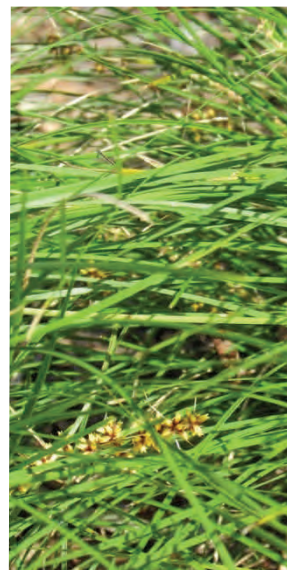




# Lomandra *empress*™



ideal around children and pets

## soft and resilient - great for gardens with kids or pets

Lomandra *empress*™ is a compact, low growing, pendulous form of *Lomandra longifolia*. A rich and textural dark blue-green coloured foliage, *empress* flowers prolifically throughout the sunnier periods of the year with the increasing day length of spring being the catalyst for peak blooming

Whilst most Lomandra species are spiny, *empress* tends to a soft, tuft-like mat of foliage. Animals love to sleep on *empress* as it has such a lush layering of truly forgiving, fine, leafy softness. It's also ideal for landscaping where children are at play as it rebounds back when trodden on

Lomandra *empress* was developed as part of 'The Provincial Collection' by Provincial Plants and Landscapes, Australia's NGIA Hall of Fame + National Environment Award Winners

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a percentage of profit contributes to ongoing research and development of organic, sustainable, food initiatives, ongoing research and development of permaculture-based, polyculture farming and revegetation systems, implementation of biodiversity projects, clean water, food supply, education and personal development projects in developing nations



full sun



part shade



low water use



drought tolerant



easy care



frost tolerant



flora for fauna

<b>description</b>	Compact, pendulous, soft turf like leaves, hardy, long flowering and long lived
<b>maintenance</b>	Remove thatch to promote new growth. Water every 4 weeks in extreme drought or dry heat conditions
<b>care</b>	Water as needed for first 2 - 3 months until established. Best results in mulched gardens. Apply slow release fertiliser once a year in spring
<b>tolerates</b>	Light frost, moderate drought conditions
<b>flowering</b>	Spring through to summer
<b>flower colour</b>	Clusters of creamy flowers along flower spike
<b>position</b>	Performs well in both full sun to part shade environments in most soil conditions
<b>height x width</b>	40cm x 80cm in full sun
<b>spacing</b>	50cm apart for mass planting. 1m apart for specimen planting
<b>uses</b>	Specimen, mass, border plantings, container plant, child and pet friendly areas

bred for resilience

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