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# **SAVE THE DATE GROWING FRIENDS SPRING PLANT SALE 2023** 21 & 22 OCTOBER **Enter through Southern Gate** (Gate E) **FREE ENTRY**

### Plant Source: Genus/Snecies/Cultivar

Genus/Species/Cultivar	Notes
Ajuga australis	Perennial; Australian Bugle; SE Aust; 0.6m h x 0.4m w; Evergreen, spreading groundcover. Rosettes of dark leaves. Spikes of blue/purple flowers. Semi-shade or sun. Frost hardy; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Well-
Alyogyne huegelii (white)	Shrub; White Native Hibiscus; SW Aust; 1.5m h x 1.2m w; Evergreen open shrub with loose white flowers. Responds well to pruning after flowering. Frost tolerant; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Well-drained; Adaptable;
Asplenium bulbiferum	Fern; Hen & Chicken Fern; Aus & NZ; 0.5m h x 1.2m w; Light green thin textured fronds, semi-weeping when fully grown. Rhizome tufted, covered with dull brown scales. Ideal in pots or baskets; Shade; Moist
Bauera rubioides (white)	Shrub; SE Aus; 0.3 - 1m h; Wiry, densely scrambling plant with masses of open, cup-shaped white flowers on long stalks. Prune after flowering to keep compact. Suitable as an understory plant, low hedge or pot plant; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-
Brachychiton acerifolius	Tree; Illawarra Flame Tree; E Australia; 10 - 20m h; Evergreen. Red flowers from November-February making a spectacular display at Christmas. Very adaptable to most sites, prefers good drainage when young; Sun; Well-
Callistemon kenmorrisonii	Shrub; Betka Bottlebrush; E Victoria; 0.3 - 1m h; Rare. Upright shrub in the wild with crimson brush flower on each branch. Plants grown from cuttings often have prostrate habit; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained;
Callistemon wimmerensis	Shrub; Wimmera Bottlebrush; MacKenzie River Vic; Newly discovered endangered species, with profuse pink-mauve flowers in December, and smooth leaves with oil glands rather than rough leaves. Taller than the scarlet bottlebrush plants; Sun; Moist/Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Calothamnus gilesii	Shrub; S WA; 0.5 - 3m h; Medium shrub with long pine-like leaves to 20cm. Clusters of red flowers with yellow anthers are borne in small groups; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Well-drained
Calothamnus homalophyllus	Shrub; Murchison Claw-flower; WA; 2 - $4m h \times 2 - 4m w$ ; A much-branched, medium shrub, flat, thick tapering green leaves. Rich-red flowers, with gold anthers, in one-sided clusters, varying in length. Flowers from Aug-May; Sun; Well-drained
Calytrix tetragona	Shrub; Fringe Myrtle; 1 - 2m h x 1 - 2m w; (syn. Calytrix sullivanii) White/pink flowers. Needs good drainage and responds well to pruning. An excellent garden plant for coastal areas. Frost hardy; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun; Drought Tolerant
Chamelaucium 'Meringur Mist'	Shrub; Geraldton Wax; 3m h; (C. floriferum x C. uncinatum). Medium sized aromatic shrub, with strong pink flowers in Spring; Sun; Well-drained
Cissus antarctica	Climber; Kangaroo Vine; Qld & NSW; Vigorous, woody climber with tendrils and dark green toothed, ovate leaves. Small greenish flowers and black edible fruits. Good for pergolas or on fences; Flowers: Spring/Summer;
Cordyline petiolaris	Shrub; Qld NSW; 2 - 4m h x 1 - 2m w; Attractive feature plant with cream/purple flowers followed by bunches of bright red berries. May form a tree-like stem and is suitable as an indoor plant. Excellent architectural plant for narrow site. Light frost tolerance; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Semi Shade;

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Coronidium elatum	Shrub; White Paper Daisy; 0.6 - 2m h; (syn. Helichrysum elatum) Herbaceous, woody shrub with abundant, white daisy-like flowers and silver- green foliage. Flowers can be used in dried arrangements. Prune to keep compact. Tolerates light frost; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Correa 'Mallee Pastel'	Shrub; 0.3m h x 1m w; A small ground cover with unusual bell-shaped pastel pink flowers; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Correa 'Marian's Marvel'	Shrub; 1.5m h x 1.5 - 3m w; Attractive shrub with dark green foliage. Beautiful tubular green and pink flowers most of the year; Sun; Moist/Well-
Correa alba	Shrub; SE Australia; 0.5 - 1m h x 1m w; White flowers spring-autumn. Spreading hardy coastal plant used by early settlers as a tea substitute. Tolerates salt spray, is frost hardy and bird attracting; Sun; Well-drained;
Correa alba var pannosa	Shrub; Velvet White Correa; Vic; 0.5m h; Hardy small hybrid shrub. Vigorous low grower, forming a dense carpet. Flowers blush-pink centres to white star- shaped blooms. Good for borders; Flowers: Autumn/Winter; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Correa backhouseana	Shrub; Tas, SE Victoria; 1 - 2m h; Large spread. Dark green leathery leaves, rust coloured and velvety below. Flowers have creamy green petals with recurved tips and protruding anthers; Flowers: Autumn/Winter; Sun/Semi- shade; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Correa baeuerlenii	Shrub; Chef's Cap Correa; E Australia; 1.5m h x 1.5m w; Cream/green flowers March-August. A hardy, evergreen coastal plant, frost tolerant, prefers some shade. Attracts birds; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Correa decumbens	Shrub; S Australia; 0.2 - $1m h \times 1 - 3m w$ ; A dwarf spreading shrub. Leaves dark green above and grey to brown below. Narrow tubular flowers, erect, red with green tips; calyx can be deeply lobed. Will tolerate wet and dappled shade. Good to cover exposed areas; Flowers: Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained; Adaptable
Correa glabra 'Gold Tips'	Shrub; 0.4 - 0.6m h; Rounded small shrub with bright green leaves that have yellowish tips and pink flowers in Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-
Correa lawrenceana (deep pink)	Shrub; Southern Australia; 2 - 5m h x 2 - 5m w; A dense shrub to upright small tree. Leathery leaves and tubular deep pink pendulous flowers, on stems, from leaf axils. Flowers March - Nov. And likes heavier, moist soils; Semi Shade; Well-drained
Correa pulchella 'Annie's Delight'	Shrub; 0.3m h x 1m w; Small shrub with dark green foliage and masses of pendulous apricot-pink tubular flowers; Flowers: Autumn/Winter; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
Correa reflexa (Kangaroo Island form)	Shrub; SA; 1 - 1.5m h x 1 - 1.5m w; Small red flowers with green tips. Smallish shrub with small narrow, rounded leaves. Can be pruned and used as a hedge; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
Correa reflexa (Melbourne)	Shrub; Vic; 0.6 - 1m h; Bell-shaped light green flower with yellow tips; Flowers: Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Crowea 'Poorinda Ecstacy'	Shrub; 0.8 - 1m h; Compact evergreen cultivar with light green aromatic leaves and pink star-shaped flowers Performs well in pots. Frost tolerant; Flowers: Spring to Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Drought

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Darwinia citriodora	Shrub; WA; 1.2m h x 1.2m w; Evergreen, compact rounded form. Lemon- scented blue-green leaves, tinted red in winter. Terminal heads of 4 small, tubular, yellow flowers surrounded by red leaf-like bracts. Frost hardy; bird attracting; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
Disphyma crassifolium ssp. clavellatum	Succulent; Karkalla; Aus, NZ; 0.2m h; Prostrate. Fleshy leaves with profuse pink daisy-like flowers; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Well-drained; Drought
Dodonaea boroniifolia	Shrub; Southern Fern-leaf Hop-bush; E Australia; 0.5 - 2m h x 0.7 - 2m w; Decorative plant grown for its pink/red capsules from November-April. Needs regular pruning to keep shapely. Frost hardy; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Semi Shade; Well-drained
Eutaxia myrtifolia	Shrub; S WA; 1m h x 1m w; (syn. E. obovata) Variable shrub with small narrow pointed leaves. Abundance of yellow and red pea flowers. Tip prune when young. Light frost tolerant; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun/Semi-shade;
Goodenia albiflora	Perennial; S Australia; 0.6m h x 0.8 - 1m w; Spreading glaucous plant with grey toothed elliptical to oval leaves, along erect stems. Large white flowers. Good ground cover; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Goodenia hederacea	Shrub; E Australia; 0.3m h x 1m w; Evergreen with fan-shaped yellow flowers. Stem is trailing and rooting at the nodes, with a few erect branches. Leaves are whitish when young, and later dark green; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Moist; Drought Tolerant
Goodenia macmillanii	Shrub; Pinnate Goodenia; Vic; 0.3 - 0.6m h; Beautiful, rare and unusual small erect shrub. Ovate tooth edged bright green leaves, purple/mauve flowers. Tolerates sandy loam or clay. Good in rockeries or pots; Flowers: Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist
Graptophyllum excelsum	Shrub; CE Australia; 1.5 - 3m h x 1.5 - 2m w; Evergreen. Showy and profuse deep red tubular flowers. Upright habit, suitable for narrow sites. Tolerant of lime and light frosts. Attracts birds; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
Grevillea aquifolium	Shrub; Holly Grevillea; SE SA, W Vic; 1 - 2m h; Shrubby, scrambling plant. Red, or occasionally yellowish-green flowers occur in terminal, one sided racemes. Foliage has sharp points on the lobes; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Grevillea australis	Shrub; Southern Grevillea; SE Aus; 0.2 - 2.5m h; A variable species with narrow leaves and clusters of white flowers along the stems; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun; Well-drained
Grevillea chrysophaea	Shrub; Golden Grevillea; Vic; 0.3 - 2.5m h; A spreading or occasionally prostrate shrub. Leaves are elliptical to linear and the flowers range in colour from dull to golden yellow, with a red to orange-red style; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Grevillea jephcottii	Shrub; Green Grevillea; Vic; 2 - 4m h x 2 - 4m w; Cream/green flowers. A good understorey plant, frost and snow hardy; may be hedge-pruned. Excellent for attracting birds; Flowers: Winter; Semi Shade; Adaptable; Acidic
Grevillea lanigera	Shrub; Woolly Grevillea; SE Aus; 0.2 - 0.3m h x 1 - 1.5m w; Prostrate. Spreading, usually groundcover plant with profuse pink/red flowers almost all year. Prefers good drainage, but very adaptable. Frost hardy. Useful on banks. Attracts birds; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun; Well-drained; Acidic;

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Grevillea victoriae	Shrub; SE Aus; 3m h x 3m w; Attractive, evergreen and hardy plant with ovate, grey-green leaves. Orange-red, spidery flowers in pendent clusters. Fast growing. Suitable as an informal hedge; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Well-drained
Grevillea willisii	Shrub; E Vic; 1.5 - 3.5m h x 2.5 - 5m w; Medium shrub with greyish young growth growing to divided greyish-green leaves. Long terminal cream to pale yellow flower racemes, with dark purple-brown tips; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Grevillea x gaudichaudii	Shrub; E Australia; 0.3m h x 3m w; Vigorous prostrate shrub. Long oak-like leaves. Red toothbrush flowers; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Well-drained
Hakea petiolaris	Shrub; Sea Urchin Hakea; WA; 3m h; A striking, large shrub producing round, pink flowers with cream outer pistils, followed by large woody pods. Attracts birds. Tolerant of moderate frosts; Flowers: Autumn/Winter; Sun/Semi-shade
Hakea platysperma	Shrub; Cricket Ball Hakea; WA; 2 - 3m h x 3m w; Hardy rounded shrub with axillary clusters of white flowers and very large, ornamental fruit; Flowers: Spring; Sun; Well-drained
Hakea pycnoneura	Shrub; WA; 2m h x 2m w; Rounded form with greyish narrow leaves and cream, ageing to purple-pink fragrant flowers in the leaf axils. Tip prune for a screen/hedge. Frost tolerant; Flowers: Winter; Sun; Well-drained
Hibbertia scandens	Climber; Snake Vine; N Australia; Large open yellow flowers, most of the year and attractive evergreen glossy foliage. Good soil binder. Can be used as groundcover. Tolerates moderate frost. Salt tolerant; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Hibiscus insularis	Shrub; Norfolk Is region; 3m h x 2m w; Lemon-yellow, maroon centred flowers fading to lilac. Coarsely toothed leaves. One of the rarest of plants; Flowers: Autumn/Winter; Sun; Moist/Well-drained; Frost Tender
Homoranthus flavescens	Shrub; E Australia; 0.2 - 0.4m h x 0.6 - 1.5m w; Prostrate growing, beautiful grey-green flat-topped foliage plant. Aromatic foliage and pale-yellow flowers. Bird attracting and frost hardy; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Kunzea baxteri	Shrub; Crimson Kunzea; WA; 3m h x 3m w; One of the showiest kunzeas; bright red flowers in bottlebrush-type inflorescences; popular with parrots. Ideal feature plant; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Moist/Well-drained
Kunzea parvifolia	Shrub; Violet Kunzea; NSW Vic; 0.5 - 1.5m h; Evergreen, usually upright shrub with slender, wiry reddish branches and small leaves. The profuse, attractive flowers are pink to purple (rarely white). Tip prune to shape. Frost tolerant; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Moist/Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Kunzea pomifera	Shrub; Muntries; Vic SA; 0.3m h x 2.5m w; Prostrate spreading shrub, with low branches often self-layering. Pale to deep green, flat, hairy leaves. Small, terminal, sweetly scented white flowers followed by edible berries. Grows in sand. Very adaptable to many conditions. Good for embankments; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade
Lasiopetalum macrophyllum (prostrate)	Shrub; Shrubby Velvet Bush; SE Australia; 0.2 - 0.3m h x 2m w; Attractive, greyish-green velvety foliage with reddish brown hairs on the new growth. Small brown and cream flowers. Frost hardy; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained

