



NEWSLETTER

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Some information on Succulents

Sempervivums are hardy alpine succulents from the family *Crassulaceae*. Their natural habitats are typically 3000-8000 feet above sea level in mountainous regions of central and southern Europe. There are about 50 species with a wide range of rosette sizes, form and colors. *Sempervivums* have a star shaped flower with 8-16 petals, typically in red and pink although a few species have pale yellow flowers.

Echeveria are native from Mexico to northwestern South America. The genus *Echeveria* is named after the 18th century Spanish botanist Atanasio Echeverria Codoy. Most species grow in the shade and can take some frost. Hybrids tend to be less accommodating about their growing conditions. All the species are drought resistant, but they grow better with regular deep watering and fertilizing.

ASSORTED SEMPERVIVUMS



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