

Phyllostachys aureosulcata var. *aureocaulis*

Common names

Golden-groove bamboo (Ireland), Yellow stem bamboo (Ireland), Yellow-groove bamboo (Ireland)

[Phyllostachys aureosulcata](#) var. [aureocaulis](#) is a fully hardy perennial evergreen bamboo. It has average drought tolerance. This bamboo has all year round interest.



-28°C / -18.4F



6 to 8

Soil

Phyllostachys aureosulcata var. *aureocaulis* grows in soils ranging from a pH of 6 (acidic ranges from 5.6 to 6) to 8 (slightly alkaline ranges from 7.6 to 8). It is adapted to clay loam, loam, loamy sand, sandy clay loam and sandy loam soils, and prefers high fertility.

Growth

This plant has a rhizomatous growth form, and has an ultimate height of 6m / 19.7ft and spread of 3m / 9.8ft. It can take 16-20 years to reach its ultimate height.. The vegetative spread rate is fast.



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Care and maintenance

Can be invasive and the spread of rhizomes must be controlled by means of a root barrier or regular pruning.

Leaves

It has green leaves. They are lanceolate in shape.

Exposure

The plant prefers a sheltered situation.

Uses

Architectural, borders, screen, tropical effect and container plant.

Stem

The stem is yellow.

Proagation

Propagation techniques include division.

Scientific classifications

Genus	Phyllostachys
Specific epithet	aureosulcata
Variety	aureocaulis

Synonyms (other names)

Phyllostachys aureosulcata f. *aureocaulis*

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Evergreen leaf

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Evergreen leaves

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Stem

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