

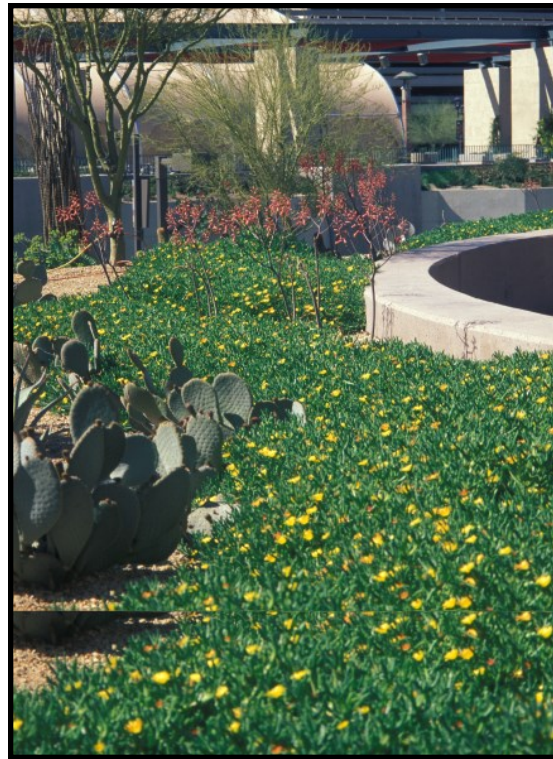


Malephora lutea Rocky Point Iceplant

Collected from a yard in Rocky Point, Mexico, this groundcover has succulent, bright green leaves that provide a lush backdrop for yellow daisy-like flowers. It will bloom on and off nearly all year, but has the biggest show in the spring. It grows best in partial shade in the low deserts, but can be planted in full sun with additional irrigation. Well drained soils are best. The succulent foliage may burn a bit in the summer, but regrows quickly once the weather cools off. Thirsty birds may peck at the elongated, bean-shaped leaves to extract liquids in the summer. It is native to South Africa. Although can be a good substitute for lawns it will not bear foot traffic.



AT A GLANCE SUMMARY	
SIZE (H X W)	1 foot x 3-4 feet
FLOWER COLOR	Yellow
FLOWER SEASON	Year round
EXPOSURE	Full sun, part shade
WATER	Low to moderate
GROWTH RATE	Fast
HARDINESS	15° F, USDA Zone 8
PRUNING	Cut back in the fall if summer browning occurs



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