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Leptospermum grandiflorum	Shrub; Tas; 1.5 - 5m h x 1 - 4m w; Handsome small to tall shrub; young growth silky, erect stems with rough bark. Greyish-green leaves, with incurved margins. Solitary, terminal, white to pale pink flowers on short stems about 2cm across; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained;
Leptospermum rotundifolium 'Julie Ann'	Shrub; Coastal NSW; 0.3m h x 1m w; Almost prostrate shrub. Good as a groundcover on sloping banks, or to cover areas between trees. Small rounded leaves with small mauve flowers borne terminally on short laterals; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Leptospermum wooroonooran	Shrub; NE Qld; 1 - 6m h; Compact, slow growing shrub or small tree. New growth has attractive bronze-red tips and masses of white flowers. Good for screen or windbreak. Can be pruned to shape. Tolerates light frosts; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Lomatia fraseri	Shrub; Silky Lomatia; NSW Vic; 1 - 5m h x 1.5 - 3m w; Cream fragrant flowers. Prefers some shade but tolerates coastal conditions, where it only reaches 1m. Frost hardy and drought tolerant once established; Flowers: Summer; Well-drained
Melaleuca lateritia	Shrub; Robin Red Breast; WA; 1.5m h x 1m w; Erect shrub with bright, orange-red bottlebrush like flower spikes to 5cm. Bird attracting; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Frost Tender
Muehlenbeckia gunnii	Climber; SA, Vic, Tas; 3m h; Robust, twining plant with greenish-cream flowers in small clusters. Useful groundcover. Prune as required; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
Myoporum parvifolium 'Purpurea'	Shrub; 0.3m h x 3m w; Low ground cover forms a dense mat of fine-leaved foliage, tinged purple. Small white starry flowers are produced in Spring/Summer. Ideal for rockeries, sunny banks, and low maintenance gardens; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Olearia argophylla	Tree; Musk Daisy Bush; NSW Vic Tas; 10m h x 2 - 6m w; Medium to tall shrub or small tree with silvery young growth, then dark green and shiny above and silver below. Solitary or multiple trunks. Daisy-like, large crowded cream to pale yellow heads on terminal branches; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-
Olearia asterotricha	Shrub; Rough Daisy Bush; Vic; 1 - 2m h x 1.5 - 2m w; Spreading small shrub with arching branches and deep grey-green foliage. 2-4cm mauve-blue daisy-like flowers are single or in groups; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
Olearia astroloba	Shrub; Southern Australia; 0.4 - 1m h x 1m w; Profuse clusters of blue flowers. A very rare species. Prefers sun or semi-shade, good drainage and is tolerant of very heavy frosts; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well- drained; Drought Tolerant
Olearia homolepis (mauve flowers)	Shrub; WA; 0.2 - 1m h x 1m w; Small shrub with bright green sessile leaves and profuse, mauve, daisy-like flowers. Prune lightly to keep compact; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Olearia lanuginosa	Shrub; Woolly Daisy Bush; Kalgoorlie WA; 0.3 - 1.5m h; Erect rigid shrub with white flowers close to the stems; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant

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Olearia microphylla	Shrub; Daisy Bush; CE Australia; 1m h x 0.6m w; Hardy woody shrub, needing regular pruning. Small white daisy flowers, best in an open sunny position; Flowers: Spring; Sun; Well-drained
Olearia panosa ssp cardiophylla	Shrub; Velvet Daisy Bush; Vic; 1m h; A sprawling rhizomatous shrub, with ovate, long leaves, and white daisy flowers, with yellow disc florets, 35-75mm. Slow growing and found in open, dry forests. Considered rare and threatened; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Orthrosanthus multiflorus	Perennial; SW Australia; Iris-like plant with flat leaves to 40cm long. Spikes of small, light blue flowers, with dark mid-veins, on stems a little longer than the leaves; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Well-drained
Pararchidendron pruinosum	Tree; NSW to NE Qld; 15m h; Rainforest tree. Excellent feature tree. Fragrant flowers as fluffy balls, cream, turning yellow with age. Attractive orange coiled seed pods; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Frost Tender
Phebalium squamulosum subsp. ozothamnoides	Shrub; NSW, ACT, Vic; 1m h; Evergreen, dense to open variable plant with small oval leaves and yellow flowers with long stamens. Frost hardy; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Philotheca myoporoides	Shrub; E Aus; 1.5m h x 1m w; (syn. Eriostemon myoporoides) A hardy, evergreen shrub with slender blue-green scented foliage. Pink flower buds open to white star flowers, which are freely borne along stems. A good cut flower. Ideal for pots or planting under trees; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Adaptable; Drought Tolerant
Pomaderris adnata	Shrub; E Australia; 1 - 2m h x 1 - 2m w; Profuse small cream flowers. This is for the collector and needs cultivation for its survival. First described in 1997; listed as Endangered NSW Species; Flowers: Spring; Semi Shade; Well-
Prostanthera walteri	Shrub; Blotchy Mint Bush; NSW VIC; 1m h x 1m w; Rounded shrub bearing greenish tubular flowers with purple streaks. Prune after flowering. Mainly of interest to the collector; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Well-drained; Acidic
Scaevola aemula (blue)	Perennial; Evergreen. Pretty, blue fan-shaped flowers. Good ground cover; Flowers: Spring to Autumn; Sun; Well-drained
Scaevola aemula (white)	Perennial; 0.2m h; Excellent ground cover or container plant with masses of white fan-shaped flowers; Flowers: Spring to Autumn; Sun; Well-drained
Stenocarpus sinuatus	Tree; Australian Firewheel Tree; N Aus; 30m h; Spectacular specimen tree bearing orange-red flowers in whorls 7cm diameter. Slow growing for first 2-3 years until established. Suitable for pots; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Well-
Thelychiton 'Bardo Rose'	Orchid; (One of the earliest registered hybrids T. falcorostrum x T. kingianum) Flowers, on stems from leaf axils, are pale pink to mauve in colour and up to 30mm across. Usually perfumed and easy to grow in containers or on tree trunk; Flowers: Spring; Semi Shade; Well-drained
Thelychiton kingianum	Orchid; Pink Rock Orchid; E Australia; (formerly Dendrobium kingianum) Named after Captain Phillip Parker King (1793-1856), who led early exploratory voyages around Australia. Stems of up to 5 flowers usually in shades of pink from palest to deep rose, attaches to trees and rocks; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained

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Thelychiton speciosus	Orchid; Rock Orchid; E Australia; (formerly Dendrobium speciosum). Epiphytic or lithophytic. Oblong leathery leaves to 25cm long; many 8cm lightly fragrant white-cream to yellow flowers on stems; lip marked red or purple; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Thomasia petalocalyx	Shrub; Southern Australia; 0.6m h x 0.6m w; Small rounded woody shrub with oblong leaves and small pinkish flowers in small sprigs. Quite hardy; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Well-drained
Thryptomene saxicola 'F C Payne'	Shrub; WA; 1.25m h x 1.25m w; Open evergreen, tiny-leaved, small shrub, with a slightly weeping habit. Masses of small pale pink flowers over a long period. Aromatic, attracts butterflies and is a good cut flower; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Tristaniopsis laurina	Tree; Water Gum; Vic NSW Qld; 5 - 15m h; Smooth, pale bark, exfoliating in strips. Cream to yellow flowers; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Moist/Well-drained
Veronica arenaria	Shrub; SE Qld, N NSW; 0.5m h x 1m w; (syn. Derwentia arenaria) Small, multi-stemmed plant with light green leaves and star-shaped, violet-blue flowers produced in terminal racemes. Suitable for containers; Flowers: Spring to Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Westringia dampieri	Shrub; WA; 1m h; Hardy compact shrub with attractive silvery foliage and white to mauve flowers. Excellent for hedging. Low water requirements; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Zieria prostrata	Shrub; Carpet Star; E Australia; 0.2m h x 0.5m w; Evergreen prostrate, mat- forming shrub, with glabrous small leaves. Flowers are pink in bud, opening to white. Endangered species; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well- drained

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Abelia parvifolia	Shrub; C China; 2m h x 2m w; (syn. A. schumannii) Semi-evergreen shrub with arching stems bearing small ovate leaves, and funnel-shaped lilac-pink flowers with red calyces. Long flowering and good for hedging; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Abelia x grandiflora	Shrub; China; 2m h x 1.5m w; Evergreen, multi-stemmed shrub with arching branches that can be pruned to shape/hedge. Attractive, ovate, glossy, green leaves and clusters of small, bell-shaped, white (tinged lilac) flowers, enhanced with bronze-coloured calyces. Long flowering; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Abelia x grandiflora 'Francis Mason'	Shrub; 1.8m h x 1.5m w; Arching branches with clusters of bell-shaped, fragrant, soft white/mauve flowers. New foliage is golden ageing to green with yellow margins. Prune to shape or form a dense hedge; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Abelia x grandiflora 'Nana'	Shrub; 1m h; Compact, low growing shrub with arching branches and bronzed/red new leaves that age to glossy green. Clusters of flowers are pale lilac-white with rusty red calyces. Can be grown as a small hedge; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Abelia x grandiflora 'Sunrise'	Shrub; 1.2m h; Compact, mound-forming plant with arching branches of ovate, glossy green leaves edged in yellow turning to a bronze hue in autumn. The clusters of tubular flowers are white, fragrant and have attractive long lasting pink sepals; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun/Semi-
Abeliophyllum distichum	Shrub; White Forsythia; Korea; 1.5m h x 2m w; Deciduous. Multi-stemmed with arching sprays of small, white, star-shaped, perfumed flowers before leaf break. Prune after flowering; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-
Abutilon 'Boule de Neige'	Shrub; 2.5m h x 1.5m w; Evergreen. Pendent, bell-shaped pure white flowers with orange stamens. Dark green, maple-like leaves; black stems. Vigorous and fast growing. Prune early Spring; Flowers: Spring/Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
Abutilon 'Halo'	Shrub; 1.5m h; Hardy evergreen compact shrub. Mid-green, palmate leaves with pendulous bell-shaped, red veined yellow to light orange flowers. Flowers most of the year; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
Abutilon 'Red Emperor'	Shrub; Chinese Lantern; 1.5m h; Evergreen shrub with deep red, showy, pendulous flowers. Long flowering. Prune early spring; Flowers: Spring to Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
Abutilon 'Sydney Belle'	Shrub; 1.5m h x 1m w; Plentiful lemon-coloured, bell-shaped flowers appear over the warmer months complementing mid-green, maple-like foliage; Flowers: Spring/Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
Abutilon cv (pink)	Shrub; Chinese lantern; 2m h; Pale pink bell-shaped flowers and maple-like leaves; Flowers: Spring to Autumn; Sun; Well-drained
Abutilon megapotamicum	Shrub; Brazil; 1.5m h x 1m w; Evergreen. Weeping form. Pendent, bell- shaped, yellow and red flowers from spring to autumn. Heart-shaped leaves. Perfect for hanging baskets or training on walls; Sun/Semi-shade;
Abutilon x milleri	Shrub; 2.5m h x 2.5m w; Evergreen. Mid green maple-like leaves. Pendent, bell-shaped flowers with dusky red calyces surrounding petals of dark apricot, flushed dark red inside; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade;

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Acca sellowiana	Tree; Feijoa; S America; 1 - 7m h x 1 - 4m w; Evergreen bushy small tree. It has greyish leaves and pink flowers, with green egg-shaped fruit in the Autumn. It can be espaliered and pruned back; Flowers: Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Achillea sibirica 'Love Parade'	Perennial; 0.45 - 0.6m h x 0.45 - 0.6m w; Clusters of soft pink flowers are held over a bushy clump of dark green saw-toothed foliage. Good cut flower; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Dry; Drought Tolerant
Aechmea 'Burgundy'	Bromeliad; 0.8m h; A large graceful rosette with dark, waxy, burgundy coloured leaves, glow with colour when grown in good light. The inflorescence is a very attractive purple and white, followed by colourful fruit that turns to a shade of rosy-pink; Flowers: Spring; Semi Shade; Well-drained
Aechmea 'Fosters Favourite'	Bromeliad; 0.4m h; Slender reddish leaves and long-lasting dark burgundy flowers held in red fronds like a string of beads; Flowers: Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Aechmea distichantha hybrids	Bromeliad; Evergreen. Distinctive pink/mauve to deep mauve flowers; ideal for winter colour in garden or pots. Water into the leaf-formed vases; Flowers: Winter; Semi Shade; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant; Frost Tender
Aechmea fasciata	Bromeliad; Silver Vase Plant; Brazil; 0.3 - 0.9m h; Rosette forming funnel of broad, grey-green leaves, with silver scales. Flower is a pyramidal inflorescence of rose-pink bracts, with blue, purple or red petals; Shade; Dry;
Aechmea gamosepala	Bromeliad; C&S America; 0.7m h; Evergreen. Upright rosettes of arching glossy green leaves. Distinctive bottlebrush-shaped spikes of pink and blue. Prefers semi-shade to full shade; Flowers: Autumn/Winter; Well-drained;
Aechmea gamosepala (variegated)	Bromeliad; C&S America; 0.7m h; Evergreen. Upright rosettes of arching variegated green leaves with yellow linear stripes. Distinctive bottlebrush-shaped spikes of pink and blue. Prefers semi-shade to full shade; Flowers: Autumn/Winter; Dry; Frost Tender
Aechmea nudicaulis	Bromeliad; C America; 0.4m h; Strappy leaves and a bright red and yellow open, hanging flower spike. Can grow in trees, on rocks or the ground; Flowers: Summer; Semi Shade; Dry
Aechmea pineliana	Bromeliad; C&S America; 0.4m h x 0.4m w; Prominent dark red marginal spines on grey-green leaves. Bright red stem and bracts; yellow pine cone shaped head. Keep vase centre full of water; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Semi Shade; Dry; Frost Tender
Aechmea racinae	Bromeliad; Brazil; 0.3m h; Epiphyte. Small rosette; soft glossy green leaves. Cluster of striking red berry-like blooms; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Semi Shade; Dry
Aechmea victoriana var. discolor	Bromeliad; Brazil; Gracious slender green leaves flushed red beneath, in rosettes forming a funnel. Orange flowers with blue tips; Semi Shade; Dry
Aechmea weilbachii	Bromeliad; C&S America; 0.7m h x 0.7m w; Soft, very glossy, light green leaves, lilac purple flowers above brilliant red bracts on a long stem. Reasonably hardy; Flowers: Autumn/Winter; Semi Shade; Dry
Aeonium 'Starburst'	Succulent; 0.45 - 0.6m h; Grown for its variegated shiny, glossy-textured mottled foliage; Flowers: Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Drought

