

## Pinon Pine – Pinus edulis



A nice pine tree that stays somewhat small.  
Very adaptable to our climate and soils.  
Tolerates drought well and is a very low water user.

### Tree Characteristics

Mature Height : 20'-30'

Water Use: Very Low

Growth Rate: Moderate

USDA Hardiness Zones: 4 - 9

Summer Leaf Color: Gray/green

Fruit: Small cone

Mature Spread: 10'-20'

Exposure: Sun to part shade

Soils: Adapable

Needle: In 2's, 1 ½" long

Fall Leaf Color: N/A

Flower Color: N/A

### Maintenance Recommendations

#### Watering

- Winter watering – With a root feeder, add 5-8 gallons of water per month per trunk diameter inch, distributed evenly at the drip line of the tree.
- Season watering – If the tree is in turfgrass, add 4-5 gallons per month. If in a planter bed, add 5-8 gallons per month per trunk diameter inch.

**Mulching** – this tree should be mulched around the base of the trunk. The mulch should be no more than 2" thick. Insure that the mulch is not touching the trunk.

