

Echinocactus grusonii

COMMON NAME	Golden Barrel Cactus
FAMILY	Cactaceae
ORIGIN	Mexico
EVERGREEN	Yes
FLOWER COLOUR	Yellow
BLOOMTIME	Summer
SYNONYMS	-
HEIGHT	0.5 - 1 Metres
WIDTH	1 - 1.5 Metres
EXPOSURE	Full Sun
SEASIDE	-
IRRIGATION	Low Water Needs
WINTER HARDINESS	-



FURTHER READING:

Practically the same as its counterpart plant, the White Barrel Cactus, the only difference is the colour of the spines it produces. This plant has a cold tolerance, is raised when its soil has very high drainage. Without drainage the plant is likely to develop crown rot and root rot. It does not do well in areas prone to frost as frost can cause damage to the plant.