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Aeonium 'Velour'	Succulent; 0.5m h; Loose rosettes of velvety green leaves, to 25cm in diameter, turning deep maroon-black in cool weather. Yellow star-shaped flowers grow in conical clusters; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun/Semi-shade;
Aeonium 'Zwartkop'	Succulent; Canary Is; 0.6m h x 1m w; Evergreen. Branches carry terminal rosettes of fleshy, spathulate blackish purple leaves. Small yellow flowers in large conical panicles; Flowers: Autumn/Winter; Sun; Dry; Frost Tender
Agastache 'Sangria'	Perennial; 0.5 - 1m h; Compact bushy mound of fragrant foliage with tall stems of rose-pink tubular flowers. Long flowering. Bee attracting; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun; Well-drained
Agave attenuata	Succulent; Mexico; 1.2m h x 1m w; 2m spike of cream flowers. Blooms once, after many years. Handsome sculptural plant. Large rosettes of broad smooth pliant leaves with no terminal spine; Sun; Well-drained; Frost
Agave filifera	Succulent; Thread Agave; Mexico; 0.5m h x 0.5m w; Perennial succulent. Narrow green leaves, spined at the tip. White leaf margins gradually break away, leaving long white fibres. Yellow-green flowers on a 2.5m tall stem; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Well-drained
Agave franzosinii 'Grey Ghost'	Succulent; 2.5m h x 3m w; (syn. A. beauleriana) Large succulent, bluish- grey, undulating and bending leaves in a single rosette. Leaves have large teeth on the margins. Very infrequent yellow flowers. Dies after flowering, but easily propagated from rhizomes; Sun; Well-drained
Agave gypsophila	Succulent; Mexico; 1m h x 1m w; A good feature plant with grey wavy leaves edged with sharp spines. Spectacular tufts of golden tubular flowers held at the ends of alternate branches along a 2m flower spike. Suits garden or pots; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Frost Tender
Agave nickelsiae	Succulent; Mexico; Slow-growing succulent with stiff, dark green leaves strikingly marked in white, with black spikes at tips. After 15-20 yrs the flower panicle atop very tall stems, has green/white blooms of 3 petals tinged purple, and purple stripes down the centre.; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Agave parryi	Succulent; Arizona, Mexico; 0.3 - 0.6m h; Grey-blue leaves in dense compact basal rosette. Erect panicles of creamy yellow flowers, pink tinged in bud, are held on a spike 5m high; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Dry; Drought
Agave schottii	Succulent; Schott's Century; Mexico; 0.45m h x 0.6m w; Grows on rocky slopes in individual green to yellow-green rosettes, with very spiny leaves, and slender curling hairs. Tall flower spike with pleasantly scented, yellow-green flowers; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Dry; Drought Tolerant
Agave titanota	Succulent; Mexico; A medium sized agave that is very robust looking and forms a mostly solitary rosette with wide open crown of a few leaves up to 75cm in diameter. Leaf margins are lined with teeth. Flowers on a tall stalk once in its lifetime; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Agave victoriae-reginae	Succulent; NE Mexico; 0.2m h; Small compact rosettes of short, rigid, thick dark green leaves, with a pattern of white markings. Slow growing for 20-30 years. After many years has a flower spike over 2m high, usually of purple-red colours; Flowers: Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained

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Ajania pacifica	Shrub; C&E Asia; 0.45m h x 0.45m w; (syn. Chrysanthemum pacificum). Mound forming excellent ground cover. Very attractive lobed, grey-green leaves, silver-edged. Clusters of yellow button flowers. Prune hard late winter; Flowers: Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade
Aloe 'Boris'	Succulent; 0.08m h x 0.08m w; Small growing plant with bright green spotted lanceolate leaves, edged with soft teeth. Orange-red bulbous bell flowers grow at the tips of delicate curved stems. Plant forms offsets from the base and flushes bronze in extreme hot or cold; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-
Aloe 'Bumble Bee'	Succulent; 0.2m h; Tall elegant red spires appear above a ball-shaped plant comprised of short pointed dark green leaves with white warty soft spines; Flowers: Winter; Sun; Well-drained
Aloe 'Christmas Carol'	Succulent; 0.3m h x 0.3m w; A small slow-growing plant that forms rosettes of dark green leaves with bright red rim and yellow to deep crimson bumps across the surfaces. It turns redder in full sun. Flowers are reddish-pink to orange; Flowers: Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Aloe 'Faine'	Succulent; Rosette form, leaves pale green, straight-sided tapering to a point, thin curved teeth along leaf margins, upper and lower leaf surfaces speckled with whitish green dots. Overall appearance similar to A. perfoliata or A. distans; Sun; Dry
Aloe 'Sparkler'	Succulent; 0.4m h; Attractive, candle-like flower spikes with greenish flower buds turning white as they open to reveal bright yellow filaments with bright orange anthers. Suitable for containers; Flowers: Autumn/Winter; Sun; Well-
Aloe 'Tyson'	Succulent; Pale green leaves with smooth toothless margins; Flowers: Summer; Shade; Well-drained
Aloe aristata	Succulent; Torch Plant; S Africa; 0.15m h; Red flowers to 50cm. Plants are stemless rosettes with up to 100 dark green leaves with many fine, soft, close spaced white hairs. Leaf surfaces warty. Leaf tips terminate in a fine white single filament; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Well-drained
Aloe brevifolia	Succulent; S Africa; Small pale green rosettes to 8cm dia. Leaves have long white, soft marginal teeth; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Well-drained
Aloe ciliaris	Succulent; Climbing Aloe; S Africa; 5m h; (syn. Aloiampelos ciliaris) Orange flower. Distinctive cane-type stems with long, narrow, thin recurved leaves; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Well-drained
Aloe ciliaris (red flower form)	Succulent; 5m h; (syn. Aloiampelos ciliaris) Red flower. Distinctive cane-type stems. Long narrow thin recurved leaves; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Moist/Well-drained
Aloe ferox	Succulent; Bitter Aloe; S Africa; 3m h; Leaves are dull blue green with red spines. Flowers are yellow\orange to red on candelabra shaped stalks. Bird attracting; Flowers: Autumn/Winter; Semi Shade; Dry; Adaptable
Aloe jucunda 'Bullock'	Succulent; Clustering stemless rosettes. Foliage is shiny and dark green with white spots. The flowers are pink; Sun; Well-drained

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Aloe juvenna	Succulent; Tiger Tooth Aloe; Kenya; 0.4m h x 0.6m w; Bright green leaves spotted cream on upper and lower surfaces. Slender soft cream teeth along leaf margins. Bright coral pink flowers becoming yellow. Grows in tall columnar form; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained;
Aloe juvenna x cocina	Succulent; Small clumping form of Aloe juvenna. Bright green leaves spotted cream on upper and lower surfaces, and soft cream teeth on leaf margins. Bright coral-pink flowers in Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-
Aloe schelpei	Succulent; Ethiopia; 0.3 - 0.5m h; Clumping with decumbent stems, blue- green leaves which have reddish and purplish hues in full sun and reddish teeth along the leaf margins. Flowers in capitate racemes on short pedicles and a deep red-orange with gold-tips. An attractive species; Flowers: Autumn/Winter; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Aloe spinosissima	Succulent; S Africa; 1.5m h x 1m w; (Hybrid of A. Humilus x A. Arborescens) Large shrub. Leaves 60cm long with soft spiny margins. Flower spike 80cm tall, orange-scarlet pokers. Bird attracting. New growth sprouts at base of plant; Flowers: Winter; Sun; Well-drained
Aloe vera 'Quicksilver'	Succulent; 0.3m h; Triangular cone-shaped fleshy leaves, 5-10cm in length, with silver/white spots. Leaves grow in rosette shape, orange flower on stem. Simple to grow and good indoors; Flowers: Summer; Shade; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Alophia pulchella	Bulb; S America; 0.2m h; Deciduous. Lavender-blue flowers with a darker centre and a white central stripe; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Well-
Anthurium scandens	Climber; Pearl laceleaf; C&S America; 0.5m h; Evergreen, epiphytic climber with small green flowers that will develop into clusters of grape-like, lavender berries. Suitable for pots and terrariums; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-
Arctostaphylos glandulosa	Shrub; W USA, NW Mexico; 1 - 2.5m h; An evergreen erect or mound- forming plant with smooth, reddish stems and dull green, velvety leaves. Flowers are white to light pink and occur in spreading clusters. Berries are reddish brown; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Armeria maritima 'Alba'	Perennial; 0.2m h x 0.2m w; Cushion-forming, tufted habit with dark green leaves and small white flowers. Open position; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Armeria maritima 'Red Cushion'	Perennial; Red Leaved Sea Thrift; Europe & N Africa; 0.2m h x 0.2m w; Good ground cover for drier gardens. Dark reddish needle like leaves in a neat mound. Tiny rosy-pink flowers form terminal button clusters at the ends of erect stems; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Artemisia alba 'Turra'	Perennial; S Europe; 0.5m h; Bushy grey leaved plant which grows well on rocky surfaces; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Well-drained
Artemisia ludoviciana 'Valerie Finnis'	Perennial; 0.3m h; Herbaceous. Upright stems of broad jagged silver leaves, forming clumps. Elongated stems of pale-yellow flowers. Spreading habit; Flowers: Spring; Sun; Well-drained
Artemisia schmidtiana 'Nana'	Perennial; 0.2m h; Grown for its silvery, feathery foliage and compact form. Insignificant yellow flowers. Tolerates sandy, poor soil. To maintain best form, cut back at the end of the growing season or before growth restarts in spring; Sun; Well-drained

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Aspidistra elatior 'Variegata'	Perennial; Cast Iron Plant; Himalayas to Japan; Excellent indoor foliage plant. Withstands very poor conditions. Glossy dark green lanceolate leaves with cream variegations, growing from the base to form a clump; Shade; Dry; Drought Tolerant
Aspidistra lurida	Perennial; Himalayas, China Japan; Stiff lance shaped leaves 15-20cm long, with 2 or 3 leaves per node. Dark green leaves develop yellow markings when mature. Solitary bell-shaped deep purple-red flower along the rhizomes in early summer; Shade; Dry
Aster amellus 'Violet Queen'	Perennial; 0.2 - 0.5m h; Masses of violet daisy-like flowers, each with a golden centre; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun; Well-drained
Aster x frikartii 'Monch'	Perennial; 0.75m h x 0.8m w; Clumping perennial. 5-6 blue-mauve daisy flowers with yellow centres, opening along the stem from top to bottom. Drought tolerant when established; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun;
Aucuba japonica 'Longifolia'	Shrub; 1.5m h; Evergreen. Compact habit with narrow, slightly serrated, glossy green leaves and insignificant purple female flowers, succeeded by bright red oval berries. Useful for dry shade; Flowers: Summer; Semi Shade; Drought Tolerant
Aucuba japonica 'Rozannie'	Shrub; 0.5 - 1m h; Evergreen. Lance-shaped glossy green leaves with brilliant red berries. A compact variety suitable for very deep shade and for pots. Drought tolerant once established; Semi Shade; Well-drained
Aucuba japonica 'Variegata'	Shrub; Gold Dust Plant; 2m h; Evergreen. Gold-speckled, dark green leaves. Adaptable to all but water-logged soils. Mostly grown as a foliage plant, good container plant. Trim in early spring; Semi Shade
Bambusa multiplex 'Riviereorum'	Shrub; Chinese Goddess; 2.5m h; A clumping dwarf variety with small fern- like leaves on slender culms. More shade tolerant than most bamboos. Does well as a potted plant, suitable to bonsai and can be hedged; Sun; Well-
Bauhinia purpurea 'Alba'	Tree; White Orchid Tree; India; 6 - 9m h; Small tree with a spreading habit, bearing profuse, trumpet shaped fragrant white flowers; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
Begonia 'Angel Glow'	Begonias; 0.3 - 0.45m h x 0.6m w; Evergreen, rhizomatous shrub grown for its deep copper-red, spiralled and ruffled leaves. Fragrant mid-pink flowers. Suitable for indoors and in containers; Flowers: Spring; Semi Shade;
Begonia 'Black Velvet'	Begonias; 0.45m h; Compact plant with black, velvety leaves and pink flowers; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Begonia 'Blazing Sun'	Begonias; Rhizomatous foliage plant with bright red medium size leaves with black edges; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Begonia 'Cartia Lane'	Begonias; Attractive burgundy/silver-tinged ovate leaves on multiple, hairy, red stems; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained; Frost Tender
Begonia 'Cleopatra'	Begonias; 0.3m h x 0.3m w; Attractive evergreen growth, good indoor or balcony plant, grown for its foliage; Flowers: Spring; Shade; Moist/Well-drained; Adaptable; Frost Tender
Begonia 'Eureka Bonanza'	Begonias; Compact plant with medium sized, large-toothed blackish-green and silver leaves; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained

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Begonia 'Ever Flowering (coral)'	Begonias; 2m h; Tall cane stemmed hybrid with year long flowering in coral; Semi Shade; Moist
Begonia 'Isabella'	Begonias; Pendular begonia, good in hanging baskets. Lemony-pink petalled flowers, with a deep pink edging and mid-green leaves; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Begonia 'Kermo Queen'	Begonias; A caned plant with showy clusters of pendulous pink flowers, large dark green leaves with metallic pink and burgundy beneath the leaf; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained; Frost Tender
Begonia 'Little Brother	Begonias; 0.45 - 0.6m h; Small evergreen shrub grown for its silver-grey and green patterned foliage. Suitable for containers and indoors. Blooms repeatedly; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Begonia 'Nellie Bly'	Begonias; Cane variety with pink flowers all year long. This tall shrub has hairy green leaves; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Begonia 'Orange Rubra'	Begonias; Angel Wing Begonia; 0.5m h; Cane-stemmed begonia with silver- spotted emerald green leaves, and clusters of vivid orange flowers throughout the year; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Begonia 'Osota'	Begonias; A caned plant with large bronze-green leaves and deep pink flowers throughout the year; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Begonia 'Pink Jade'	Begonias; Large bronze-green leaves and many deep-pink flowers in Spring/Summer; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Begonia 'Plum Swirl'	Begonias; Rhizomatous. Leaves multi-lobed with burgundy swirls and lime green veins; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Semi Shade; Well-drained
Begonia 'Tiara'	Begonias; 1m h; Cane-like plant with deeply segmented olive-green leaves and silver markings. Burgundy new growth and on backs of leaves; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Begonia acutifolia	Begonias; Jamaica; Holly leaf begonia. Stemming upright and zig-zag between nodes. Flowers are white flushed with pink. Good in baskets and containers; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist; Frost Tender
Begonia angularis	Begonias; Brazil; 0.5 - 1m h; (syn. B. Stipulacea) Tall growing and cane-like with silver-green leaves and reddish stems. White flowers throughout the year; Semi Shade; Well-drained
Begonia cubensis	Begonias; Holly-leaf begonia; Cuba; 1m h; Bushy growth with many 50cm or longer stems, small, crinkled, toothed, glossy green leaves. Flowers pinkish- white in Winter; Sun; Moist/Well-drained; Frost Tender
Begonia lobata	Begonias; Mexico; Bushy, trailing habit with lobed shiny bright green leaves and white flowers. Vigorous grower; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained; Frost Tender
Begonia luxurians	Begonias; Palm Leaf Begonia; Brazil; 1.5m h; Roots are fibrous. Upright plant with attractive reddish leaves and stems. Creamy white flowers. Protected position. Drought tender; Semi Shade; Frost Tender

