



Spanish Elm

Description

Scientific Name

Cordia gerascanthus

Family

Bignoniaceae (Borage)

Native Range

West Indies, Mexico,
Puerto Rico

Height at Maturity

6-15m

Period until Harvest

30-35 years

Flowering Period

April - July

Soil Preference

Well-adjusted to
alluvial soil

Light Preference

Full sun to partial shade

Location Preference

Thrives in dry areas
and limestone hills.



Plant Type
Tree

Flower Colour
White



Foliage
Evergreen



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Care Tips

Water (Frequency):

Once every other day, preferably in the early morning or late evening.

Pruning (Frequency):

If grown as an ornamental, prune to maintain desirable shape and size.

Common Pests and Treatments:

In case of an attack by fungus your plant may be treated with fungicides including the following:

- Sulcox
- Ridomil
- Champion

****Be guided by manufacturers' directions for use of fungicides.***

Uses

- **Ornamental:** Usually planted outdoors.



- **Timber:** Suitable for woodturning and other wood crafts.



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