Bald Cypress (*Taxodium distichum*)

TREE APPEARANCE

Type: deciduous conifer

Form: pyramidal

Mature height: 50 - 70 feet

Spread: 20 - 30 feet **Flowers:** nonflowering

Fall color: copper to brown **Fruit:** round, small cones **Growth rate:** moderate

CULTURE

Soil: ideal for wet locations but highly drought tolerant; slight alkaline tolerance

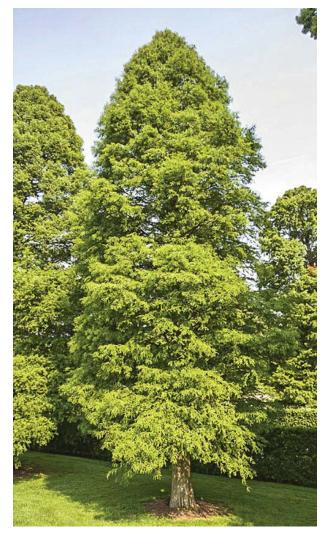
Light: full sun

NOTES

Lifespan of 600 (average) - 1,800 years; native to swamps where it grows "knees;" very adaptable; soft feathery needle-like leaves that drop in the winter; very straight trunk









Fall Color