

Where to get California native plants in southern California

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Botanic Gardens, Foundations and Societies

[California Native Plant Society](#) (Local Chapters)

Website: <http://www.cnps.org/>

Local chapters run plant sales

[Rancho Santa Ana Botanic Garden](#)

1500 North College Ave, Claremont, CA 91711-3157

Ph: (909) 625-8767; Website: <http://www.rsabg.org/>

Fall and spring sales (first full weekend in November and first Saturday in April, respectively), and Year around sale in the Grow Native Nursery, Claremont and the newly opened Grow Native Nursery, West, see below.

[Santa Barbara Botanic Garden](#)

1212 Mission Canyon Road, Santa Barbara, CA 93105

Ph: (805) 682-4726; Website: <http://www.sbbg.org/>

Spring and fall sales, all year in the Garden Growers Nursery

[Theodore Payne Foundation](#)

10459 Tuxford Street, Sun Valley, CA 91352-2126

Ph: (818) 768-1802; Website: <http://www.theodorepayne.org/>

Nonprofit retail California native plant nursery

[U.C. Riverside Botanic Gardens](#)

University of California – Riverside, Riverside, CA 92521

Ph: (909) 784-6962; Website: <http://www.gardens.ucr.edu/>

Fall plant sale includes natives

Commercial Wholesale and Retail Native Plant Nurseries

[Cal-Native Plants](#)

25735 Garbani Rd., Menifee, CA 92584

Ph: (951) 301-8075; Website: <http://cal-nativeplants.com/>

Open to the general public by appointment

[El Nativo Growers, Inc.](#)

Website: <http://www.elnativogrowers.com/>

Open to the general public only through its Website

[Grow Native Nursery – West \(Rancho Santa Ana Botanic Garden\)](#)

Constitution Ave (Sepulveda Boulevard), Los Angeles, CA 90024

Ph: (310) 268-4062, Email: keriksson@rsabg.org; Website: <http://rsabg.org/visit-us/grow-native-nursery/>

<http://www.weedingwildsuburbia.com/>

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[Las Pilitas Nursery](#)

8331 Nelson Way, Escondido, CA 92026

Ph: (760) 749-5930; Website: <http://www.laspilitas.com/>

[Matilija Nursery](#)

8225 Waters Rd, Moorpark, CA 93021

Ph: (805) 523-8604; Website: <http://www.matilijanursery.com/>

[Mockingbird Nursery](#), 1670 Jackson St., Riverside, CA 92504

Ph: (951) 780-3571

[Moosa Creek Nursery California Native Plant Nursery](#)

28435 Wilkes Road, Valley Center, CA 92082

Ph: (760) 751-1929; Website: <http://www.moosacreeknursery.com/>

[Nopalito Nursery](#)

4107 E. Main Street, Ventura, California 93003

Ph: (805) 844-7449; Website: <http://www.nopalitonursery.com/>

[RECON Native Plants, Inc.](#)

1755 Saturn Blvd., San Diego, CA 92154

Ph: (619) 423-2284; Website: <http://www.reconnativeplants.com/>

[San Marcos Growers](#)

125 South San Marcos Road, Santa Barbara, CA 93111

Ph: (805) 683-1561; Website: <http://www.smgrowers.com/>

[Tarweed Nursery and Landscape](#)

Glendale, CA 91202 (open by appointment only)

Ph: (626) 705-8993; Website: <http://www.tarweednativeplants.com/>

[Tree of Life](#)

33201 Ortega Hwy, P.O. Box 635, San Juan Capistrano, CA 92693

Ph: (949) 728-0685; Website: <http://www.treeoflifenuresery.com/>

Commercial Nurseries Carrying Some Native Plants

[Armstrong Garden Centers](#)

Check phone directory for local stores

Website: <http://www.armstronggarden.com/CalifNativePlants/NativePlants.html>

[Bellefontaine Nursery](#)

838 Fair Oaks Avenue, Pasadena, CA 91105

Ph: (626) 796-0747

Garrison Foothill Nursery

679 E 16th St., Upland, CA 91784

Ph: (909) 949-9878

Green Thumb Nursery

1019 W San Marcos Blvd, San Marcos, CA 92069

Ph: (760) 744-3822

Lincoln Avenue Nursery

804 Lincoln Ave., Pasadena, CA 91103

Ph: (626) 792-2138

Persson's Nursery

3115 E. Sierra Madre Blvd, Pasadena, CA 91107-2037

Ph: (626) 792-6073

Roger's Gardens

2301 San Joaquin Hills Rd, Corona del Mar, California 92625

Ph: (949) 640-5800 or (800) 647-2356

Native Bulbs (mail order)

Bay View Gardens

The Irises Of Joe Ghio

1201 Bay Street, Santa Cruz, CA 95060

Ph: (831) 423-3656 | email: ghiobayview@surfnetusa.com

Far West Bulb Farm

14499 Lower Colfax Road. Grass Valley, CA 95945

Ph: (530) 272-4775; Website: www.californianativebulbs.com

Telos Rare Bulbs

P.O. Box 4147, Arcata, CA 95518

Website: www.TelosRareBulbs.com

Van Engelen Inc. (John Scheepers, Inc.)

23 Tulip Drive, PO 638, Bantam, Connecticut 06750

Ph: (860) 567-8734

Websites: www.vanengelen.com; www.johnscheepers.com