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Begonia mazae nigricans	Begonias; Rhizomatous stems trail with medium roundish dark green leaves, overlaid with a blackish pattern. Pink flowers in Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi- shade; Moist/Well-drained; Frost Tender
Begonia x semperflorens-cultorum 'Gypsy'	Begonias; Bedding Begonia; Hybrid, fibrous roots, numerous fleshy erect stems and green to bronze leaves. Flowers in small clusters in Summer; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Bergenia 'Eric Smith'	Perennial; 0.3m h; Evergreen clump-forming plant. Large, crinkled, flushed bronze leaves with reddish-brown stems bearing clusters of bright pink bell- shaped flowers. Good understory groundcover plant; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Bergenia 'Pink Dragonfly'	Perennial; 0.3m h x 0.4m w; Dwarf variety. Narrow glossy evergreen leaves turn rich plum colour in cold weather. Bright coral pink flowers. Does well in pots; Sun/Semi-shade
Bergenia pacumbis	Perennial; China; 0.17m h; Robust clumping evergreen forming dense mounds of large wavy edged glossy green rounded leaves. 40cm tall stems of soft pink flowers. Good under deciduous trees; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Bifrenaria harrisoniae	Orchid; Brazil; 0.3m h; Lovely fragrant white blooms with a hairy purple lip. Singular oblong upright leaves. Likes high humidity. Keep dry during Winter; Flowers: Spring; Semi Shade; Well-drained
Brillantaisia subulugurica	Shrub; Giant Sage; S Africa; 1 - 2m h; Large dark green foliage with purple- blue flowers in terminal clusters. Long flowering. Attracts butterflies. Can be pruned hard; Flowers: Spring to Autumn; Semi Shade; Well-drained
Burchellia bubalina	Shrub; Wild Pomegranate; S Africa; 2 - 5m h x 1 - 3m w; (syn. B. capensis). Evergreen. Deep scarlet to orange flowers, red-brown berries. Glossy leaves; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Frost Tender
Bystropogon canariensis	Shrub; Canary Island Smoke Bush; 1.8m h x 1.5m w; Evergreen. Aromatic, small grey/green foliage. Long flowering foams of grey-tinted, hairy flowers. Tough; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Calamagrostis x acutiflora 'Karl Foerster'	Perennial; Feather Reed Grass; N Hemisphere; 1.5m h x 1m w; Ornamental grass. Upright clumps of dark green leaves changing to gold in autumn. Rust red flower; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Calycanthus floridus var. glaucus	Shrub; Eastern Sweetshrub; SE N America; Deciduous, woodland shrub with largish mid-green leaves and dark red-brown flowers with a strawberry scent; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Semi Shade; Moist
Calycanthus occidentalis	Shrub; Spice Bush; California; 3m h x 3m w; Deciduous. Fragrant, many petalled ruby red flowers resembling small waratahs, strawberry scented. Aromatic leaves. Fertile, deep soil; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
Camellia 'Lammertsii'	Camellia; (C cuspidata x C japonica) (USA-1957) Vigorous, medium sized, bushy growth habit. Prolific, single, small, whitish pink flowers; Semi Shade

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Camellia crapnelliana	Camellia; China, Hong Kong; 5 - 7m h; Species (syn. C. gigantocarpa) Small tree with smooth, brick-red bark and dark green leathery leaves. Large white solitary, 6-9 petalled flowers with stamens in central yellow cluster at ends of branches; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained;
Camellia edithae var. plena 'Heimudan'	Camellia; Medium, rose-red, formal double to an occasional rose form. Very bushy upright growth. Late bloomer; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Camellia hiemalis 'Showa-No- Sakae'	Camellia; 1.5m h x 1m w; (USA-1937) A vigorous low-spreading shrub with pink semi-double flowers, ruffled with bright gold stamens, and dark green foliage; Flowers: Winter; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
Camellia japonica 'Black Domino'	Camellia; 2 - 3m h x 1 - 2m w; (USA-1962) Upright, evergreen bush with prolific miniature single petal blooms in black/red with dark red stamens; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Camellia japonica 'Black Magic'	Camellia; 3m h; (USA-1991) Bushy, upright, fast growing shrub, with semi- double, wavy, black-red blooms; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Camellia japonica 'Catherine Stimson'	Camellia; 3m h x 2m w; (AUS-1964) Upright plant with semi-double blood- red blooms with purple rippled edges and evergreen glossy foliage; Flowers: Winter; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Camellia japonica 'Fimbriata'	Camellia; Old Chinese cultivar. Delicately fringed white camellia. Medium sized formal double blooms. Decorative tub plant; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Camellia japonica 'Guilio Nuccio'	Camellia; (USA-1955) Vigorous, upright to rounded shrub. Large semi- double, rich coral/rose blooms with prominent golden stamens; Flowers: Winter; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Camellia japonica 'Kitty'	Camellia; 2m h; (USA-1955) A delightful camellia with small, formal double white blooms with a pink border. Suitable for a pot; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Camellia japonica 'Madame Picouline'	Camellia; (Belgium-1855) Deep cherry-red flowers. Medium informal double; Moist/Well-drained
Camellia japonica 'Mikenjaku'	Camellia; (syn. C. j. 'Nagasaki') (Japan-1859) Large semi-double cardinal red flowers, marbled white. Spreading bushy growth. Named after a mythical brave Japanese soldier; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Camellia japonica 'Nuccio's Gem'	Camellia; (USA-1970) Large, formal, white double flowers with a compact upright habit. Suitable for pots; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained; Acidic
Camellia japonica 'Pope John	Camellia; (USA-1967) Stunning medium to large white formal double flowers with heavily textured petals. Upright growth; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained; Acidic
Camellia mairei	Camellia; Western China; Species. Attractive small red flowers about 4cm wide with 7/8 petals. Can grow to a small tree with age; Flowers: Winter; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Camellia sasanqua 'Gwen Pike'	Camellia; (AUS-1968) Small, pale pink, semi-double blooms early in the season; Flowers: Winter; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained

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Camellia sasanqua 'Lucinda'	Camellia; (AUS-1957) Tall shrub or small tree. Dense small dark green leaves with bright candy-pink, semi-double to informal peony form flower. Good to espalier or in large tub; Flowers: Autumn/Winter; Semi Shade;
Camellia sasanqua 'Red Willow'	Camellia; 2 - 3m h x 2m w; (AUS-1964) Flowers of a rich shade, more pink than red, and semi-double, with dark narrow foliage and a willow like weeping habit; Flowers: Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained; Acidic
Camellia sasanqua	Camellia; (Japan-1898) Very large, semi-double, palest pink flowers. Upright growth, dense habit; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun/Semi-shade
Camellia sasanqua 'Yae- Wabisuke	Camellia; 3m h; (Japan-1965) Small, semi-double, rose-coloured flowers with channelled and slightly wavy petals; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained;
Camellia x williamsii 'Mary Phoebe Taylor'	Camellia; (NZ-1975) Flowers light rose pink, very large, peony form. Open, upright growth; Flowers: Autumn/Winter; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained;
Camellia x williamsii 'Pink Cascade'	Camellia; (NZ-1965) Average height shrub with larger double pink flowers and bright green broad leaves; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained; Acidic
Canna 'Bengal Tiger'	Perennial; India; 1 - 2m h; Large iris-like blooms in brilliant-orange with light green striped strappy leaves. Fast growing with a long flowering time; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Moist
Cantua bicolor	Shrub; Flower of the Incas; Peru; 2m h x 2m w; Pendent yellow trumpet flowers with pink lobes. Grey/green foliage. Protected position. Drought tender; Flowers: Spring; Sun; Well-drained; Frost Tender
Ceanothus 'Blue Cushion'	Shrub; California; 1m h x 2.5m w; Hardy ground cover with masses of deep blue button-like flowers in Spring; Sun; Well-drained
Centaurea bella	Perennial; Caucasian Cornflower; Turkey; 0.3m h x 0.4m w; (syn. Psephellus bellus) Low growing rockery plant, forming mats of grey-green leaves and showy heads of shaggy lilac-pink cornflowers over many weeks; Flowers: Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Centradenia grandifolia (red form)	Perennial; C America; 0.6m h; Mauve open flowers, bronze leaves. Excellent for containers and hanging baskets; Flowers: Spring; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained; Frost Tender
Ceratostigma plumbaginoides	Shrub; China; 0.3m h; Brilliant blue 5 petal flowers, with oval mid-green leaves turning bronze-red in autumn. Good ground cover or for borders; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Ceratostigma willmottianum	Shrub; Chinese Plumbago; China; 1m h x 1m w; Semi-deciduous. Clusters of deep blue, phlox-like flowers. Red autumn foliage. Prune after leaf drop; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun; Well-drained
Choisya ternata	Shrub; Mexican Orange Blossom; Mexico; 2m h x 2m w; Compact round habit with dark, glossy green leaves. Fragrant flowers are small, white and star-shaped. Great as a hedge or specimen plant. May repeat flower; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Adaptable;

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Choisya x dewitteana 'Aztec Pearl'	Shrub; Mexican Orange Blossom; 2m h x 2m w; (Hybrid of C. ternata x arizonica) Highly scented, fast growing, hardy shrub with slender, glossy, green leaves and star-shaped white to pink tinged flowers with a central ring of yellow stamens; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Chrysanthemum 'Eureka'	Perennial; 1m h x 0.5m w; Vibrant green button-flowers on long straight stems. Excellent cut flower; Flowers: Autumn; Sun; Well-drained
Cissus rhombifolia	Climber; Grape Ivy; Venezuela; Glossy green vine easily grown indoors; Semi Shade; Well-drained; Frost Tender
Cistus creticus ssp. creticus	Shrub; 0.8m h; Rounded, evergreen plant with wavy-edged leaves with sticky hairs and purple-pink flowers with yellow centres; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Cistus x laxus	Shrub; 1.2m h x 1.5m w; Evergreen rockrose with a rounded habit, bright green leaves, and showy orange-centred, papery white, single flowers. Vigorous; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Cistus x skanbergii	Shrub; Rock Rose; 1m h x 1m w; Compact evergreen shrub with narrow slightly wavy, grey-green leaves. Profuse, single flowers of pale pink; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Clinanthus variegatus	Bulb; W Sth America; 0.5m h; (syn. Stenomesson variegatum) Pendulous yellow bells banded green, with protruding stamens. Strap-like leaves appear after flowers. Warm position. Prefers drier soil during winter to promote flowering; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Clivia miniata	Perennial; 0.4m h x 0.3 - 0.6m w; Evergreen. Strap-shaped semi-erect leaves. Stems each produce a head of orange or orange-red flowers. Drought tolerant when established; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Shade; Dry; Frost
Clivia miniata (yellow)	Perennial; Creamy-yellow flowers. Excellent strap-like foliage. Flowers in shade. Tolerates tree roots and dry conditions once established; Flowers: Winter; Shade; Dry; Drought Tolerant; Frost Tender
Coelogyne cristata	Orchid; E Himalayas; 0.3m h x 0.3m w; Epiphytic. Sprays of fragrant white flowers with yellow marked tongues. Protected shaded position. Drought tender. Good for hanging baskets; Flowers: Spring; Moist/Well-drained; Frost
Coelogyne flaccida	Orchid; E Himalayas; 0.25m h; Epiphytic. Racemes of fragrant beige, star- shaped flowers with yellow & crimson marked tongues. Protected position. Drought & frost tender; Flowers: Spring; Semi Shade; Well-drained
Cordyline terminalis 'Metallica'	Shrub; 3m h x 1.5m w; Rich bronze strap-like leaves on a solitary stem. Small flowers in terminal spikes; Flowers: Summer; Semi Shade
Cornus alba	Shrub; Red Barked Dogwood; E&N China; 3m h; Elegant, deciduous, suckering shrub that can be grown as a small tree. Erect shoots are red in autumn and winter. Dark green leaves turn red and orange in autumn. Cream flowers in narrow cymes mid Spring; Sun; Moist/Well-drained
Cotinus coggygria 'Grace'	Shrub; Smoke Bush; 6m h x 5m w; Award winning clone. Bushy, deciduous, vigorous small tree or large shrub. Large oval purple leaves turning brilliant red late autumn. Panicles of tiny pink flowers produce a smoke-like effect. Frost tolerant; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Well-drained

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Cotinus coggygria 'Young Lady'	Shrub; Smoke Bush; 1 - 2m h x 1 - 1.5m w; Deciduous, compact, dwarf cultivar, with large plumes of pink flowers. The green foliage turns beautiful shades of red and orange in autumn. Hardy, frost tolerant plant, good for small gardens or tubs; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Moist/Well-drained
Cotyledon orbiculata 'Silver Waves Variegata'	Succulent; 0.4m h; Unusual cotyledon with rounded folded leaves splashed dark green and creamy silver, with wavy edges. Slower growing than its unvariegated form, but stunning. Salmon coloured bell flowers Winter/Spring. Will grow offsets from its base and slowly spread; Sun/Semi-
Crassula arborescens ssp undulatifolia	Succulent; 0.6m h; Compact small shrub. Mid-green round leaves to 2cm diameter, outer half undulate on margin to tip; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Crassula arborescens ssp undulatifolia 'Variegata'	Succulent; Unusual plant with leaves a mixture of grey, red and cream; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Well-drained
Crassula falcata	Succulent; S Africa; 0.1m h x 0.2m w; Bushy, freely branching. Long grey fleshy sickle-shaped leaves and heads of scented, scarlet flowers in Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Crassula lactea	Succulent; S Africa; 0.1 - 0.3m h; Small trailing smooth leafed shrub with branches from the base. Name refers to milk white sweetly scented star- shaped flowers. Distinctive white dots along the leaf margins; Flowers: Winter; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Crassula orbicularis	Succulent; S Africa; Clumping, flat rosettes of fleshy green leaves with slightly tinged pink margins if in bright light. Sometimes produces runners. The tubular flowers are white to pale yellow, often tinged pink or reddish- brown; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Crassula ovata	Succulent; Jade Tree; S Africa; 1 - 2m h; Many branched, fleshy stemmed plant with elliptic, shiny red or pale green leaves. White, tinged pink flower with purple anthers; Flowers: Autumn; Sun; Well-drained
Crassula ovata 'Gollum'	Succulent; 0.5m h; Compact growth; unusual indentation on each leaf tip. Will survive on little water for extended periods. Protected position; Sun; Well-drained; Frost Tender
Crassula ovata 'Hummel's Sunset'	Succulent; Golden Jade Tree; 1m h x 1m w; Shrubby succulent with fleshy mid-green leaves edged with yellow and tinged red. Small, star-shaped flowers in terminal clusters; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun; Well-drained
Crassula rupestris 'Tom Thumb'	Succulent; Cape Province; Scrambling habit. Miniature form of C. perforata. Cream flowers, brown anther. Leaf margins of red/yellow; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Well-drained
Crassula sarcocaulis	Succulent; Bonsai Crassula; E S Africa; 0.2 - 0.6m h; A small densely branched shrub that develops a tree-like crown with fleshy spreading branches and green leaves often tinged red. Flowers are bell-shaped, white, cream or pink and appear in atractive terminal clusters; Flowers: Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Cuphea 'Starfire'	Shrub; Firecracker Plant; 0.6m h; Small, evergreen shrub. Pretty, tubular, pink flowers with flared purple/white tips. Prefers a sunny location but protect from heavy frost. Ideal for a container. Long flowering. Drought tender; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained

