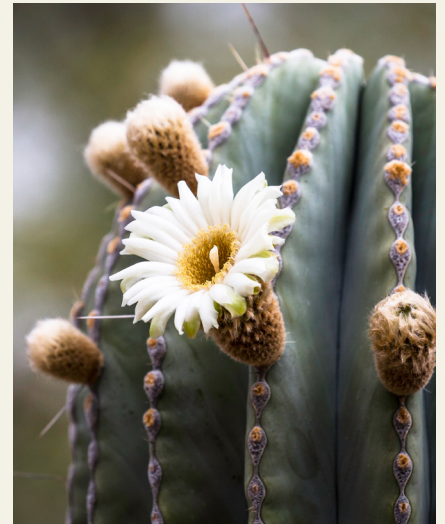


Pachycereus pringlei

CARDON

The Cardon is a tall, giant cacti of the Sonoran Desert. Although they do not naturally occur in AZ, they are perfectly at home in the same growing environments as Saguaros. These tall wide columnar cacti resemble Saguaros in many ways, but with some observation they are noticeably different. Cardons tend to branch from the base or lower on the column, they have gray-green waxy looking flesh, and its more numerous ribs are armed with areoles sporting silvery colored spines up to 5 in. long. Plant them in well-drained soil with plenty of headroom, although they are slow growing, they are quite persistent growers and long-lived. Mature plants are offered as bareroot specimens in various sizes from 4 to 6 ft. in height. Please call our sales team for current availability and pricing.



DESCRIPTION

 20-40 FT. x 10-20 FT.

 FULL SUN

 USDA ZONE 9-11

 SONORA MEXICO

 WHITE

 LOW

 TO 25°F