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Classification

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Classification for Kingdom **Plantae** Down to Genus **Opuntia** Mill.

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Up to the Kingdom

Kingdom **Plantae** – Plants
 Subkingdom **Tracheobionta** – Vascular plants
 Superdivision **Spermatophyta** – Seed plants
 Division **Magnoliophyta** – Flowering plants
 Class **Magnoliopsida** – Dicotyledons
 Subclass **Caryophyllidae**
 Order **Caryophyllales**
 Family **Cactaceae** – Cactus family
 Genus **Opuntia** Mill. – pricklypear **P**

Contains 59 Species and 75 accepted taxa overall

Down one level

Species *Opuntia aciculata* Griffiths – chenille pricklypear **P**
 Species *Opuntia ammophila* Small – devil's-tongue **P**
 Species *Opuntia atrispina* Griffiths – border pricklypear **P**
 Species *Opuntia aurantiaca* Lindl. – tiger-pear **P**
 Species *Opuntia aurea* E.M. Baxter – golden pricklypear **P**
 Species *Opuntia aureispina* (Brack & K.D. Heil) Pinkava & Parfitt – Rio Grande pricklypear **P**
 Species *Opuntia austrina* Small – devil's-tongue **P**
 Species *Opuntia basilaris* Engelm. & J.M. Bigelow – beavertail pricklypear **P**
 Variety *Opuntia basilaris* Engelm. & J.M. Bigelow var. *basilaris* – beavertail pricklypear **P**
 Variety *Opuntia basilaris* Engelm. & J.M. Bigelow var. *brachyclada* (Griffiths) Munz – beavertail pricklypear **P**
 Variety *Opuntia basilaris* Engelm. & J.M. Bigelow var. *longiareolata* (Clover & Jotter) L.D. Benson – beavertail pricklypear **P**
 Variety *Opuntia basilaris* Engelm. & J.M. Bigelow var. *treleasei* (J.M. Coult.) J.M. Coult. ex Toumey – Trellease's beavertail pricklypear **P**
 Species *Opuntia borinquensis* Britton & Rose – olaga **P**
 Species *Opuntia cantabrigiensis* Lynch [excluded] **P**
 Species *Opuntia chihuahuensis* Rose – Chihuahua pricklypear **P**
 Species *Opuntia chisosensis* (Anthony) D.J. Ferguson – Chisos Mountain pricklypear **P**
 Species *Opuntia chlorotica* Engelm. & J.M. Bigelow – dollarjoint pricklypear **P**
 Species *Opuntia cochenillifera* (L.) Mill. – cochineal nopal cactus **P**
 Species *Opuntia ×columbiana* Griffiths (pro sp.) – grizzleybear pricklypear **P**
 Species *Opuntia cordobensis* Speg. [excluded] **P**
 Species *Opuntia ×cubensis* Britton & Rose – bullsuckers **P**
 Species *Opuntia ×curvospina* Griffiths (pro sp.) – searchlight pricklypear **P**
 Species *Opuntia cymochila* Engelm. & J.M. Bigelow – grassland pricklypear **P**
 Species *Opuntia ×demissa* Griffiths (pro sp.) **P**
 Species *Opuntia dillenii* (Ker Gawl.) Haw. – erect pricklypear **P**
 Species *Opuntia edwardsii* V.E. Grant & K.A. Grant – Edwards' pricklypear **P**
 Species *Opuntia ellisiana* Griffiths – tigertongue **P**
 Species *Opuntia engelmannii* Salm-Dyck ex Engelm. – cactus apple **P**
 Variety *Opuntia engelmannii* Salm-Dyck ex Engelm. var. *cuija* Griffiths & Hare – cactus apple **P**
 Variety *Opuntia engelmannii* Salm-Dyck ex Engelm. var. *engelmannii* – cactus apple **P**
 Variety *Opuntia engelmannii* Salm-Dyck ex Engelm. var. *flavispinata* (L.D. Benson) Parfitt & Pinkava – cactus apple **P**
 Variety *Opuntia engelmannii* Salm-Dyck ex Engelm. var. *flexospina* (Griffiths) Parfitt & Pinkava – cactus apple **P**
 Variety *Opuntia engelmannii* Salm-Dyck ex Engelm. var. *lindheimeri* (Engelm.) Parfitt & Pinkava – Texas pricklypear **P**
 Variety *Opuntia engelmannii* Salm-Dyck ex Engelm. var. *linguiformis* (Griffiths) Parfitt & Pinkava – cactus apple **P**
 Species *Opuntia ficus-indica* (L.) Mill. – Barbary fig **P**
 Species *Opuntia fragilis* (Nutt.) Haw. – brittle pricklypear **P**
 Species *Opuntia gosseliniana* F.A.C. Weber – violet pricklypear **P**
 Species *Opuntia humifusa* (Raf.) Raf. – devil's-tongue **P**
 Species *Opuntia laevis* J.M. Coult. – tulip pricklypear **P**
 Species *Opuntia leucotricha* DC. – arborescent pricklypear **P**
 Species *Opuntia littoralis* (Engelm.) Cockerell – coastal pricklypear **P**
 Variety *Opuntia littoralis* (Engelm.) Cockerell var. *austrorcalifornica* L.D. Benson & Walkington – coastal pricklypear **P**
 Variety *Opuntia littoralis* (Engelm.) Cockerell var. *littoralis* – coastal pricklypear **P**