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Curio radicans 'Glauca'	Succulent; Trailing stems of greenish-blue, fleshy, curved foliage. Excellent for a container or hanging basket indoors or out. The small flowers are cinnamon scented, white or off white. Allow soil to dry out between waterings; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Semi Shade; Well-drained
Curio talinoides ssp mandraliscae	Succulent; Blue Chalksticks; 0.4m h; (syn. Senecio mandraliscae). Evergreen, erect or semi-trailing plant making an excellent groundcover of blue-grey pencil-like fleshy leaves. Small white flowers in Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Cymbidium hybrid (green/white)	Orchid; Strappy leaves with upright spikes bearing long-lasting flowers of apple-green with a white lip spotted burgundy. Protect from hot afternoon sun; Flowers: Spring; Semi Shade; Well-drained
Cymbidium hybrid (yellow/green)	Orchid; Light yellow/green petals. Spotted cream lip, tinged yellow. Early flowering; Flowers: Winter; Semi Shade; Well-drained
Cymbidium Iowianum x grandiflorum	Orchid; Large greeny-yellow flowers, with a red lip, up to 10cm across, in long, arching, many flowered racemes; Flowers: Spring; Semi Shade; Well-
Cyrilla racemiflora	Shrub; Leatherwood; Americas; 4m h; Semi-deciduous shrub or small tree in temperate climates. Abundant racemes of small creamy-white fragrant flowers. Often has lovely autumn colour. Prefers a sheltered position; Flowers: Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained; Acidic
Cyrtanthus elatus	Bulb; Scarborough lily; S Africa; 0.4m h; (syn. Vallota speciosa) Deciduous. Strap-like, basal leaves with erect stems bearing showy, scarlet, trumpet- shaped flowers. Clump forming. Ideal for pots; Flowers: Autumn; Sun; Well-
Cyrtanthus obrienii	Bulb; S Africa; 0.2m h x 0.2m w; Clump-forming, evergreen, strap-like leaves. Bright salmon, pendulous, tubular flowers in Spring/Summer; Sun; Well-drained; Adaptable; Drought Tolerant
Dais cotinifolia	Tree; Pompom Tree; S Africa, Madagascar; 4m h x 2m w; Semi-deciduous small tree, discovered in 1776. Bluish-green oval leaves. Scented star- shaped, small, lilac-pink button flower heads. Fast growing; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Frost Tender
Dianthus 'Doris'	Perennial; 0.3m h x 0.4m w; Perennial clump of grey grass-like leaves, and double salmon-pink red centred, highly perfumed carnation flowers, over many months; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun
Dianthus 'Mars'	Perennial; 0.1m h x 0.2m w; A mound of blue/grey small leaved foliage. Intense red, clove scented flowers in spring to early summer, reflowering in autumn. A great edging plant; Sun; Adaptable; Drought Tolerant
Dianthus 'Old Velvet'	Perennial; 0.15 - 0.3m h; Evergreen, grey foliage. Semi-double velvety maroon flower with paler fringe and undersides. Good edging plant for cottage-style garden; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Well-drained
Dichroa versicolor	Shrub; N Burma; 2m h; Similar in form to Hydrangea macrophylla, with rich green leaves and denim-blue or pink flowers followed by intense blue berries. Tolerates wet conditions and a little frost; Semi Shade
Dicliptera suberecta	Perennial; Argentina; 0.4m h x 0.4m w; Attractive oval velvet grey/green foliage. Profuse orange-coral, tubular flowers; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained; Drought Tolerant

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Dierama trichorhizum	Perennial; S Africa; 0.6m h; Clump forming with grass-like evergreen leaves. Pale bluish-mauve, flared bells hang in small clusters from upright stems in Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Echeveria 'Black Prince'	Succulent; 0.3m h; Pointy dusky chocolate leaves form rosettes to 15cm. Handsome plant with leafy stems of deep red flowers. Slow growing; Flowers: Autumn/Winter; Sun; Well-drained
Echeveria 'Bombycina'	Succulent; Rosettes of thick pale-green hairy leaves up to 10cm in diameter. Flower stems are up to 10cm long and bear red and yellow urn-shaped flowers in Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Echeveria 'Gilva'	Succulent; Green to light green rosettes with pink edges in intense light and dry conditions. Pink to yellow small flowers bloom in the Spring; Sun; Well- drained; Drought Tolerant
Echeveria 'Imbricata'	Succulent; 0.3m h; Robust. Rosettes of blue rounded leaves edged with pink. Multiples of offsets; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Dry; Drought Tolerant; Frost
Echeveria 'Lara'	Succulent; Blueish green spoon-shaped leaves with pink/red edges. Rosettes grow up to 15cm. Flowers are coral/pink with a yellow interior; Sun; Well-
Echeveria 'Laulensis'	Succulent; An attractive plant with chunky pointed foliage in tones of blue green, rosy purple, and pink. Flowers are yellow and coral pink with pink stems. Quite prolific; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Echeveria 'Metallica'	Succulent; 0.3m h x 0.3m w; Wavy wide leaves are purple/grey with a metallic appearance. Massive inflorescences have many pale orange flowers in arching branches; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-
Echeveria 'Nixiana'	Succulent; 0.5m h x 0.5m w; Small rosette of pastel-blue leaves. Orange bell-shaped flowers; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Echeveria 'Perle von Nurnberg'	Succulent; 0.15m w; (E. gibbiflora x E. Elegans) Mostly a solitary habit, reaching up to 15cm across, then growing upwards on thin stems. Leaves are a dramatic violet/deep pink colour, when grown in full sun; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Frost Tender
Echeveria 'Poltava'	Succulent; 0.5m h x 0.5m w; Compact short stemmed plant with rosettes 15- 20cm in diameter. Clusters of coral-coloured flowers on long stems; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Echeveria 'Violet Queen'	Succulent; C & S America; 0.2m h; Attractive rosettes of grey/green leaves with violet-coloured tips. Pastel blue/green flowers, tinged violet. Ideal for pot or garden; Flowers: Spring; Sun; Well-drained
Echeveria colorata var.brandtii	Succulent; S America; 0.15m h; Very attractive plant with plump, silvery- grey leaves tipped with dark red, with more brilliant colour in winter; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Dry
Echeveria elegans	Succulent; Mexico; 0.1m h x 0.3m w; Stemless clump forming rounded silvery-blue rosettes. Yellow-tipped pink flowers, late winter to summer. Light frost tolerance; Sun; Well-drained

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Echeveria elegans 'Albicans'	Succulent; Mexico; $0.1 \text{ m} \text{ h} \times 0.3 \text{ m} \text{ w}$ ; Grows in dense clusters of pale grey- green plump rosettes. Easy to grow in well-drained soil, it produces elegant stems of salmon and yellow flowers in Spring; Sun; Frost Tender
Echeveria halbingeri	Succulent; Mexico; 0.2m h; Small pastel blue/green leaves densely arranged in rosettes. Distinct point at tip of broad short leaves. Flowers orange-chrome outside, light orange within. A very dainty plant; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Well-drained
Echeveria macdougallii	Succulent; Mexico; 0.2m h; Interesting Echeveria with club-shaped green leaves tipped red on the end of sections of a branching plant. Scarlet and yellow flowers in Winter; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Echeveria pumila var. glauca	Succulent; Mexico; 0.15m h; (syn. E. secunda) Short blue-grey leaves form tight rosettes, and offsets can form large plantings. Excellent for holding soil edges. Flowers of red and yellow in Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Elegia tectorum	Perennial; Cape Thatching Reed; S Africa; 1.2m h; Evergreen, upright, tufted, reed-like appearance with dark green stems topped with dark brown flower spikes. Useful as a cut flower; Flowers: Autumn; Sun; Adaptable
Elettaria cardamomum	Herb; Cardamom; India; 2m h; Rhizomatous perennial. Fragrant leaves. In tropical climates, pink tubular flowers followed by ovoid seed capsules, but rarely in Melbourne. Warm protected position; Shade; Moist; Frost Tender
Epidendrum ibaguense (red form)	Orchid; Terrestrial orchid with lengthy rambling leafy stems carrying fleshy light green leaves and heads of red flowers sporadically throughout the year; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Epimedium 'Creamsicle'	Perennial; 0.2m h; Perennial groundcover forms dense carpets of green foliage heavily splashed in cream in spring. Masses of white flowers in arching sprays. Hardy when established; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Epimedium 'Mauve Swallows'	Perennial; 0.3m h; Good ground covering perennial, grown largely for its leaves. Loose mauve flowers in Spring; Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Epimedium diphyllum	Perennial; Japan; 0.25m h x 0.3m w; Clump-forming, semi evergreen rhizomatous plant. Heart-shaped light green leaves. Spurless, pendent, bell- shaped, pure white flowers, 1cm across; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Shade
Epimedium epsteinii	Perennial; W China; Evergreen groundcover with beautiful bi-coloured flowers of white and reddish purple, with 10-30 flowers on each stem above glossy dark green leaves; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-
Epimedium franchetii	Perennial; Fairy Wings; W China; 0.6m h x 0.6m w; Low growing pretty groundcover for shady areas, under trees and in rockeries. Elegant long pointed leaflets, with coppery mottled tones and tall sprays of stunning large yellow flowers with pale yellow sepals and long sulphur yellow petals; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Epimedium wushanense	Perennial; China; 0.35m h x 0.8m w; Evergreen clumps of spiny holly-like long narrow glossy green foliage which changes deep copper plum in spring. Big yellow and cream flowers on 50cm stems; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained

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Epimedium x versicolor 'Sulphureum'	Perennial; Barrenwort; 0.3m h; Small dainty pale-yellow flowers. Woodland plant. One of the best varieties. Suitable for dry shade under trees; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Escallonia 'lveyi'	Shrub; 3m h x 3m w; Upright habit. Evergreen. Glossy dark green leaves. Conical panicles fragrant pure white flowers. Makes a good hedge in coastal gardens. Frost hardy; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Well-drained
Escallonia illinita	Shrub; Curry Bush; Chile; 3m h; White panicles to 10cm. Scents the air with curry when damp. Good hedge and screen plant; Flowers: Summer
Eucomis comosa 'Alba'	Bulb; S Africa; 0.5m h x 0.3m w; Pure white form. Tufts of leaves above flower head. Flower spike emerges from a handsome basal rosette of leaves; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Well-drained
Eucomis comosa 'Oakhurst'	Bulb; Strap-like burgundy green foliage with deep red stalks of creamy pink flowers; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Well-drained
Eucomis reichenbachii	Bulb; Pineapple Lily; 0.3 - 0.37m h; Rarely seen species. Massive fleshy strap-shaped leaves from which stout stems arise carrying long-lasting purple-edged green flowers; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-
Euonymus japonicus 'Aureomarginatus'	Shrub; China, Japan; 2 - 3m h; Evergreen shrub. Dense foliage of golden green leaves with bright gold margins. Well suited to hedging and pruning. Small cream flowers; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Adaptable
Eupatorium atrorubens	Shrub; Mist Flower; Mexico; 1.2m h x 1m w; Evergreen. Large flat terminal clusters of lilac flowers. Soft, attractive leaves, flushed red/purple. Drought tender. Protected position; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Semi Shade; Moist; Frost Tender
Euphorbia trigona	Succulent; African Milk Tree; S Africa; 2.7m h; Unique succulent with an upright stem that is branched into 3 or 4 sides. Stem is dark green with V- shaped light green patterns. Has large thorns in pairs on ridges, and the drop shaped leaf grows between the 2 thorns. Only flowers if in the ground; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Well-drained
Felicia hyssopifolia subsp. hyssopifolia	Shrub; S Africa; 0.6m h; Dense shrub with small narrow leaves and lilac daisy-like flowers with an orange centre; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Well-
Forsythia suspensa	Shrub; Golden Bells; E China; 2.5 - 3.5m h x 2.5 - 3.5m w; Deciduous. Bright yellow trumpet-shaped flowers on bare branches. Graceful long arching branches. Prune immediately after flowering. First mentioned in Chinese medical texts back to 2000BC; Flowers: Spring; Sun; Well-drained;
Fuchsia 'Autumnale'	Shrub; Prostrate habit. Green and yellow foliage that matures to dark red and salmon with splashes of yellow. Scarlet rose tubes and sepals with purple corolla; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Fuchsia 'Bianca'	Shrub; 1.5 - 2m h x 1m w; Stunning large double blooms with white sepals and white corolla, sometimes tinged pink. Can be grown as a standard or trained against a fence; Flowers: Summer; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Fuchsia 'Pinocchio'	Shrub; 1.5m h x 1m w; Single. Reddish pink sepals with mauve corolla. Flowers for most of year. Trailing habit. Robust; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-

