



the provincial collection



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Our New Plant Range Has Been Selected, Bred And Tested To Ensure Their Performance And Beauty In All Landscape Situations



The Provincial Collection is a range of new cultivars of old favourites that suit a variety of landscape, revegetation and nursery applications. Bred for performance and aesthetic appeal they are hardy, enduring, beautiful and require little maintenance. Our new and improved collection of plants are outstanding.

Our range of PBR plants suit most Australian soil types and climates and have been tried and tested Australia wide. They have proved to be reliable, resilient and to stand out in the crowd.

Beautiful, drought tolerant, frost hardy and enduring, the Provincial Collection is a range of Australian native plants that are as aesthetically pleasing as they are tough. All of The Provincial Collection are suited to individual feature or mass plantings and are as striking around your own home as they are in commercial landscaping projects.

The Provincial Collection is protected under the Plant Breeder's Rights Act 1994

why choose plants from The Provincial Collection?

- Improved versions of old favourites modernise landscape designs and provide variety and longevity
- Tested in various sites Australia wide, climatic conditions and by many different growers since 2009, our plants have proved their reliability whilst remaining beautiful in every situation.
- The Collection is bred and grown by Provincial Plants and Landscapes, Australia's NGIA Hall of Fame + National Environment Award Winners
- Support a local company
- Our plants are grown and acclimatised in one of our three nurseries - they are sun and frost hardened
- Our 'green' business credentials are good for you and good for the planet
- We Give Back - a percentage of profit from the Provincial Collection 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

the plants and PBR details

	trade mark name	commonly named	provincial PBR no	protected under PBR no
Dianella caerulea	ashika	Dianella ashika	DC4000	2011/038
	gangbusters	Dianella gangbusters	DC6000	2011/039
	gracey	Dianella gracey	DC2100	2011/037
	lithe	Dianella lithe	DC3000	2012/195
	manifesto	Dianella manifesto	DC1000	2011/036
Dianella revoluta	florero	Dianella florero	DR002	2012/196
	tanjha	Dianella tanjha	DR003	2012/197
Dianella tasmanica	emperor's pearl	Dianella emperor's pearl	DT5001	2008/315
Lomandra longifolia	dalliance	Lomandra dalliance	LI164	2008/126
	empress	Lomandra empress	LI264	2008/313
	verday	Lomandra verday	LI364	2008/314



Dianella ashika™



making waves in the landscape, it's tough as TUFF!

A distinctive lime green colour that evokes a soft tropical 'feel' whilst the plants performance can be described as tough as TUFF! *Ashika™* has performed stunningly well in the poorest of soils, on the hottest of sites, and has surprised and exceeded all expectations

An upright habit that tends to a slightly cascading form at maturity, it is a fantastic contrast in height, form and colour from other *Dianella* cultivars in the Provincial range. *Ashika* makes for a spectacular specimen plant and performs well in semi-shaded to full-sun positions but really excels itself as a mass swathe planting that can readily define and accentuate the overall patterning of a gardens form

Tough, resilient and attractive, *Dianella ashika* 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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description	Compact, upright , fast growing, hardy and long lived
maintenance	Remove thatch to promote new growth. Water every 4 weeks in extreme drought or dry heat conditions
care	Water as needed for first 2 - 3 months until established. Best results in mulched gardens. Apply slow release fertiliser once a year in spring
tolerates	Light frost, moderate drought conditions
flowering	Spring through to summer
flower colour	Stunning display of distinctive purple flowers with yellow centres
position	Performs well in both full sun and shady environments in most soil conditions
height x width	60 cm x 40 cm in full sun
spacing	40cm apart for mass planting. 50 - 60cm apart for specimen planting
uses	Specimen, mass, median strip and roadside planting, revegetation, rockeries, container plant, filler and background plant in gardens

stunning upright form of *Dianella caerulea*

bred for feature

Dianella ashika™





Dianella emperor's pearl™



ruling the landscape with an elegant touch

Dianella **emperor's pearl™** expresses a regal display of bluish, upright foliage and demonstrates persistence in tough, full sun conditions. This seemingly effortless combination of these desirable qualities makes this *Dianella tasmanica* selection an outstanding, versatile and enduring cultivar

