

Colorado Blue Spruce **(*Picea pungens*)**

30' to 60' tall by 10' to 20' spread,
narrow, dense, conical shape, opens with age.
Slow growth rate.

Horizontal, stiff branches tend to go to the ground.

Long, curved, stiff needles, blue-green, spread around stem,
with more above stem than below.

Cones cylindrical and pointed, up to 5" long
and about 1" wide, violet color turning
to a medium brown.

Full sun, prefers organic, moist soil, somewhat
drought tolerant for a spruce, very adaptable

Useful as specimen, large shade tree, screen, in
groupings or mass plantings

Native to the Rockies.

