

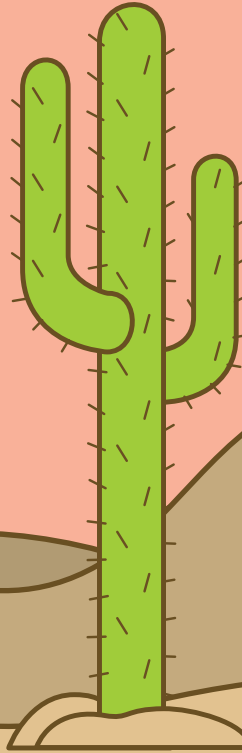


**LOCATION:** Nevada (Mojave Desert)

### **DID YOU KNOW?**

The Mojave Desert is a large desert covering parts of Nevada, California, Utah, and Arizona. Even though it is a tough place to live, some of the animals and plants found there can't be found anywhere else in the world! Animals like the Mojave Ground Squirrel and the Amargosa Vole, and plants like the Eureka Milk Vetch, can only be found in the Mojave. Brian and his grandpa once used a Mojave prickly pear cactus in their favorite pastime - baking! How tall and wide can the prickly pear cactus grow?

I highly recommend trying the Mojave Prickly Pear Cactus muffins. Yum!



**Brian**

### **NEVADA MATH:**



### **OTHER FUN FACTS:**

- At Mojave National Preserve, an underground path leads to a lava tube—a tunnel formed by cooled molten lava.
- It is the driest and smallest desert in North America.