Basal leaves and sheaths tend to seasonal soft pinks in cooler months giving way to bold flowering displays that transform into purple-blue, olive-shaped berries in early summer. A dynamic plant that is both versatile in nature and seasonally variable

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description	Bluish, upright , fast growing, hardy and long lived
maintenance	Remove thatch to promote growth. Water every 4 weeks in drought or arid conditions
care	Water as needed for first 2 - 3 months until established. Best results in mulched gardens. Apply slow release fertiliser once a year in spring
tolerates	Light frost, moderate drought conditions
flowering	Spring through to summer
flower colour	Stunning display of deep lilac - blue flowers that transition to a spray of purple berries
position	Performs well in both full sun and shady environments in most soil conditions
height x width	< 60cm H x < 50cm W in full sun
spacing	50cm apart for mass planting. 60 - 70cm apart for specimen planting
uses	Specimen, mass, median strip and roadside planting, revegetation, rockeries, container plant, filler and background plant in gardens

elegant, upright form of *Dianella tasmanica*

bred for vigour

Dianella emperor's pearl™





Dianella florero™



charming and attractive

a delightful Dianella - great for every garden

This specially selected, new and improved, low, compact Dianella cultivar is a sweet yet robust plant. It is tailor-made for rockery and cottage gardens and is perfect for borders and low foreground, mass plantings

Dianella **florero™** exhibits a dainty, persistent, lilac flowering display which is both engaging and pleasing

Dianella revoluta florero 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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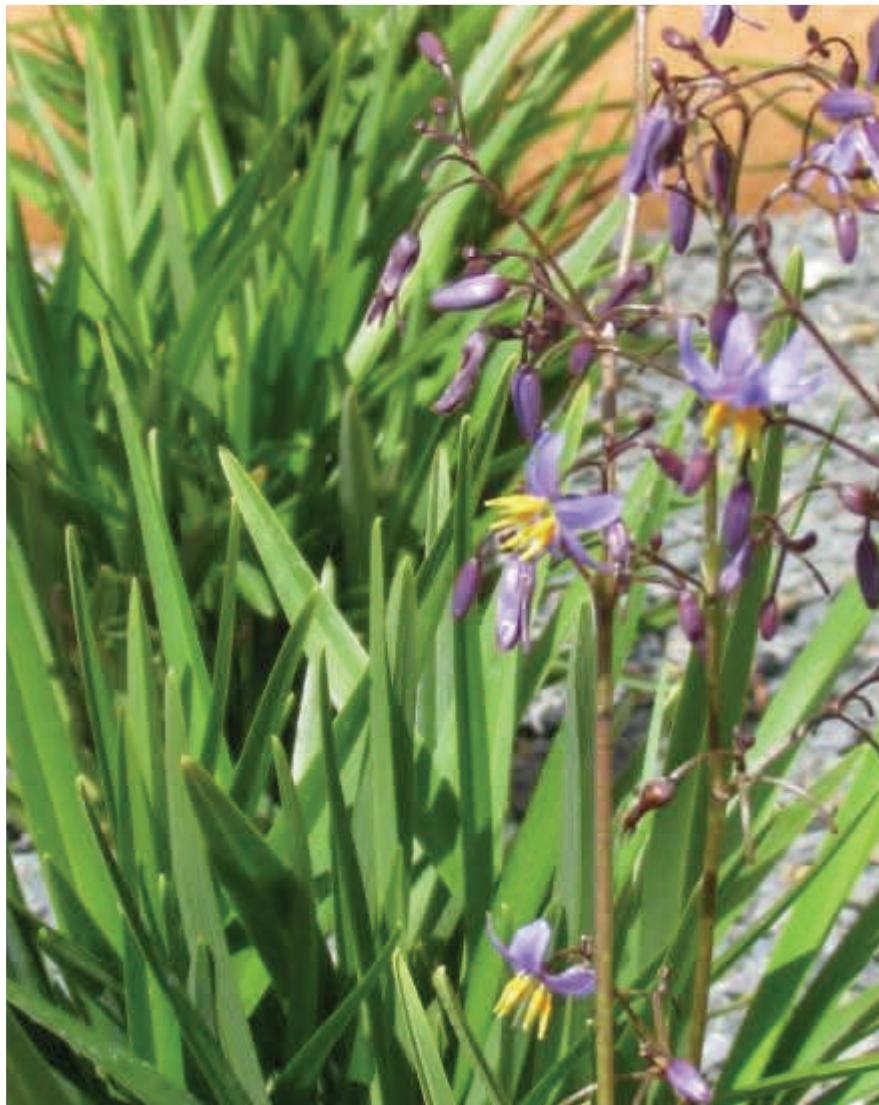
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description	Compact, hardy and long lived
maintenance	Remove thatch to promote new growth. Water every 4 weeks in arid conditions
care	Water as needed for first 2 - 3 months until established. Best results in mulched gardens. Apply slow release fertiliser once a year in spring
tolerates	Light frost, moderate drought conditions
flowering	Spring through to summer
flower colour	Charming display of lilac flowers that transition to a spray of purple berries
position	Performs well in both full sun and shady environments in most soil conditions
height x width	30cm x 20 cm in full sun
spacing	25cm apart for mass planting. 40cm apart for specimen planting
uses	Specimen, mass and border plantings, rockeries, container plant

