

**Family:** **Liliaceae** (lil-ee-AY-see-ee)  
**Genus:** **Asparagus** (a-SPARE-uh-gus)  
**Species:** **densiflorus** (den-see-FLOR-us)  
**Cultivar:** **Sprengeri**

**Synonym:** *Asparagus aethiopicus*  
**Synonym:** *Asparagus sprengeri*

**Category:**

Annuals  
Tropicals and Tender Perennials

**Height:**

18-24 in. (45-60 cm)

**Spacing:**

36-48 in. (90-120 cm)

**Hardiness:**

USDA Zone 9a: to -6.6 °C (20 °F)  
USDA Zone 9b: to -3.8 °C (25 °F)  
USDA Zone 10a: to -1.1 °C (30 °F)  
USDA Zone 10b: to 1.7 °C (35 °F)  
USDA Zone 11: above 4.5 °C (40 °F)

**Sun Exposure:**

Sun to Partial Shade

**Danger:**

Parts of plant are poisonous if ingested  
Plant has spines or sharp edges; use extreme caution when handling

**Bloom Color:**

White/Near White

**Bloom Time:**

Mid Summer

**Foliage:**

Grown for foliage

**Other details:**

**May be a noxious weed or invasive**

This plant is suitable for growing indoors  
Average Water Needs; Water regularly; do not overwater

Self-sows freely; deadhead if you do not want volunteer seedlings next season

**Soil pH requirements:**

6.1 to 6.5 (mildly acidic)  
6.6 to 7.5 (neutral)

**Patent Information:**

Non-patented

**Propagation Methods:**

By dividing the rootball  
From seed; stratify if sowing indoors

**Seed Collecting:**

Properly cleaned, seed can be successfully stored

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