

246. *Adiantum aleuticum* Pacific maidenhair Pteridaceae(L6)



Basic ID *green fronds open like the fingers contrasting wiry black stems*

Zone:s3 to 9

Type:herbaceous perennial

Height and spread:0.8m/0.8m

Bloom time:N/A

Evergreen/deciduous:deciduous

Flower & Fall color: N/A

Leaf arrangement/Foliage: bright green fronds open like the fingers of a hand perched atop contrasting wiry black stems

Flower/cone/fruit description(s):N/A

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Common: *the most graceful and beautiful of our native ferns*

Tough: medium

Maintainence: medium

Light: *light too deep shade*

Water use: medium

Soil requirement:well-drained soil but tolerate sandy and clay soils.

Maintenance advice:1.Avoid hot afternoon sun too prevent leaf burn in summer.

Disease:N/A

Invasive/poisonous:N/A

Easy to be noticed: medium

Usages

Useful cultivars and selections in Vancouver:”N/A ”

Plant design combination:Ophiopogon planiscapus ‘Nigrescens’, Omphalodes verna, Trillium ovatum, Dicentra ‘Luxuriant’, Beesia deltophylla, Asarum caudatum,Great Color Contrasts: lavender, blue, white, yellow. Great Color Partners: green, black

Suggested plant area: *Avoid water-logged garden sites.*

Texture: soft and feather like

Form: upright fern

Special usages in landscape:*Resistant to: deer*