

**Botanical Name:** *Sedum reflexum* 'Blue Spruce'

**Common Name:** Blue Spruce Stonecrop

*SEE-dum ree-FLEKS-um*

**PERENNIAL/GC**



Spring



Summer



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Fall



Winter

**Family:** Crassulaceae

**Origin:** Europe

**Climate Zone:** USDA 3-11, Sunset 2-24

**Mature Height:** 5-8 inches

**Mature Width:** 12-18 inches

**Plant Type:** Herbaceous evergreen

**Growth Habit:** Spreading, creeping, upright

**Growth Rate:** Fast

**Flower Color/Details:** Small greenish white to light yellow clusters on end of stems

**Flower Season:** Early summer

**Bark:** N/A

**Fruit:** N/A

**Foliage:** Fleshy silver-blue needlelike. Looks like the needles of a Blue Spruce tree.

**Use:** Groundcover, rock, cactus, alpine, and Mediterranean gardens, containers, falling over rock walls, erosion control, fall color, year round interest.

**Floral:** Unknown

**Wildlife/Beneficials:** Flower attracts bees, butterflies, hummingbirds

**Deer Resistant:** Yes

**Fire Resistant:** Unknown

**Medicinal Uses/Edible:** Unknown

**Adverse Factors:** Unknown

**Soil:** Needs good drainage

**Exposure:** Partial shade to full sun

**Water Requirements:** Low, drought tolerant

**WUCOLS Water Needs:** L L L L L L L

**UC Davis Arboretum All-Star:** No

**Description:** A fluffy groundcover resembling evergreen trees that looks good year round. Performs well in valley frost and is easy to propagate by dividing.

**Maintenance:** Easy care. Only need to remove dead foliage, which is seldom. For good drainage, use part cactus soil and mix with potting soil when planting in containers or clay soils.



#1 Nursery Container