

plant type

- native trees and shrubs

water
hardiness



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Compact form of Banksia ericifolia growing to 1.8m in height and 2m width. Narrow linear leaves to 2cm in length and large yellow-orange cylindrical flower spikes to 30cm.



origin

NSW.

cultural notes

A very hardy shrub in most climates and soils but requiring good drainage. Grow in full sun or part shade.

maintenance

Can be pruned to maintain shape. Avoid fertilizers high in phosphorus

tolerates

tolerant of frost, drought, poor soils and salt spray.

flowering season

Autumn and Winter.

flower colour

Large cylindrical flower spike with hooked styles, yellow-orange in colour.

foliage colour

Bright to mid green linear leaves to 2cm in length.

width

up to 2m

height

up to 1.8m

plant spacing

100cm apart

recommended uses

Very hardy, useful as a small hedge or screen. Bird attracting.

top ten

small plants for small gardens

project type

urban and commercial residential

soil type and drainage

light - sandy soils
medium - loamy soils
good drainage