

**plant type**

- native trees and shrubs

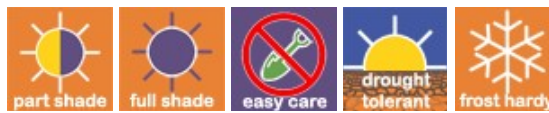
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# Cassinia longifolia

## shiny cassinia

A medium to large shrub capable of reaching 4m, but usually smaller. Dense clusters of small white flowers in spring, summer and autumn.



**top ten**

shady gardens

**origin**

NSW, ACT, Vic, Tas.

**project type**

urban and commercial  
residential  
erosion control

**cultural notes**

A fast growing and adaptable plant. Prefers moist but well drained soils in part or full shade.

**maintenance**

Can be pruned periodically to maintain a dense habit.

**tolerates**

Frost tolerant, moderately drought tolerant.

**soil type and drainage**

light - sandy soils  
medium - loamy soils  
good drainage

**flowering season**

Spring, Summer and early Autumn.

**flower colour**

Small white flowers forming dense clusters to 20cm in diameter.

**foliage colour**

Shiny green, narrow leaves with hairy undersides. Leaves are sticky when young.

**width**

up to 3m

**height**

up to 4m

**plant spacing**

100cm apart

**recommended uses**

Good pioneer species for disturbed sites provided there is adequate shade.