

## Echeveria Elegance - Plant



Evergreen plant . Echeveria is a large genus of flowering plants in the Crassulaceae family, native to semi-desert areas of Central America, Mexico and northwestern South America.

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Description

### Description for Echeveria Elegance

Mexican Snowball is a succulent plant which is popular as a potted ornamental plant. It features rosettes of unusual blue-green foliage, which are often densely clustered and may form a small mound. The leaves may have a powdery coating and may develop red tints at the tips and edges.

Common name	Flower colours	Bloom time	Height	Difficulty
Echeveria Elegance, Mexican Snowball, Mexican Gem, Hen and Chicks, White Mexican Rose.	Green	summer	Upto 30.5cm	easy to grow

### Planting and care

plant have long tap roots which need to stretch out so the plants prefer well-dug, loose, well-draining soil; in preparing a bed, dig down 2 feet in depth and about 3 feet across to ensure the soil isnt too compact.

Climate Echeveria and other non-hardy succulents look amazing in patio planters. Echeveria are originally from Mexico and Central America. They arent used to the cold and will die in freezing temperatures. Just because you live where winter is a real winter doesnt mean that you cant enjoy these colorful plants.

You can keep them healthy during the cold months by moving them indoors. Then, once the threat of frost has past, gradually move them back outside in the spring. Other people who want to enjoy these colorful plants, but dont want houseplants, treat Echeveria like annuals and just plant anew each spring.

Sunlight  
Full Sun

Soil  
well-drained soil

Water  
once in 2 to 3 days

Temperature  
55F

Fertilizer  
Apply any organic fertilizer

## Caring for Echeveria Elegance

Feed plants only sparingly; overfertilization can cause stems to break in the fall. You can add diluted fertilizer into the water, though avoid getting the fertilizer near the plants base; it may help to build a moat in a circle around the plant about 18 inches out. The most important part of good Echeveria care is watering. The biggest issue with the succulents is overwatering. Provide moderate amounts of water in the hot, dry season. Let the soil dry out completely before you irrigate again. Potted plants should not be left in a wet saucer. Soft rots and root rot issues occur when the plant is too wet.

## Typical uses of Echeveria Elegance

**Special features:** Small, green flowers are carried on short stems, and appear from late spring. This is a small, easy to grow attractive plant suitable for small spaces. It takes over whatever small space you leave for it and blooms once a year. Hen and Chicks is native to Latin America.

**Ornamental use:** The plant is used for ornamental purpose.

## References

- <http://www.flowersofindia.net/risearch/search.php?query=Mexican+gem&stpos=0&stype=AND>

## Reviews

Wednesday, 30 August 2017

Thanks for the extra seeds

Subbu themaster

Wednesday, 23 August 2017

Plant was received in very good condition. Cost little more but a good buy

P Rudra Mini Raju

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Very nice plant to have.

Santosh Choudhary

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