bred for borders

Dianella florero™





Dianella gangbusters™



pendulous drama in any setting!

A fabulously versatile and resilient cultivar of *Dianella caerulea* with splashes of ruby red on basal sheaths and a beautiful weeping pendulous cascading habit of evergreen foliage. As its name alludes, this plant goes 'quick sticks' – or 'gangbusters'!

Gangbusters™ makes for great border plantings and in particular mass swathe plantings due to its fast growing and rhizomatous nature. Adaptable to both full shade (where it tends to a bluish hue) and full sun (where it exhibits a vibrant vert green)

Tough, resilient and attractive, Dianella gangbusters 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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description	Compact, pendulous, upright , fast growing, hardy and long lived
maintenance	Remove thatch to promote new growth. Water every 4 weeks in extreme drought or dry heat conditions
care	Water as needed for first 2 - 3 months until established. Best results in mulched gardens. Apply slow release fertiliser once a year in spring
tolerates	Light frost, moderate drought conditions
flowering	Spring through to summer
flower colour	Stunning display of distinctive purple flowers with yellow centres
position	Performs well in both full sun and shady environments in most soil conditions
height x width	70 cm x 50 cm in full sun
spacing	50cm apart for mass planting. 60 - 80cm apart for specimen planting
uses	Specimen, mass, median strip and roadside planting, revegetation, rockeries, container plant, filler and background plant in gardens



stunning form of Dianella caerulea

bred for drama

Dianella gangbusters™





Dianella gracey™



bring evergreen flair to your landscape

Gracey™ is a low growing cultivar of one of Australia's perennial evergreen favourite native flax lilies

Gracey has performed fabulously in a wide variety of environmental conditions and makes for a stunning jade green, strappy leaf vegetative palette. It grows to approximately 30cm x 30cm with a stunning display of deep lilac - blue flowers which transition into a spray of purple berries

Tough, resilient and attractive, Dianella gracey 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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description	Moderately compact, strappy-leaved, fast growing, hardy and long lived.
maintenance	Remove thatch to promote new growth. Water every 4 weeks in extreme drought or dry heat conditions
care	Water as needed for first 2 - 3 months until established. Best results in mulched gardens. Apply slow release fertiliser once a year in spring
tolerates	Tolerates light frost, dry periods
flowering	Late spring through to summer
flower colour	Stunning display of deep lilac - blue flowers that transition to a spray of purple berries
position	Thrives in both full sun and shady environments in most soil conditions
height x width	30 cm x 30 cm in full sun
spacing	30cm apart for mass planting. 50cm apart for specimen planting
uses	Specimen, mass, median strip and roadside plantings, revegetation, rockeries, container plant, filler and background plant in gardens

stunning form of *Dianella caerulea*

bred for beauty

Dianella gracey™



Dianella lithe™



a graceful and elegant specimen for larger gardens

Lithe™ is soft, flowing and gentle on the eye. Absolutely ideal for softening hard edges, back of border plantings, along fence lines and making strong distinctions between outdoor spaces

