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Plant Care Guide

Simple steps for healthy , happy plants



Echeveria setosa

(Echeveria setosa.)

Echeveria setosa, commonly known as Mexican Firecracker, is a stunning succulent known for its compact rosette shape and distinctive red-tipped leaves. This drought-tolerant plant adds a touch of color and elegance to any succulent garden or indoor collection.



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Origin: Native to Mexico

Care Level & Placement: Easy to Moderate, Indoor and outdoor plant.



Light

Provide bright, indirect sunlight for Echeveria setosa. It can tolerate some direct morning sunlight, but avoid intense afternoon sun, which can scorch the leaves. Rotate the plant periodically to ensure even growth.



Water

Allow the top 1-2 inches of the soil to dry out completely before watering. Water sparingly, as overwatering can lead to root rot. In the growing season (spring and summer), water when the soil is dry. Reduce watering in the dormant season (fall and winter).



Soil

Use a well-draining succulent or cactus potting mix. You can also create your mix by combining potting soil with perlite or coarse sand. Ensure the pot has drainage holes.



Fun fact

Echeveria setosa gets its name "Firecracker" due to the fiery red tips that its leaves develop under the right conditions. These red tips are most vibrant when the plant receives adequate sunlight.



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Pet Friendliness

Echeveria setosa is non-toxic to pets like cats and dogs. However, it's always a good practice to discourage pets from nibbling on plants.



Stress Signs

Wilting Leaves: If the leaves of Echeveria setosa appear soft, wrinkled, or droopy, it might be underwatered. Increase the frequency of watering, especially during the growing season.

Leggy Growth: Insufficient sunlight can cause the plant to become leggy, with elongated stems and sparse leaves. To remedy this, move it to a brighter location with more indirect sunlight.

Leaf Discoloration: If the leaves lose their vibrant red coloration and become pale or green, it's an indication that the plant is not receiving enough light. Adjust its placement to provide more sunlight, but avoid direct afternoon sun to prevent leaf burn.

Botanical Family: Crassulaceae

Botanical Name: Echeveria setosa.

Common Name: Mexican Firecracker, Firecracker Plant.



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