THE 9 CLASSIC Shrub Shapes

ground

open spreading

low spreading

round spreading

round

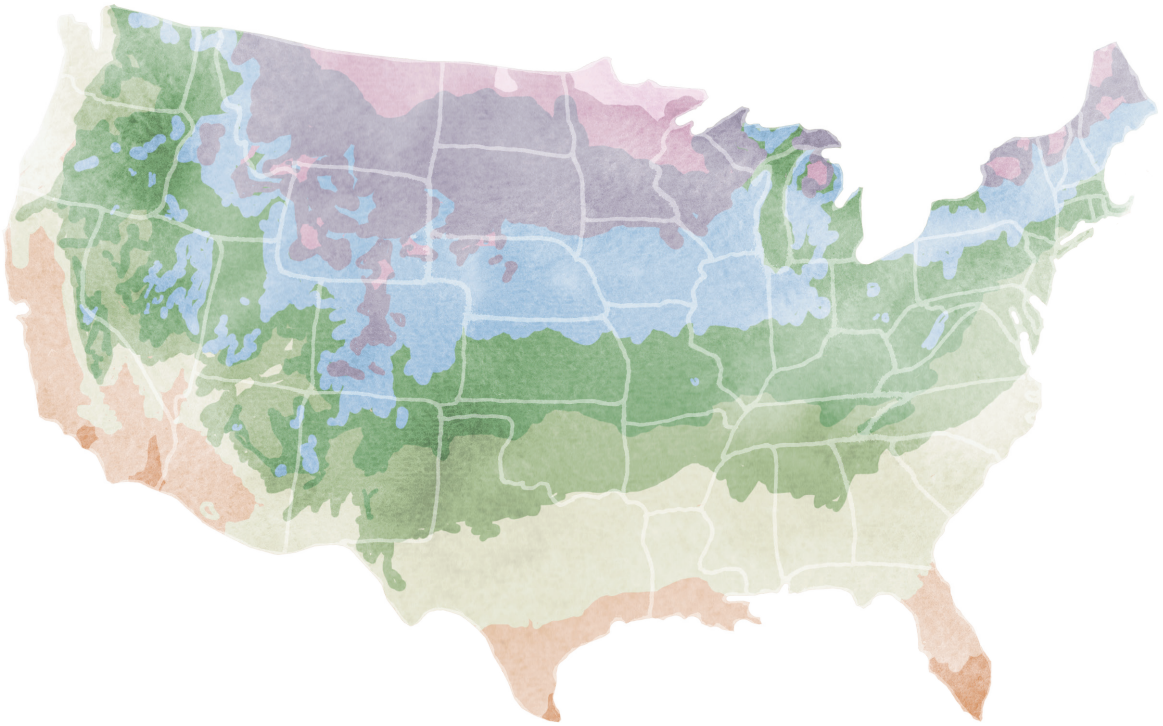
weeping

columnar

pyramidal

vine

Plant Hardiness Zones



ZONE 2	ZONE 3	ZONE 4	ZONE 5	ZONE 6	ZONE 7	ZONE 8	ZONE 9	ZONE 10
-45°	-35°	-30°	-25°	-10°	0°	10°	20°	35°

SHRUB SHAPE CATEGORIES

ground

AJUGA
SWEET WOODRUFF
BISHOP'S WEED

low spreading

SEDUM
LAMIUM
MAHONIA CONFUSA
'NARIHIRA'

open spreading

BUTTERFLY BUSH
LOROPETALUM

round spreading

HYDRANGEA
AZALEA
RHODODENDRON
ROSE BUSH

round

BOXWOOD
TEMPELHOF FALSE CYPRESS
HOOGENDORN HOLLY
HELLERI HOLLY
SKIP LAUREL

columnar

MAPLE
CYPRESS
JUNIPER
SPRUCE

weeping

LEPTOSPERMUM CARDWELL
PURPLE OSIER WILLOW
WEEPING YAUPON HOLLY

pyramidal

CAMELLIA
BLUE JUNIPER
NELLIE R. STEVENS HOLLY
GREEN GIANT ARBORVITAE
CHINDO VIBURNUM