Dianella caerulea lithe creates movement, is lively, enduring and flexible. It has wavelike, cascading and verdant foliage which belie its structural qualities. Summery and striking magenta flowers give way to frosted duck blue berries in autumn

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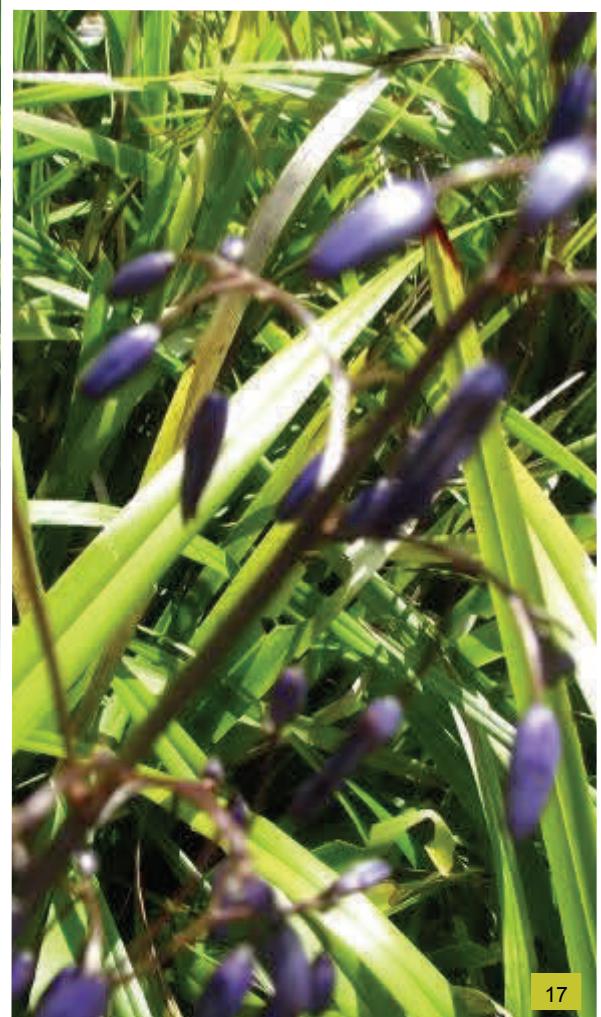


description	Cascades of strappy leaves, hardy and long lived
maintenance	Remove thatch to promote new growth. Water every 4 weeks in arid conditions
care	Water as needed for first 2 - 3 months until established. Best results in mulched gardens. Apply slow release fertiliser once a year in spring
tolerates	Light frost, moderate drought conditions
flowering	Spring through to summer
flower colour	Vibrant display of magenta flowers that transition light mauve followed by blue berries
position	Performs well in both full sun and shady environments in most soil conditions
height x width	120cm x 60cm in full sun
spacing	70cm apart for mass planting. 90cm apart for specimen planting
uses	Back of border, softens hard edges, mass plantings, creates excellent flowing movement in the garden

creates movement and softens hard edges

bred to soften

Dianella *lithe*TM





Dianella tanjha™



new blue edge to an old favourite

Dianella revoluta tanjha™ has been bred and selected for it's medium habit, seasonal red basal sheaths, lilac flower display and broad green foliage that matures to a bluish hue. **Tanjha** is the veritable chameleon!

