

CEANOTHUS 'El Dorado'

Origin: El Dorado was discovered in England as a sport of *Ceanothus thyrsiflorus*.

Species: *Ceanothus thyrsiflorus*

Protection Status: US Plant Patent # 13,433

Characteristics:

'**El Dorado**' is an evergreen shrub distinguished by golden yellow variegated foliage, small round pale blue flowers and increased vigor over other variegated varieties.

Hardiness: USDA Zone 8 to 10.

Bloom: Small rounded, pale blue flower heads in spring.

Foliage: Variegated foliage with large, irregular dark green centers and golden yellow margins.

Habit: Upright habit with stiff lateral branches growing out at a 45° angle, measuring 2 meters in width and 4 meters in height at maturity.

Propagation: Vegetative tip cuttings *License required for propagation.*

Culture: Plant in well-drained soils. Plant in full sun.