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Fuchsia 'Thalia'	Shrub; 1m h x 1m w; Triphylla type with long flared tubular orange-red flowers much of the year. Red veined dark green leaves. Drought tender. Prune early spring; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained; Frost Tender
Fuchsia arborescens	Shrub; Tree Fuchsia; C America; 3m h x 3m w; Evergreen, large shrub or small tree. Erect clusters of cerise flowers. Protected part shade. Light frost tolerance. Drought tender. Can be pruned hard in Spring; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Well-drained
Fuchsia michoacanensis	Shrub; Mtns. of Patzcuaro Mexico; 0.5m h; Tiny, tubular, pink/red flowers. Can be trained against a wall or into shapes; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Fuchsia procumbens	Shrub; NZ; 0.1m h; Groundcover. Tiny erect yellow tubular flowers with purple sepals and bright blue pollen, followed by large red fruits. Suit hanging basket; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Fuchsia x bacillaris	Shrub; Mexico; 0.5m h; (F. microphylla x F. thymifolia) Tiny leaves and small solitary flowers of pale pink, good for hanging baskets; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Gardenia jasminoides 'Aimee Yoshiba'	Shrub; 1.5m h; Evergreen tall variety with dark green glossy foliage and large double white scented flowers. Excellent for low hedges and containers. Prefers a sheltered position with morning sun; Flowers: Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
Gardenia thunbergia	Shrub; Africa; 3.5m h x 3m w; Slow-growing evergreen. Glossy deep green leaves with spectacular white tubular flowers which are heavily perfumed; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Acidic; Frost
Gasteria 'Little Warty'	Succulent; Stemless variety with thick green leaves heavily spotted in paler green. Waxy, globular salmon pink bell-shaped flowers with green tipped opening. Plant is fan shaped; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Semi Shade; Dry; Drought Tolerant
Gasteria grandiflora	Succulent; S Africa; Bell-shaped flowers on long stems; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Semi Shade; Dry; Neutral; Drought Tolerant
Gasteria liliputana	Succulent; S Africa; 0.15m h; One of the smallest Gasterias with glossy, white mottled, deep green slightly pointed leaves in a rosette, and pendulous flowers of reddish pink; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi- shade; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Gasteria verrucosa	Succulent; S Africa; Dark green fleshy leaves in facing rows. Leaves covered with small white tubercles. Racemes of reddish orange flowers; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Well-drained
Globularia cordifolia	Perennial; Globe Daisy; Mediterranean; 0.15m h x 0.2m w; Cushion forming. Fluffy, globular blue to pale lavender-blue flowers on erect stems. Rock plant. Sharply drained soil. Good edging plant; Flowers: Spring; Sun
Gypsophila paniculata	Perennial; Baby's Breath; C Asia & C Europe; 0.6m h x 0.6m w; Rhizomatous diffusely branched perennial. Carries many branches of loose panicles of tiny white or pale pink bud flowers; Flowers: Spring to Autumn; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant

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Gypsophila paniculata 'Summer Sparkles'	Perennial; 0.6m h x 0.6m w; Showy tiny flowers make excellent cut bunches or dried flowers; Flowers: Spring to Autumn; Sun; Well-drained; Drought
Haemanthus albiflos	Bulb; White Blood Lily; S Africa; 0.3 - 0.45m h; Unusual looking bulb. Upper part of the bulb is usually exposed. Large, erect, oblong leaves. A brush of creamy white flowers with yellow stamens surrounded by 2 large white bracts. Can be suitable for indoors; Flowers: Autumn/Winter; Semi Shade;
Haemanthus coccineus	Bulb; Paint Brush Lily; S Africa; 0.3m h x 0.5m w; Deciduous. Unusual scarlet flowers with gold tipped stamens emerge from the top of the large bulb, followed by two enormous dark green glossy leaves (30cm) that lie on the ground; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained;
Haworthia attenuata	Succulent; S Africa; 0.25m h; Stemless clustering perennial plant, eventually forming large clumps. Dark green pointed leaves, strikingly banded or spotted with whitish-green keels. Ever blooming if you cut dead blooms; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Frost Tender
Haworthia chlorocantha	Succulent; S Africa; A striking small Haworthia which suckers profusely, forming a dense group of rosettes. Leaves are yellow/green with red/brown colour at their base. Dainty white tubular flowers. Good indoor plant; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Semi Shade; Dry; Frost Tender
Haworthia coarctata	Succulent; S Africa; 0.15m h; Tough plant with dark green short, knobbly leaves, compacting in a pile as it slowly elongates along the ground. White flowers with green veins. Leaves turn pinkish in cold or sun; Sun; Well- drained; Drought Tolerant
Haworthia cuspidata	Succulent; S Africa; (H. cymbiformis x H. retusa) Lime green triangular leaves in individual rosettes that clump together. Offsets freely and is good indoors. White tubular flowers in Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Dry
Haworthia mirabiis var. mundula	Succulent; S Africa; Stemless, slowly proliferous species. Its triangular pointed and flattened leaf tips will turn brown in full sun. White tubular flowers in Summer/Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Haworthia reinwardtii	Succulent; S Africa; 0.15m h; Dark green to yellow-green rosettes with dense spiral form which may grow into small towers. Lance-shaped leaves with small white tubercles. Tubular pinkish-white flowers on long stems; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Frost Tender
Haworthia reinwardtii var. chalwinii	Succulent; S Africa; (syn. H. coarctata f. chalwinii) Small plant with many upright leaf-clad stems radiating from an offset base. Leaves are triangular, dotted with white slightly raised tubercles. Green leaves turn reddish in lower light. White tubular flower on 30cm stem; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Hebe speciosa 'Variegata'	Shrub; Variegated Hebe; 0.6 - 1m h; Fast growing rounded, evergreen broadleaf shrub with magenta flowers and leaves edged in cream; Flowers: Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
Helichrysum angustifolium	Herb; Curry Plant; SW Europe; 0.5m h x 0.3m w; (syn. H. italicum) Grey- green foliage. Curry aroma. Good for pots. Hot dry position. Profuse yellow flowers in clusters. Very good colour when dried; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant

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Helichrysum argyrophyllum	Perennial; Everlasting Flower; S Africa; 0.1m h x 0.5m w; Groundcover. Small silver leaves. Yellow flowers. Good for cascading over rocks or edges of raised beds; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun; Drought Tolerant
Heliotropium arborescens 'Alba'	Perennial; White Heliotrope; Peru; 0.3 - 0.45m h; Shrubby evergreen perennial, with dark to medium green leaves and large, rounded clusters of vanilla scented, creamy-white tubular flowers. Popular Victorian-era plant that blooms repeatedly all year; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Heliotropium arborescens 'Lord Roberts'	Perennial; 0.6 - 1m h x 1m w; Attractive contrast plant. Purple foliage and flowers. Long flowering, slight perfume; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Frost Tender
Heptacodium miconioides	Shrub; Seven Sons; China; 4 - 6m h; (syn. H. jasminoides) Deciduous shrub or small tree, with light tan, exfoliating bark and dark green leaves. Large shows of small, fragrant white/near-white blooms; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun; Moist/Well-drained
Hesperantha coccinea	Bulb; River Lily; S Africa; 0.4 - 0.6m h; Slender lanceolate leaves up to 40cm long. The flowers are red, occasionally pink or white, with 6 petals; produced 4 to 10 alternately on a spike. Grown for its flowers; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun; Well-drained
Hesperozygis myrtoides	Shrub; S Brazil; Evergreen. Small, green, aromatic leaves and small mauve bell-shaped flowers. Long flowering; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
Hibiscus rosa-sinensis 'Pride of Lockleys'	Shrub; Chinese Hibiscus; 2 - 3m h; Uncommon cultivar. Evergreen with glossy green leaves. Striking double fluffy red flowers; Sun/Semi-shade;
Hibiscus syriacus 'Leopold'	Shrub; 3m h; Deciduous shrub with double mauve/pink flowers. Quite hardy; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
Hibiscus syriacus 'Roseus Plenus'	Shrub; Rose of Sharon; E Asia; 2.4 - 3m h; Hardy, upright, multi-stemmed, deciduous, vase-shaped shrub, with bright purple/pink double flowers, with smooth petals; Flowers: Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
Hippeastrum cv (red & white)	Bulb; 0.6m h; Water sparingly until growth commences, then freely with weekly feeding. Cease watering and feeding when leaves turn yellow, but do not let roots dry out; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Hippeastrum papilio	Bulb; Brazil; 0.5m h; Rare. Large maroon, green and cream trumpet flowers. Keep dry in winter during dormancy; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Hosta 'Allan P. McConnell'	Perennial; 0.3m h x 0.45m w; Small dark green oval leaves with narrow pure white margins, form a tight mound. Lilac flowers on 40cm stalks. Good rapid growing edging plant; Flowers: Summer; Shade; Moist
Hosta 'Chinese Sunrise'	Perennial; 0.35m h x 0.6m w; Profusion of bell-shaped purple flowers on leaning, leafy, 70cm stems. Leaves medium, thin, glossy narrowly lanceolate tapering to a point, fading to light green (viridescent), with a regular, narrow, deep green margin; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Semi

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Hosta 'Fortunei Aureomarginata'	Perennial; 0.45m h x 0.6m w; Leaves deep olive green with a rich golden yellow margin fading to cream in strong light. The funnel-shaped flowers are pale to deep lavender produced on straight leafy stems in Dec to mid Jan; Semi Shade; Moist
Hosta 'Love Pat'	Perennial; 0.6m h x 0.6m w; Intensely glaucous blue leaves, medium to large, thick, very cupped and deeply puckered, heart shaped. Bell-shaped, palest lavender to nearly white flowers on bare, straight stems; Flowers: Summer; Semi Shade; Moist
Hosta 'Minuteman'	Perennial; 0.6m h x 0.9m w; Herbaceous. Large cupped leaves, late to emerge, narrowly heart-shaped, blue-green with wide white margin. Funnel-shaped lavender flowers on leaning leafy stem; Flowers: Summer; Semi
Hosta 'Summer Fragrance'	Perennial; 0.6m h x 1m w; Large, mid-green leaves with an irregular cream margin with some grey streaking towards the centre. Flowers fragrant, large, rich lavender-purple on straight, bare, 150cm scapes. Makes a large, very dense clump and tolerates more sun than most; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
Hosta lancifolia	Perennial; E Russia to Japan; 0.5m h; A hardy and robust species with lance shaped pleated green leaves which form a thick mound. Masses of lavender, bell-shaped flowers. Excellent for tough conditions under trees; Flowers: Summer; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Hosta plantaginea	Perennial; China; 0.6m h x 0.9m w; Herbaceous. Fragrant white flowers on tall spikes, late summer. Pale green leaves. Damp site. Shade to semi shade but tolerates more sun than other hostas
Hoya carnosa	Climber; India, Burma; Vigorous epiphytic climber. Ovate, rigid, fleshy, dark green waxy leaves. Dense umbels of star-shaped waxy white flowers with red coronas. Strong night fragrance. Good indoor plant; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Frost Tender
Hoya carnosa 'Krinkle Kurl'	Climber; Hindu Rope; China & SE Asia; Unusual species of vine. Dark green glossy leaves contorted and cupped, making an almost rope-like appearance. Slow, but easy to grow. Flowers in clusters of mildly fragrant star shaped, pink-white blossoms; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade;
Hoya pubicalyx	Climber; Philippines; Easy to grow climber. Narrow leaves with silver flecks. The flower colour varies from pink, with white corona to almost black with red corona. Some plants even have different colours in the same umbel. Strong fragrance; Flowers: Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist
Hydrangea 'Mdme Emile Mouillere'	Shrub; Deciduous. Excellent white variety. White mophead flowers ageing to pink-tinged. Drought tender. Protect from afternoon sun; Flowers: Summer; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Hydrangea arborescens	Shrub; 1.2m h; Deciduous; yellow leaves in Autumn. White to nearly white, large mophead blooms. Long flowering; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained; Acidic
Hydrangea aspera ssp aspera	Shrub; Himalayas; 2.5m h x 2.5m w; Semi-deciduous. Blue/mauve/pink flattish lace-caps; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-

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Hydrangea macrophylla 'Ami Pasquier'	Shrub; 1.5m h x 2m w; Deciduous, mophead variety. Small to medium sized shrub. Rose-mauve, magenta to red blooms produced all summer. Leaves turn red in autumn. One of the best crimson hydrangeas for alkaline soil; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
Hydrangea macrophylla 'Nigra'	Shrub; Black-Stem Hydrangea; Mophead variety. Stems almost black; flowers pale rose to blue. Easy to grow; Flowers: Summer; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Hydrangea macrophylla	Shrub; 1.5m h x 1.5m w; Attractive variegated leaves. Lacecap variety with colour dependent on soil pH; Flowers: Summer; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-
Hydrangea macrophylla 'Veitchii'	Shrub; 1.5m h x 1.5m w; Deciduous, bushy shrub with dark green foliage. Large white, later pink sterile flowers surrounding lilac-blue fertile ones borne on flat open heads; Flowers: Summer; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Hydrangea macrophylla ssp serrata 'Bluebird'	Shrub; 1.2m h; Deciduous, compact shrub with ovate leaves turning red in autumn. Lace-cap flower-heads with blue fertile flowers surrounded by large blue or pale pink sterile florets; Flowers: Summer; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-
Hydrangea paniculata	Shrub; 4m h; Deciduous. Large pure white pear-shaped trusses, turn bright green. Late blooming. Drought tender. Ideal tub specimen; Flowers: Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained; Frost Tender
Hydrangea quercifolia	Shrub; SE USA; 1.2m h x 1.2m w; Semi-deciduous. Attractive oak-shaped leaves colour to bronze-purple in autumn. White flower panicles, becoming pink tinged with age. Avoid late afternoon sun; Flowers: Summer; Sun/Semi- shade; Moist/Well-drained
Hydrangea quercifolia 'Snowflake'	Shrub; Oak-leafed hydrangea; Semi-deciduous. Arching pyramidal panicles of long lasting double white flowers later turning pink. Deep green oak- shaped leaves; maroon to purple autumn colour; Flowers: Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
Hydrangea serratifolia	Climber; Chile; 15m h; Evergreen self-clinging. Corymbs of numerous small white sterile flowers; Flowers: Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
Hylotelephium 'Autumn Joy'	Perennial; 0.5m h x 0.5m w; (syn. Sedum spectabile 'Autumn Joy') Clump- forming plant with flat cymes of star-shaped salmon-pink flowers, turning to copper-red. Dies down in winter; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun/Semi- shade; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Hylotelephium 'Bertram Anderson'	Perennial; (syn. Sedum 'Bertram Anderson') Herbaceous low grower with small round blue-grey to purple leaves and deep pink flowers; Flowers: Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Hylotelephium 'Matrona'	Perennial; 0.6m h; Clump forming. Purplish green, succulent leaves and maroon stems support dense clusters of rosy-pink flowers. Herbaceous. Attracts bees; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun; Well-drained; Drought
Hylotelephium spectabile 'Variegatum'	Perennial; China, Korea; 0.7m h; (syn. Sedum s 'V') Glaucous variegated leaves opposite, or in whorls. Clusters of deep pink flower heads; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun; Well-drained
Hymenocallis x festalis	Bulb; Spider Lily; 0.6 - 0.8m h; Deciduous plant with scented, trumpet shaped pure white flowers, and elegantly curled petals. Likes humus rich soil and is quite hardy in the open; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade;

