

Taxodium

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distichum, Bald Cypress

Origin: USA. Deciduous conifer with conical shape when young, later it becomes broader and bare at the base. Soft, pale green leaves which turn yellow and then coppery-red in autumn. Requires cool soil and also grows in water where it forms strange aerial roots which emerge from the mud.

distichum "Cascade Falls", Weeping bald cypress

Origin: United States. Weeping form of type, with same foliage and growing requirements. The long slender branches droop right down the trunk, sometimes widening out, only to fall to the ground. The end result is truly beautiful.





distichum "Pevé Minaret"

Dwarf *T. distichum* with shrubby habit, dense, spreading branches. Deciduous leaves similar to the fern, bottle green from spring to autumn when before falling they turn orange, yellow or bronze. Adapts to various types of soil but gives best results in moist soil.