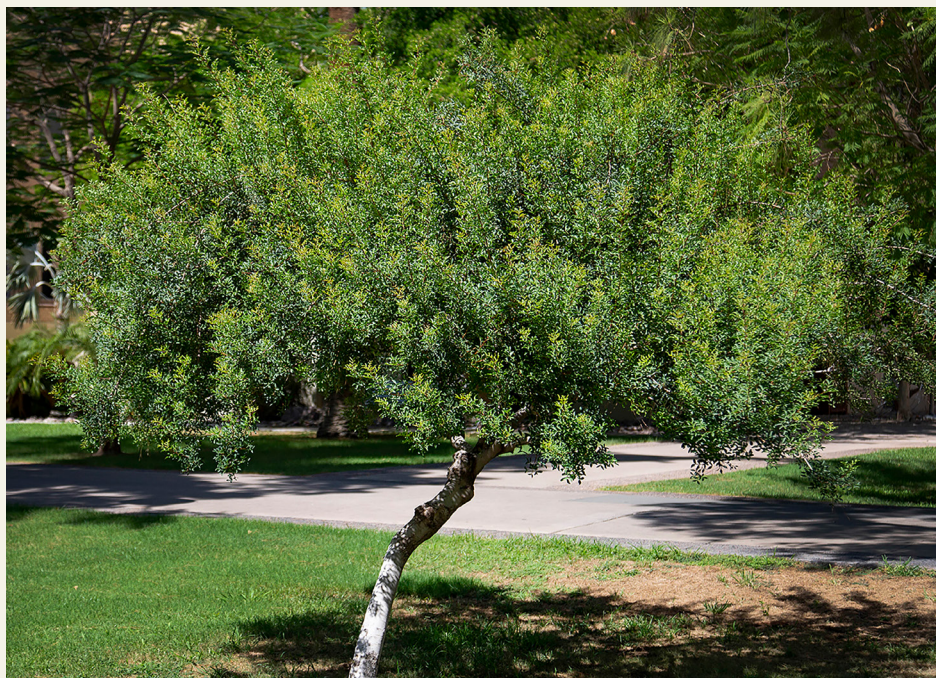


Pistacia lentiscus

MASTIC TREE

Durable, evergreen large shrubs or small accent trees. Use of Mastic trees has been growing since their durability and adaptability has become more notable in the landscape trade. They are not new, but we will say landscape designers and contractors have re-discovered them. Slow growing typically with multiple trunks they can form dense small canopy evergreen trees. They have small, leathery oval leaves with a deep, dark green color. They have a dense branch structure but the branches are forgiving and fairly flexible. They require average water and require little maintenance. Training them to single trunk tree form takes time and a bit of effort but it can be done. No pest or disease issues to be weary of.



DESCRIPTION

 UP TO 20 FT. x 10-15 FT.

 FULL SUN

 USDA ZONE 9-11

 MEDITERRANEAN

 INSIGNIFICANT

 LOW TO MODERATE

 TO 25°F