



AVERAGE COST  
**\$38**  
 5 GALLON  
 CONTAINER

## *Cercis occidentalis*

### Western Redbud

This deciduous shrub or small tree reaches 15' tall and 10' wide. Beautiful magenta flowers appear in spring, before the leaves appear. Foliage is apple green, turning yellow to red in the fall. Seed pods dangle on this tree in winter. Western Redbud prefers full sun but will appreciate afternoon shade in desert areas. It needs well draining soil. It is drought tolerant once it's established. It attracts hummingbirds and butterflies. A tree of varying interest all year round!

#### ANATOMY



**PLANT TYPE**

Tree, Shrub



**FLOWER COLOR**

Pink



**BARK COLOR**

Gray



**HEIGHT RANGE**

12-25'



**FLOWER SEASON**

Spring



**FRUIT COLOR**

n/a



**WIDTH RANGE**

6-12'



**LEAF COLOR**

Green, Yellow Green



**FRUIT SEASON**

n/a

# Cercis occidentalis | Western Redbud

## CULTURE & DESIGN



### SUN

Full, Half



### WATER

Very Low



### GROWTH RATE

Moderate



### ACCENTING FEATURES

Fall Color, Multi-trunk Tree, Showy Flowers, Specimen



### SOIL TYPE

Sandy, Clay, Loam, Rocky, Unparticular



### ADVERSE FACTORS

Attracts Bees



### SEASONAL INTEREST

Spring



### LOCATION USES

Entry, Front Yard, Foundation, Lawn, Patio,



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