

Exotic Seeds to Start Indoors



Cider Gum

Eucalyptus gunnii is a deciduous tree native to Southern Australia and Tasmania. In its natural habitat it can reach up to 100' (30 m) tall. Leaves are a powdery blue and when crushed are heavily scented. Note that seeds are very small and are best sown on equal parts peat and sand.



Bat Plant - *Tacca chantrieri*

Also called Cat's Whiskers or Devil Plant. Winged bracts form the backdrop for a cluster of black bell shaped flowers which are accompanied by 'whiskers' of up to 12" long! This fascinating tender perennial requires patience and special care but will reward you with the most spectacular flowers you have ever grown!



Australian Honeysuckle - *Banksia hookeriana*

Grown for its ornamental silvery foliage, this shrubby plant also has unique cone shaped blooms.



Papaya - *Carica papaya*

Though grown mostly for its delicious fruit, the Papaya plant also has very decorative foliage that makes it an excellent container specimen.



Pineapple Broom - *Cytisus battandieri*

This climbing plant has soft silky foliage and bright yellow blooms that smell like pineapple!

Note that many of these exotic favourites may require specific seeding instructions. For specific info on seeding these rare selections, visit thompson-morgan.com.



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