



ARIZONA-SONORA DESERT MUSEUM

PLANT CARE INFORMATION

Solar Flare[®] Esperanza *Tecoma* hybrid Solar Flare[®]

DESCRIPTION: Solar Flare[®] is a nearly evergreen shrub that gives great warm-season color. Rich tangerine-colored flowers attract hummingbirds from spring through fall. Solar Flare[®] grows rapidly to a mature size of six feet tall and wide. Freezing temperatures will burn the foliage, but simply cut plants back hard to rejuvenate in the early spring.

RECOMMENDED USE: Use as a colorful accent, border.

CULTURE:



Hardiness: 15°F.



Sun tolerance: Full sun and reflected heat locations are ideal.



Watering and feeding: Low to moderate. Feed in spring and early summer.



Soil requirements: Any soil that drains will do.



Pruning: Prune hard after last frost.