

## Tabebuia argentea, Tecoma argentea - 1 Kg Seeds



Yellow Tabebuia, Golden Bell, Silver Trumpet Tree

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### Description

Winter hardy to USDA Zones 9-11 where it is best grown in deep, fertile, moist, well-drained soils in full sun. Propagate by seed, cuttings or air layers.

**Common name:** Tabebuia rosea

**Color:** Purplish-pink to white with yellow throat

**Bloom time:** Seasonal bloomer

**Height:** 60.00 to 90.00 feet

**Difficulty level:** easy to grow

#### Planting & Care

As members of the trumpet creeper family Bignoniaceae, the 150 species within the *tabebuia* genus are most commonly known as trumpet trees. Native to South America and Mexico, these deciduous and semi-deciduous tropical trees grow in U.S. Department of Agriculture cold hardiness zones 9 through 11, with individual species varying in preference.

Tolerant of many different soil types as long as they are well drained, the trees are drought-tolerant and resistant to most pests and diseases. Colorful *tabebuia* trees often provide shade cover beside decks and patios or are pruned into covering canopy shapes beside streets and sidewalks.

**Sunlight:** Full Sun to Partial Shade

**Soil:** well-drained soil

**Water:** Medium

**Temperature:** 30°F.

**Fertilizer:** Apply any organic fertilizer

#### Care:

- 1.
- Collect seed pods from mature trees once the pods turn brown and begin to crack open.
- Remove the seeds from cracked pods only.
- 2.
- Plant *tabebuia* seeds in peat pots filled with potting soil, at a depth of 1/2-inch.
- Place the pots in a sunny indoor location and keep the soil moist by spritzing it with a spray bottle.

#### Care:

- Water seedlings deeply twice each week for the first two months of growing, and then cut back to once each week.
- After a year, water the young trees only once every two weeks.
- After trees become established, they will only need watering during dry spells.

#### Special Feature:

Where winter hardy, this flowering tree is commonly planted as a lawn specimen. Also useful as a shade tree of street tree.

Use

#### Medicinal use:

- A decoction of the flowers, leaves and roots has been used to reduce fevers and pain, cause sweating, to treat tonsil inflammation and various other disorders.
- Among the various active phytochemicals in the tree is lapachol, a natural organic compound isolated from various other *Tabebuia* species.
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#### Note:

for medicinal use, please consult appropriate doctor before use.

#### Reference:

<http://homeguides.sfgate.com/grow-tabebuia-65487.html>

<http://www.missouribotanicalgarden.org/PlantFinder/PlantFinderDetails.aspx?taxonid=277898&isprofile=0&>

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