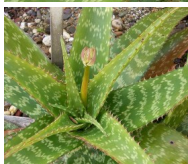
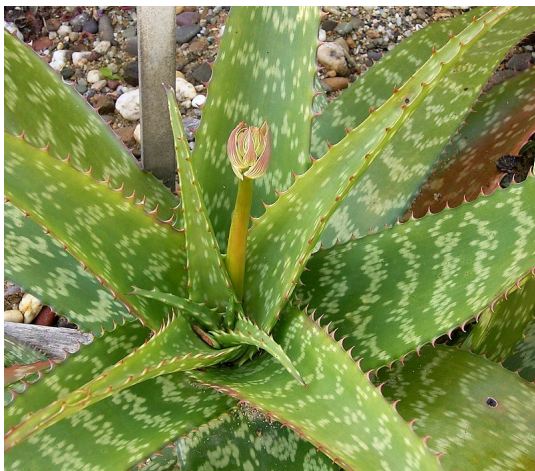


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flowers with markedly swollen bases. They often sucker to form clumps, and most have branched inflorescences. South Africa has the greatest number of species in the maculate group, and one of these is Aloe greenii. Like many of its relatives, Aloe greenii has spots which tend to occur in irregular undulating transverse bands. Its relatively narrow leaves arch out gracefully. The flowers are dusty-pink and emerge in the fall. The branched flower stalks rise to a height of 3 to 4 feet (a meter or more). A. greenii comes from the province of KwaZulu-Natal on the eastern side of South Africa, where there is ample rain in summer and the winters are dry. However, it is not difficult to grow in winter-rainfall areas as long as temperatures do not drop below the mid-twenties Fahrenheit (-4° C). In nature, plants normally grow in thickets or under bushes and trees, and in cultivation they do well in light shade, though they will take full sun in cooler coastal localities.

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