## Cedrus atlantica 'Glauca' (al'urz al'atlasiu), ${\tt MoO} {\tt X}$ (larz), Blue Atlas Cedar

H: 40'-60' W: 30'-40'

Light: Full Sun

Water: Moderate - Low Temperature: -10F

Foliage: Blue, evergreen

Flower: None

Native Range: Atlas & Rif Mountains, Morocco & Algeria

**Description:** Fast growing evergreen with powder blue foliage. Young trees are pyramidal, eventually broadening into a handsome brawny form with age. Sadly, *C. atlantica* is quickly disappearing from its native habitat in the Atlas and Rif mountain ranges of North Africa due to habitat loss and climate change. Despite the challenges it faces at home, it is remarkably tough and adaptable to garden settings, and once established will accept heat and drought without complaint.

C. atlantica prefers loamy well drained soils, but can adapt to sandy or clay soils.

## More Information:

Oregon State University
Missouri Botanical Garden
The Gymnosperm Database
Morris Arboretum
University of Arizona



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