

Solidago californica California Goldenrod

HERBACEOUS PERENNIAL -
deciduous.

3 - 4' high.

Leafy mostly unbranched stems
with flowering stalks above.

Small golden-yellow flowers on
tall wand-like stalks - July to
October.

Native habitat: coastal sage scrub
to yellow pine forest, in dry
or moist fields below 8000'
- Baja California to Oregon.

Full sun.

Best on lean soil.

Drought tolerant, but better with
some summer water.

Very showy and easy to grow.

Goldenrods are often falsely considered
a cause of hayfever.



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