Dianella tanjha has performed well in all manner of environmental conditions - hot, dry, humid and cold. It is stunningly attractive as both a specimen plant or in a mass planting. It is adaptable to a wide range of soil types, requires little maintenance and makes a great contrast to other *Dianella revoluta* cultivars currently on the market

Tough, resilient and attractive, *Dianella tanjha* 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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description	Medium, broad leafed, colourful evergreen native lily with plenty of interest
maintenance	Remove thatch to promote new growth. Water every 4 weeks in extreme drought or hot conditions
care	Water as needed for first 2 - 3 months until established. Apply slow release fertiliser once a year in spring. Best results in mulched gardens
tolerates	Drought periods and moderate frost
flowering	Spring to early summer
flower colour	Beautiful lilac display, followed by magnificent early summer display of purple berries
position	Happy in full sun to part shade in most soil conditions
habit	Broad, glossy green strap like leaves turning to blue hue with maturity
height x width	30 cm x 30 cm in full sun
spacing	30cm apart for mass planting. 50cm apart for specimen planting
uses	Specimen, mass, median strip and roadside planting, revegetation, rockeries, container plant, filler and background plant in gardens

stunning form of *Dianella revoluta*

bred for versatility

Dianella tanjha™





Lomandra dalliance™



strong, vibrant form, easy care and enduring....

what more could you ask for?

This exceptional *Lomandra longifolia* cultivar is a particularly tidy and handsome specimen. It dilly-dallies in time and space in the most glorious of fashions, persisting where others fail to endure. Its strong architectural form creates a beautiful focal point in a garden

Lomandra **dalliance™** exhibits an abundance of pale yellow blooms which are held tightly amidst its fine, upright, strongly sculptural foliage. Its neat and tidy nature is a true delight

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description	Narrow, upright , fast growing, hardy and long lived
maintenance	Remove thatch to promote new growth. Water every 4 weeks in extreme drought or dry heat conditions
care	Water as needed for first 2 - 3 months until established. Best results in mulched gardens. Apply slow release fertiliser once a year in spring
tolerates	Light frost, moderate drought conditions
flowering	Spring through to summer
flower colour	Lightly fragrant pale yellow clusters along flower spike
position	Performs well in both full sun and part-shade environments in most soil conditions
height x width	60cm x 50cm in full sun
spacing	50cm apart for mass planting. 60 - 80cm apart for specimen planting
uses	Specimen, and mass planting, container plant, filler and background plant in gardens

neat and tidy, strong architectural form

bred for endurance

Lomandra dalliance™





Lomandra empress™



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

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

ideal around children and pets

bred for resilience

Lomandra empress™





Lomandra verday™



This hardy and beautiful plant stands out from the rest

Bred for tough environments and aesthetic appeal, **verday™** is a compact, fine leafed, fast growing, very hardy and long lived form of *Lomandra longifolia*. Tested in various sites, climactic conditions and by many different growers since 2009, **verday** has proved its reliability whilst remaining beautiful in every situation.

With profuse long, showy yellow flowers in spring and autumn set against bright green elegant foliage, **verday** lives up to its pedigree. Its soft evergreen leaves and an arching habit make this plant idea for planting in multiple locations.

Tough, resilient and attractive, Lomandra **verday** 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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description	Compact, fine leafed, fast growing, very hardy and long lived
maintenance	May be pruned annually to remove thatch and promote new growth
care	Water as needed for first 2 - 3 months until established
tolerates	High drought and frost
flowering	Spring through to summer with spot flowering throughout year
flower colour	Small clusters of creamy perfumed bracts on flower spikes
position	Happy in full sun to part shade in most soil conditions
habit	Narrow arching glossy green strap-like flat leaves 40-50cm long
height x width	50cm x 50cm maximum in premium conditions
spacing	30cm apart for mass planting. 50-60cm apart for specimen planting
uses	Specimen, mass, median strip and roadside planting, revegetation, rockeries, container plant, filler and background plant in gardens

stunning improved form of Lomandra

bred for hardness



Lomandra verday™



australia-wide acclaim for Lomandra verday™

"This is an excellent taller-growing Lomandra with relatively broad, upright, mid-green foliage that needs absolutely minimal maintenance for several years after planting. In my experience it will perform well across most Australian environments with the exception of tropical areas. The foliage has a somewhat shiny appearance that sets it apart from many other Lomandra varieties".