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Iberis sempervirens	Perennial; Candytuft; S Europe; 0.2m h x 0.5m w; (syn. I. commutata) Evergreen. Rounded heads of white flowers. Long flowering. Cut back spent flowers. Good rockery or edging plant; Flowers: Spring; Sun; Well-drained;
Iris ensata (cream & mauve)	Rhizome; SE Siberia to Japan; Herbaceous, clump-forming perennial with upright, straplike foliage with cream and mauve flowers. Feed well; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Boggy
Iris japonica	Rhizome; Frilled or ruffled bluish-white flowers. Attractive foliage. Vigorous woodland plant. Ideal under Camellias and Azaleas. Protect from hot afternoon sun; Flowers: Winter; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained; Acidic
Iris japonica 'Variegata'	Rhizome; China/Japan; Frilled or ruffled pale blue/lavender flowers. Attractive variegated foliage. Vigorous. Ideal woodland plant. Protect from hot afternoon sun; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Semi Shade; Well-drained; Acidic
Iris missouriensis	Rhizome; WN America; 0.3 - 0.6m h; Erect herbaceous perennial with leafless unbranched scapes and linear basal leaves. The flowers are 6-7cm wide, the standards pale lavender and the falls paler but strongly veined violet-blue; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Moist/Well-drained
Iris sibirica	Rhizome; NE Turkey & Russia; 0.5 - 1.2m h; Beardless Iris. Up to 5 flowers per stem well above foliage. Narrow grass-like leaves, falls blue-purple, veined and marked white and gold. Haft paler and darker veined; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Well-drained
Iris spuria	Rhizome; Europe; 1 - 2m h; Tall, slender beardless Iris, with elongated upright leaves, and many different flower colours. No need to lift the tubers, and very good cut flower; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Moist/Well-drained
Iris (Standard Dwarf) 'Making Eyes'	Rhizome; 0.2 - 0.38m h; Delightful plant for rock gardens or borders; requires winter cold. Cream-lemon standards, red-violet falls edged lemon, cream beards. Spikes of flowers are usually branched; Flowers: Spring; Sun;
Iris (TB) 'Center Line'	Rhizome; 0.8m h; Pink standards, lighter towards the edges, pale-pink falls, dark red-purple veins over two thirds of the centre; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Iris (TB) 'Chestnuts Roasting'	Rhizome; 0.86m h; Ruffled, lacy form. Mid-brown standards, some gold at the base of midrib; medium-brown falls deepening at haft to 1/3 way down petals. Mustard gold beard; Flowers: Spring; Sun; Well-drained
Iris (TB) 'Cloudbase'	Rhizome; 1m h; Tall plant with white standards and blue falls with white area around the white beard. Early flowering; Flowers: Spring; Sun; Well-
Iris (TB) 'Diamond Broker'	Rhizome; 1m h; Frilly standards are light lemon, lightening to cream at the edges. Falls creamy-white with lemon-cream rims. Golden beard. Abundant buds and showy stems. Early to mid-season flowering; Flowers: Spring; Sun;
Iris (TB) 'Dingley Diadem'	Rhizome; Australian cv; (1979 L. Donnell) Buff yellow standards, violet falls, blue orange beards. Vigorous; Flowers: Spring; Sun; Well-drained
Iris (TB) 'Dracula's Kiss'	Rhizome; 0.85m h; Prune-purple standards, darkening to black-purple in the falls. Bright tangerine beards. Early to mid-season bloomer; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained

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Iris (TB) 'For Lovers Only'	Rhizome; 1m h; Medium pink standards, palest pink-white falls blending to wide-medium, light pink margins. Beard is white tipped coral pink. Slightly musky fragrance. Early to mid-season flowering; Flowers: Spring; Sun; Well-
Iris (TB) 'Jolimont'	Rhizome; Blue & white ruffled standards with white beard; Flowers: Spring; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Iris (TB) 'Mary Francis'	Rhizome; 1m h; Blue orchid self with white centred falls and white beard lightly touched with yellow; Flowers: Spring; Sun; Well-drained
Iris (TB) 'Mesmeriser'	Rhizome; 1m h; Pure white standards and falls; Horned beard white with a touch of yellow; Flowers: Spring; Sun; Well-drained; Neutral; Drought
Iris (TB) 'Mt. Bogong'	Rhizome; Australian cv; (1991 E. S. Fankhauser) Large mid-blue ruffled standards with white beard; Flowers: Spring; Sun; Well-drained; Alkaline
Iris (TB) 'Platinum Class'	Rhizome; 0.8m h; Bubble ruffled lavender/peach/pink/grey blooms, with white and tangerine beards. Mid/late bloomer; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Iris (TB) 'Sneak Preview'	Rhizome; Australian cv; (1980 John Nelson) Rich apricot standards. Very early flowering; Flowers: Spring; Sun; Well-drained
Jasminum parkeri	Shrub; India (Pradesh); 0.3m h x 0.4m w; Dwarf, dome-forming, evergreen. Slender branches with alternate dark green leaves. Terminal or axillary, solitary or paired, salver form yellow flowers. Greenish white berries; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade
Juniperus horizontalis	Shrub; Creeping Juniper; N America; Evergreen. Low to prostrate shrub, trailing branches. Steel blue foliage in whorls. Cones 6-8mm, dark blue. Ideal for rock gardens; Sun; Well-drained
Justicia adhatoda	Shrub; Malabar Nut; India, Sri Lanka; 2 - 3m h x 2m w; Evergreen. Lush lime green leaves, white hooded flowers with red markings on distinctly curved upper lip, held on spikes; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained;
Justicia brandegeana 'Yellow Queen'	Shrub; Yellow Shrimp Plant; 0.5m h x 0.5m w; (syn. Drejerella guttata) Tough evergreen with white flowers hidden by overlapping yellow bracts mainly, in Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Adaptable; Drought Tolerant; Frost
Justicia carnea	Shrub; Flamingo Plant; Brazil; 2m h x 1.5m w; (syn. Jacobinia carnea) Evergreen. Warm pink bracts on long spikes; attractive deep green leaves. Grows well in shade areas. Cut back after flowering; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Semi Shade; Moist; Frost Tender
Justicia carnea 'Alba'	Shrub; 1.5m h x 1.5m w; Evergreen, soft-wooded shrub with showy terminal spikes of pure white flowers. Grows well in shade. Cut back in spring to encourage new growth; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Well-drained; Frost
Justicia fulvicoma	Shrub; Mexico; 0.6m h; Considered one of the showiest species with dramatic burnt orange bracts and orange-red flowers. Suitable for outdoors and pots. Tolerant of dry conditions once established; Flowers: Autumn/Winter; Semi Shade; Well-drained
Kalanchoe beharensis	Succulent; Africa/Madagascar; 1m h; Arrow shaped pale green felted leaves, indented in the margins, which are a golden brown; Sun; Dry; Frost Tender

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Kalanchoe beharensis 'Fang'	Succulent; 0.6 - 1m h x 0.3 - 0.6m w; Tall and vigorous stalactite plant. Leaves silvery grey and furry, with soft teeth like bumps underneath. Leaf tips bronze with age. Soft brown/apricot bell flowers on a tall spike. Slow growing and good in containers; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-
Kalanchoe blossfeldiana (red bells)	Succulent; Elliptical scalloped leaves with reddish margins. Red tubular bells on stalks; Flowers: Spring; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Kalanchoe grandiflora	Succulent; Silver Teaspoons; India/E Africa; 0.7m h x 0.3m w; Blue green foliage with oval leaves and small yellow tubular flowers on an erect stem; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Well-drained; Frost Tender
Kalanchoe pumila 'Quick Silver'	Succulent; Madagascar; 0.2m h x 0.25m w; Silver-grey leaves. Open position. Pink flowers in Spring/Summer; Sun; Well-drained
Kalanchoe thyrsiflora 'Flapjacks'	Succulent; Circular leaves turning orange/red in Autumn, to 80mm diameter but only 3mm thick. Leaves are vertical. Prefers hot sun; Well-drained
Kalanchoe tomentosa	Succulent; Madagascar; 0.5m h x 0.3m w; Pale green/blue elliptical leaves covered in fine white down; tips spotted brown; Flowers: Winter; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Frost Tender
Kalanchoe tomentosa 'Velvet Brown'	Succulent; 0.3m h; A small shrubby plant with hairy grey-green stems and leaves, giving it a furry appearance. The tips of each leaf are edged with dark brown. Flowers are deep red hairy bells in Winter; Sun/Semi-shade;
Kniphofia 'Winter Cheer'	Perennial; S Africa; 1.2m h; Large torches of orange-scarlet flowers, turning yellow. Arching, narrow, strap-like leaves; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun; Well- drained; Drought Tolerant
Laurus nobilis	Tree; Bay Laurel; Mediterranean; 18m h; Evergreen, pyramid shape. Classic culinary species excellent for hedging; screening; topiary and pot-culture. Essential oils used for fragrances & perfumes. Ancient Greek & Romans traditionally used leaves for crowning their victors; Flowers: Spring; Semi Shade; Well-drained
Lavandula angustifolia	Perennial; 0.6m h; Compact, bushy plant with narrow grey-green leaves and tall stems of very fragrant purple-blue flowers; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Well-
Leandra xanthocoma	Shrub; Brazil; Sprawling shrub. Silky purple, small Lasiandra-like flowers. Flowering from spring through to autumn; Sun; Moist/Well-drained
Liriope muscari 'Variegata'	Perennial; Japan, China; 0.3m h x 0.5m w; Purple flowers in dense terminal spikes. Dense tufts of strap-like leaves, boldly striped yellow at margins. Useful highlight and edging plant; Flowers: Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade;
Lophomyrtus ralphii	Shrub; NZ; 2m h x 1m w; Uncommon evergreen shrub grown for its reddish bronze foliage. It has puckered leaves and whitish myrtle like flowers, and an upright framework. Good for hedging. Frost hardy; Flowers: Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
Loropetalum chinense var. rubrum	Shrub; China & Japan; 3m h; Evergreen shrub with burgundy-purple leaves and profuse clusters of pink flowers; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained; Frost Tender

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Lotus berthelotii 'Red Flash'	Perennial; 0.2m h x 1m w; A trailing plant with fine ferny silvery-green foliage and abundant orange-red flowers like little claws or beaks. Excellent for pots. Protect from frost; Flowers: Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Mammillaria elongata	Succulent; Gold Lace Cactus; Mexico; 0.15m h x 0.3m w; Densely packed long oval stems, covered with harmless yellow or brown spines. Small white or yellow funnel-shaped flowers form around the crown of each stem; Flowers: Spring; Sun; Well-drained
Manfreda longiflora	Succulent; Mexico, S Texas; Handsome stemless plant with dark green, long, strap-like leaves spotted brown, and minutely serrated. A single flower spike of 1-2m may occur, with single tubular white/pink flowers along the upper portion; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Well-drained; Adaptable; Drought
Manfreda variegata	Succulent; Mottled Tuberose; USA & Mexico; 0.15 - 0.3m h; Rosettes of silver-grey leaves covered with purple spots branching from short stems. Whitish tubular flowers having lengthy stamens grow at the end of a long stalk; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Maranta leuconeura var. kerchoveana	Perennial; Rabbit's Foot; 0.1 - 0.3m h; Evergreen, attractive houseplant with light green, oval leaves and dark green or brown blotches between the veins. The leaves curl upright by night, flat by day. Likes humidity. Insignificant white flowers in Summer; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained; Frost Tender
Melicytus alpinus	Shrub; Porcupine Bush; NZ; 0.8m h x 1.2m w; (syn. Hymenanthera alpina). Hardy, unusual, sprawling plant with interlacing branches and spikey tips bearing small leathery leaves. Inconspicuous white flowers are bell-shaped underneath branches followed by blue splashed white berries; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Michelia yunnanensis	Shrub; Scented Pearl; SE Asia; 3m h x 2m w; (syn. Magnolia laevifolia) Evergreen, glossy foliage. Small perfumed magnolia-like flowers. Suitable shrub for training as a potted patio tree, or for hedging; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained; Frost Tender
Nematanthus strigilosus	Climber; Brazil; This epiphytic plant likes light and moisture. Good trailing from a hanging basket with a multitude of small, thick, shiny dark green leaves and red/orange/yellow flowers shaped like gold fish; Sun/Semi-shade;
Neoregelia 'Crouching Tiger'	Bromeliad; 0.6m h; Large bromeliad with strappy intensely red leaves;
Neoregelia 'Hearts Blood'	Bromeliad; Brazil; 0.45m h; Miniature hybrid. Delicate and pretty plant. At flowering the centre of the plant turns bright red, with speckles of blood red on surrounding foliage. Good in hanging baskets or on tree stumps. On ground will form cover; Flowers: Spring; Shade; Well-drained
Neoregelia sarmentosa	Bromeliad; Brazil & Amazon region; 0.3m h; Compact rosette of leathery light green leaves, lightly spotted and banded with dark reddish brown. In full sun, the leaves turn a pale gold; Semi Shade; Well-drained; Frost Tender
Neoregelia spectabilis	Bromeliad; Fingernail Plant; Brazil; 0.5m h; Rosette of green leaves with a bright pink tip. Undersides are maroon with white cross bands: centre is red. Bracts of inflorescence are red or purple, petals are violet-blue; Shade; Dry
Neoregelia tigrina	Bromeliad; Brazil; 0.15m h x 0.2m w; A miniature bromeliad with wide flaring yellow leaves marked with burgundy tiger markings, more on the outer leaves. Small purple flowers in centre of leaf cup. A good water- holding plant, that makes nice clumps in a hanging basket; Semi Shade;

