

**Bananna Yucca**  
**Yucca Baccata**

Height: 2'-3'  
Width: 3'-5'  
(At Maturity)  
Growth Rate: Slow  
USDA Zone: 3-9  
Bloom: White  
Time: May  
Sun: Full/Partial  
Water: Very Low



The fruit of this Yucca looks like short green bananas, hence the name. A native to Colorado, the fruit was an important food source of the Apache and Navajo. The dark green leaf blades were used for weaving baskets and the root for soap. Plant away from high traffic areas, the leaves are very sharp.

This shrub will live on natural rainfall but some supplemental irrigation may improve its ornamental qualities. It is a suckering plant which can create colonies. Average to poor, well drained soils are best for this desert dweller.