"In my experience 'Verday' is equal or superior to any other narrow leafed Lomandra on the market across a wide range of soil and climatic conditions. For streetscapes and other extensive landscape situations it is virtually maintenance free for several years after planting and can be easily rejuvenated by dividing the plant after a number of years. This exceptional Lomandra is definitely great value for money."

Angus Stewart, ABC GARDENING AUSTRALIA

"We've been successfully planting Lomandra verday™ on projects all around the Canberra region since 2010. It's a great plant, attractive and tough, and we're completely happy with it—it does everything we want it to do in every application,. Mass plantings, rehabilitation projects, commercial and residential landscapes—it covers all bases. We also grow it and supply some very happy customers and it's important to us that it's available locally and not imported from Sydney suppliers. It outcompetes all other similar plants on the market like Lomandra 'Tanika™' in Canberra conditions."

Alex Hoy | Director | COOL GREEN HORTICULTURE, ACT

"Lomandra verday™ is an exceptional plant in both its growing habit and in flower. Verday's performance under challenging environmental conditions is truly remarkable, it continues to present well in a landscape—even under the driest conditions. I recommend verday™ to all my customers looking for a reliable alternative to other Lomandra varieties on the market."

David Lulfitz | Director | PLANTRITE, WA

"Ramm Botanicals have been working on the Lomandra verday™ for well over 2 years now and in our experience through extensive pot and field trials the verday™ is a true winner. Able to withstand high rainfall, extended periods of dry and also able to grow through extremes of temperatures, not to mention soil types. verday™ is a very tough plant that will give many, many years of trouble free performance. I would be more than happy to recommend this plant in most urban landscape applications."

Ryan Weber | Director / BAppSc (Hort) | RAMM BOTANICALS, NSW

"I would like to say how impressed I am with your new selection of Lomandra longifolia (LI364 PBR), Lomandra verday™. It is a great compact form of Lomandra that seems to flower all the time. We have been growing it for the last three years here on the Sunshine Coast in south-east Queensland.

At first I was hesitant to trial Lomandra verday™ due to the plant being bred and grown in southern NSW and the ACT. In our experience most of the 'southern-type' Lomandra do not perform very well in our climactic growing conditions as we can experience torrential rain during the summer months, with temperatures and humidity being extremely high. To our surprise Lomandra verday™ flourished and perfumed well above our expectations! Since planting our in-ground trials in various locations to test its suitability we have had floods, heat waves, frosts and extreme humidity. Lomandra verday™ has not looked back!

We find Lomandra verday™ generally performs better than other 'southern type' varieties on the market, such as Lomandra 'Seascape', Lomandra 'Lime Wave' and Lomandra 'Tanika'.

I highly recommend Lomandra verday™ as a great landscape plant, where an extremely versatile compact plant is required with can tolerate a wide range of climactic growing conditions and soil types."

Shaun O'Brien | Director / Research Scientist | VITROFLORA Pty Ltd, QLD

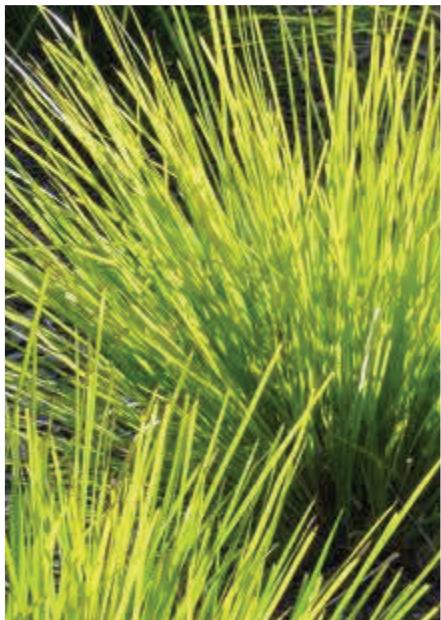
tried and tested what others are saying about Lomandra verday™

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