Variety *Opuntia littoralis* (Engelm.) Cockerell var. *piercei* (Fosberg) L.D. Benson & Walkington – coastal pricklypear **P**

Species *Opuntia macrocentra* Engelm. – purple pricklypear **P**

Variety *Opuntia macrocentra* Engelm. var. *macrocentra* – purple pricklypear **P**

Variety *Opuntia macrocentra* Engelm. var. *minor* Anthony – purple pricklypear **P**

Species *Opuntia macrorhiza* Engelm. – twistspine pricklypear **P**

Variety *Opuntia macrorhiza* Engelm. var. *macrorhiza* – twistspine pricklypear **P**

Variety *Opuntia macrorhiza* Engelm. var. *pottsii* (Salm-Dyck) L.D. Benson – twistspine pricklypear **P**

Species *Opuntia martiniana* (L.D. Benson) Parfitt – seashore cactus **P**

Species *Opuntia megacantha* Salm-Dyck [excluded] **P**

Species *Opuntia microdasys* (Lehm.) N.E. Pfeiffer – angel's-wings **P**

Species *Opuntia monacantha* (Willd.) Haw. – common pricklypear **P**

Species *Opuntia ×occidentalis* Engelm. & J.M. Bigelow (pro sp.) **P**

Species *Opuntia oricola* Philbrick – chaparral pricklypear **P**

Species *Opuntia phaeacantha* Engelm. – tulip pricklypear **P**

Species *Opuntia pinkavae* Parfitt – Pinkava's pricklypear **P**

Species *Opuntia polyacantha* Haw. – plains pricklypear **P**

Variety *Opuntia polyacantha* Haw. var. *arenaria* (Engelm.) Parfitt – El Paso pricklypear **P**

Variety *Opuntia polyacantha* Haw. var. *erinacea* (Engelm. & J.M. Bigelow ex Engelm.) Parfitt – grizzlybear pricklypear **P**

Variety *Opuntia polyacantha* Haw. var. *hystricina* (Engelm. & J.M. Bigelow) Parfitt – grizzlybear pricklypear **P**

Variety *Opuntia polyacantha* Haw. var. *nicholii* (L.D. Benson) Parfitt – Navajo Bridge pricklypear **P**

Variety *Opuntia polyacantha* Haw. var. *polyacantha* – hairspine pricklypear **P**

Species *Opuntia pusilla* (Haw.) Haw. – cockspur pricklypear **P**

Species *Opuntia repens* Bello – roving pricklypear **P**

Species *Opuntia riviereana* Backeb. **P**

Species *Opuntia rufida* Engelm. – blind pricklypear **P**

Species *Opuntia sanguinea* Proctor – blood-red pricklypear **P**

Species *Opuntia santa-rita* (Griffiths & Hare) Rose – Santa Rita pricklypear **P**

Species *Opuntia ×spinosibacca* Anthony (pro sp.) **P**

Species *Opuntia stricta* (Haw.) Haw. – erect pricklypear **P**

Species *Opuntia strigil* Engelm. – marblefruit pricklypear **P**

Species *Opuntia tenuiflora* Small – bell-flower pricklypear **P**

Species *Opuntia tomentosa* Salm-Dyck – woollyjoint pricklypear **P**

Species *Opuntia triacantha* (Willd.) Sweet – Spanish lady **P**

Species *Opuntia tuna* (L.) Mill. – elephantear pricklypear **P**

Species *Opuntia turbinata* Small – turban prickly pear **P**

Species *Opuntia valida* Griffiths – San Antonio pricklypear **P**

Species *Opuntia ×vaseyi* (J.M. Coult.) Britton & Rose – Vasey's coastal pricklypear **P**

Species *Opuntia ×wootonii* Griffiths – Wooton's pricklypear **P**

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