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Scotch Watereri Cloud Pruned *Pinus sylvestris 'Watereri'*

Height: 12 feet

Spread: 10 feet

Sunlight: ○

Hardiness Zone: 3

Other Names: Scots Pine



Scotch Watereri Cloud Pruned
Photo courtesy of NetPS Plant Finder

Description:

A fine evergreen specimen shrub which features very showy silvery-blue needles on a dense and compact upright form, eventually flattens out with age, very picturesque; great as a large garden shrub or as a solitary, quite tough

Ornamental Features

Scotch Watereri Cloud Pruned is a dwarf conifer which is primarily valued in the landscape or garden for its interestingly mounded form. It has attractive silvery blue evergreen foliage. The needles are highly ornamental and remain silvery blue throughout the winter.

Landscape Attributes

Scotch Watereri Cloud Pruned is a dense multi-stemmed evergreen shrub with a mounded form. Its relatively fine texture sets it apart from other landscape plants with less refined foliage.

This is a relatively low maintenance shrub. When pruning is necessary, it is recommended to only trim back the new growth of the current season, other than to remove any dieback. Deer don't particularly care for this plant and will usually leave it alone in favor of tastier treats. It has no significant negative characteristics.

Scotch Watereri Cloud Pruned is recommended for the following landscape applications;

- Accent
- General Garden Use

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Planting & Growing

Scotch Watereri Cloud Pruned will grow to be about 12 feet tall at maturity, with a spread of 10 feet. It tends to fill out right to the ground and therefore doesn't necessarily require facer plants in front, and is suitable for planting under power lines. It grows at a slow rate, and under ideal conditions can be expected to live for 60 years or more.

This shrub should only be grown in full sunlight. It prefers dry to average moisture levels with very well-drained soil, and will often die in standing water. It is not particular as to soil type or pH. It is highly tolerant of urban pollution and will even thrive in inner city environments. This is a selected variety of a species not originally from North America.