



## Atlantic white cedar



### Plant Botanical Name:

*Chamaecyparis thyoides*

### USBG Plant Location:

Bartholdi Park  
National Garden

With thick reddish brown bark and fanned blue-green foliage, the Atlantic white cedar is found in the Atlantic coastal plains from South Carolina to Maine from Mississippi to Florida. This tree can often grow to 40 feet in height, producing highly durable, water-resistant lumber. Some botanists believe that this is distinct from the Gulf of Mexico variety and should thus be considered a separate species. Well adapted to many climates, the Atlantic white cedar is a

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**National Garden Room Location:**

Regional Garden

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