast well with the smooth gray bark and branches. The showy yellow-gold puffball flowers are 1½ inches in diameter, occurring after spring-summer rains. It is tolerant of heat, cold and drought. Plant in full sun and well-drained soils.

AT A GLANCE SUMMARY

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| SIZE (H X W) | 20 feet x 15 feet |
| FLOWER COLOR | Yellow |
| FLOWER SEASON | Spring-Summer |
| EXPOSURE | Full Sun, Reflected Heat |
| WATER | Low |
| GROWTH RATE | Slow |
| HARDINESS | 0° F, USDA Zone 7 |
| PRUNING | Prune to tree shape |



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