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Nerine pudica	Bulb; S Africa; 0.3m h; Strap like leaves and attractive spider-like white flowers with pink tinges on outside, borne at the end of long stems. Keep dry when dormant; Flowers: Autumn; Sun; Well-drained
Nerium oleander 'Splendens'	Shrub; Oleander; 2 - 3m h; Hardy evergreen medium to tall shrub. Large clusters of fragrant, funnel-shaped, soft pink double flowers. All parts are poisonous; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun; Dry; Drought Tolerant
Nidularium innocentii	Bromeliad; 0.2 - 0.3m h x 0.6m w; Spreading basal-rosetted, epiphytic perennial. Dense rosettes of strap-shaped, prickle-toothed, arching dark green, sometimes reddish-green leaves with reddish-purple undersides. Tubular, white flowers discreetly hidden in rosette of bright red bracts; Flowers: Summer; Shade; Well-drained
Nidularium procerum	Bromeliad; Brazil; Stemless epiphyte. Finely toothed, pale, waxy green fleshy leaves in erect rosettes, tinted copper to strong red. Large, leaf sheaths form a funnel shaped vase. Cold hardy; Semi Shade; Well-drained
Omphalodes cappadocica 'Starry Eyes'	Perennial; 0.2m h; Dense low mounds of deep green leaves with clusters of sky-blue white edged starry flowers. Good in rockery; Flowers: Spring; Shade;
Origanum 'Kent Beauty'	Perennial; 0.2m h x 0.3m w; Prostrate form. Small pink to mauve flowers and attractive pink bracts. Suitable for wall or ledge; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Origanum crispum 'Variegata'	Herb; Lemon scented plant with variegated leaves; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Moist/Well-drained
Origanum marjoranum	Herb; Sweet Marjoram; Mediterranean; 0.3m h x 0.3m w; Evergreen perennial with grey-green leaves, pink white flowers. Has a sweeter flavour than oregano; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Well-drained
Origanum vulgare 'Aureum'	Herb; Golden Marjoram; Mediterranean; 0.3m h x 0.45m w; Woody based dense mat of aromatic, golden yellow young leaves turning pale yellow green in mid-Summer; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun; Well-drained;
Origanum vulgare 'Thumbles Gold'	Herb; 0.3m h x 0.6m w; Large clusters of white flowers, over a bushy mound of chartreuse-yellow fragrant leaves; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Moist/Well- drained; Drought Tolerant
Osmanthus delavayi	Shrub; Yunnan; 2.5m h x 3m w; Evergreen. Finely toothed, leathery, dark- green leaves. Masses of small, sweetly scented white flowers. Good for hedging; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade
Osmanthus heterophyllus 'Purpureus'	Shrub; Japan, Taiwan; 3m h x 2m w; Evergreen, slow growing round bush with holly-like leaves. Small white fragrant flowers. New growth is deep purple; Flowers: Autumn; Sun; Well-drained
Osmanthus yunnanensis	Shrub; SW China; 5 - 10m h; Evergreen large shrub or small spreading tree with variable, dark, olive-green leaves up to 20cm long. Small, fragrant creamy-white flowers are borne in axillary clusters followed by dark purple fruit; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Pachyphytum glutincaule	Succulent; 0.15 - 0.3m h; Smooth textured succulent with silver-grey to blue- green leaves, like sugared almonds. Short stumpy stems have a white coating. Good in containers; Flowers: Winter; Sun/Semi-shade; Well- drained; Drought Tolerant

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Parolinia ornata	Shrub; Canary Is; 1m h x 0.7m w; Fine silver-grey foliage. Dainty mauve/cream flowers in Autumn/Winter; Sun; Well-drained
Pelargonium 'Ginger'	Herb; Ginger-Scented Geranium; 0.6m h; Spicy ginger scented crinkled foliage producing rose-lavender flower clusters most of the year; Sun; Well-
Pelargonium 'Lime'	Herb; 0.6m h; Small growing. Toothed, lime scented leaves. Single, light lavender flowers; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Well-drained; Neutral; Drought Tolerant
Pelargonium 'Madame Salleron'	Perennial; 0.4m h x 0.4m w; A compact bushy plant with long-stalked, kidney-shaped, white-edged leaves. Rarely flowers. Suit window box or indoor pot; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Pelargonium 'Sophie Dumaresque'	Perennial; Multi-coloured leaves from lime green to red/dark green with red orange flowers, catches the light in shady areas; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Dry
Pelargonium reniforme	Perennial; S Africa; 0.3m h; Erect shrubby form. Leaves are grey-green, velvety on top and silvery-grey beneath. Flowers are deep magenta or deep pink with deep purple markings; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Well-drained
Pelargonium sidoides	Perennial; S Africa; 0.25m h x 0.3m w; Forms a rosette-like plant with mildly aromatic, heart-shaped velvety leaves with wavy margins. The distinctive dark burgundy (almost black) flowers are almost constant but peak in midsummer. Can be planted in rockeries or pots in full sun; Well-drained;
Penstemon 'Alice Hindley'	Perennial; 0.9m h x 0.5m w; Stems of pale lilac-blue tubular bells, white inside, tinged mauve-pink outside; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun;
Penstemon 'Countess of Dalkeith'	Perennial; 0.45 - 0.75m h x 0.45 - 0.6m w; A plant with panicles of large purple foxglove like flowers having spotted white throats; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Penstemon 'Evelyn'	Perennial; 0.5m h x 0.5m w; Beautiful narrow pink tubular flowers, spring- autumn. Prune old growth in early spring. A hardy variety; Sun; Well-drained
Penstemon 'Firebird'	Perennial; 1m h x 0.8m w; (syn. P. 'Schoenholzeri') Dazzling scarlet red bell flowers along upright stems. Strong bushy habit; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun; Well-drained
Penstemon 'Garnet'	Perennial; 0.6m h; Superb tubular, bell-shaped garnet-red small flowers revealing red-striped throats. Vigorous, bushy habit. One of the hardiest Penstemons; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun; Well-drained
Penstemon 'Hidcote'	Perennial; 0.6 - 0.9m h x 0.6 - 0.9m w; Profuse bell-shaped rose-pink flowers, streaked with dark pink on creamy-white throats; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Penstemon 'Midnight'	Perennial; 0.9m h x 0.5m w; Stunning cultivar with deeply coloured flowers showing shades of dark purple; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Penstemon 'Port Wine'	Perennial; 1m h; Dense, narrow foliage with spikes of deep red to purple tubular flowers; the throat white, streaked with dark red. Award winning cultivar; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun; Well-drained

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Penstemon 'Purple Bedder'	Perennial; 0.7m h x 0.7m w; Spires of deep wine-red tubular flowers from spring to early winter. Tough compact plant, frost tolerant; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Petrea volubilis	Climber; Queen's Wreath; Tropical America; 12m h; Amethyst to deep mauve flowers with lilac calyx lobes. Spectacular cascade of flowers for climbing up a tree or along a fence. Rough leaves. Requires warm conditions; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Moist/Well-drained
Phaseolus caracalla	Climber; Snail Creeper; India; 5m h; Deciduous vine which requires a support. Very fragrant, purple/white/cream flowers, coiled like snails. Heart shaped leaves; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade
Philadelphus 'Natchez'	Shrub; Mock Orange; 2.4 - 3m h x 2.4 - 3m w; Deciduous. Large white flowers on long stalks. Need to cut back after flowering; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Moist/Well-drained
Philadelphus coronarius	Shrub; Mock Orange; Tropical Americas; 3m h x 3m w; Erect rounded shrub. Toothed oval bright green leaves and terminal sprays of fragrant cream flowers. Needs sheltered position; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi- shade; Moist/Well-drained
Phlomis fruticosa	Perennial; Jerusalem Sage; Mediterranean; 2m h x 1.5m w; Evergreen, spreading habit. Whorls of soft yellow hooded flowers; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Phlomis purpurea	Perennial; 1m h x 0.5m w; Unusual mauve flowering variety with soft grey leaves, and rangy stems; Flowers: Spring; Sun; Well-drained; Adaptable
Phlomis russeliana	Perennial; Turkey; 0.9m h x 1.2m w; Cream flowers. Sage green leaves. Good in hot dry areas; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Drought Tolerant
Phygelius x rectus 'African Queen'	Perennial; Cape Figwort; 1.2m h; Upright, dark green leaves. Tubular flowers, upturned at mouth, pale red, lobes orange-red. Frost hardy; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
Phymosia umbellata	Shrub; Mexico; 6m h x 3m w; Rare, evergreen shrub with large maple-like, downy leaves and clusters of crimson, cup-shaped flowers. Tolerates light frosts and suits a partly sheltered spot. Long flowering; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Drought Tolerant
Pieris formosa 'Wakehurst'	Shrub; Asia; 2 - 4m h; Compact evergreen shrub, with leathery dark green leaves and small white, urn-shaped flowers in panicles. Young leaves are bright red; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
Pilea peperomioides	Perennial; Chinese Money Plant; Yunnan; 0.3m h; Very attractive evergreen house-plant, with round dark green leaves. The leaf blade surrounds the stem. Sprays of tiny white flowers. It requires indirect light and good drainage; Semi Shade
Platycodon grandiflorus	Perennial; Balloon Flower; China, Japan; 0.4 - 0.9m h x 0.3m w; Herbaceous. Erect, clump-forming. Blue-green, lance-shaped leaves. Inflated buds open to five-petalled, star-shaped, violet, blue or white flowers; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Moist/Well-drained

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Pleione formosana	Orchid; Himalayan Orchid; E China; Soft mauve petals, frilled white & yellow trumpet. Keep moist in summer; dry in winter. A delicate, stunning species for collectors; Flowers: Spring; Semi Shade; Well-drained
Polygonatum falcatum	Bulb; Solomon's Seal; Japan, Korea; 0.5m h; Graceful arching branches of bell-shaped green-tipped cream flowers hanging beneath the leaves. Berries follow; Flowers: Spring; Semi Shade; Well-drained
Portulacaria afra	Succulent; Common Jade; S Africa; 1m h x 1m w; Small rounded shrub with thick grey-barked stems, twig-like projecting branches. Glossy green leaves. Flowers are an inconspicuous pale pink. Prune to shape to a hedge; Flowers: Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Acidic; Drought Tolerant; Frost
Pulsatilla vulgaris 'Perlen Glocke'	Perennial; 0.3m h; Compact, herbaceous plant with fern-like, grey-green leaves and soft pink bell-shaped flowers with yellow centres. Frost and drought tolerant, once established; Flowers: Spring; Sun; Well-drained
Punica granatum 'Legrelliae'	Shrub; Pomegranate; Mediterranean to Himalayas; 4m h; Ornamental, deciduous, branching shrub; bright green, glossy leaves tinted red in autumn, and large double, salmon-red, white-edged flowers; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Drought Tolerant
Punica granatum 'Wonderful'	Shrub; Pomegranate; 3 - 5m h; Multi-stemmed, deciduous small tree, with large deep purple-red fruit. Flesh is a deep crimson colour and juicy, with softish edible seeds. Long living and very hardy; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Quercus palustris	Tree; Pin Oak; E USA, SE Canada; 15 - 22m h; A large, deciduous feature tree with deeply cut shiny green leaves, turning rich scarlet in autumn. Brown leaves are carried over winter. Conical when young, with ascending upper branches and drooping lower branches; Sun; Well-drained
Quercus pumila	Shrub; SE USA; 0.9m h; Deciduous shrub with grey or black bark, leaves up to 10cm with no teeth or lobes, hairless on surface but reddish-brown hairs beneath; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
Quesnelia arvensis	Bromeliad; Brazil; 0.6m h x 0.3m w; Stiff, spiky dark green leaves lightly banded with silver. Deep pink flower heads putting out numerous violet petals; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Semi Shade; Dry; Frost Tender
Rehmannia elata	Perennial; Chinese Foxglove; China, Japan; 1m h x 1m w; Deep pink spotted foxglove-like flowers. Rich soil. Protected position. Drought tender. Long flower season; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Reineckea carnea	Perennial; China, Japan; 0.2m h x 0.3m w; Prostrate, clump forming dark glossy green strap leaves. Flowers fragrant, very like Muscari, pale to fleshy pink. Fruit scarlet berry. Excellent under deciduous trees; Flowers: Summer; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Rhinacanthus beesianus	Shrub; Yunnan; 2m h; Quite tall shrub with large attractive glossy quilted leaves. Clear white scented flowers, shaped like scalloped shells. Prune after flowering; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Rhodanthemum catananche 'Tizi- n-Test'	Perennial; 0.15m h x 0.4m w; Beautiful little plant from High Atlas Mountains. Tough, drought and frost tolerant, long flowering. Large white daisies red-tinged at the base. Flowers are 10cm above low evergreen domes of silver-grey dissected foliage. Good edging for raised beds; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Well-drained

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Rhododendron 'Bibiani'	Rhododendron; 3m h x 2m w; Dark red waxy bell-shaped flowers. Vigorous plant with an upright compact habit; Flowers: Winter; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-
Rhododendron (Azalea) kurume hybrid (white)	Rhododendron; Japan; 0.6 - 1m h x 0.6 - 1m w; Very adaptable small shrub with spectacular flower displays of small blooms and thin leaves; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Rhododendron (Azalea) luteum	Rhododendron; 1 - 1.5m h; Deciduous; open habit. Bold, heavily fragrant, funnel-shaped yellow blooms. Rich, colourful autumn foliage; Flowers: Spring; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Rhododendron (vireya) 'Bold Janus'	Rhododendron; $2m h \times 1m w$ ; Strong tall plant with dark foliage and apricot flushed with pink flowers; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-
Rhododendron (vireya) 'Bonza'	Rhododendron; 1.5m h; Bushy shrub with lovely bronze foliage on new growth. Bright ruby red flowers; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
Rhododendron (vireya) 'Bush Baby	" Rhododendron; Very low growing, with bright red flowers. Will do well in large containers; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-
Rhododendron (vireya) 'Carrillon Bells'	Rhododendron; Small compact shrub, hybridised by R.M. Withers. Trusses of 2-3 tubular deep pink flowers with pale pink throat; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
Rhododendron (vireya) 'Clare Crouch'	Rhododendron; Medium sized shrub with largish pale pink flowers, 5 or more to a head, and mid green leaves. Long flowering; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Rhododendron (vireya) 'Coral Flare	e' Rhododendron; 1m h x 1m w; Medium sized shrub of spreading habitat with coral pink medium sized flowers, 3-7 in a truss. Suitable when small for hanging baskets; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
Rhododendron (vireya) 'Craig Faragher'	Rhododendron; Small compact plant with pink tubular flowers. Good for hanging baskets; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Rhododendron (vireya) 'Gardenia Odyssey'	Rhododendron; 2m h x 0.8m w; Beautiful large 5-lobed creamy white scented flowers; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Rhododendron (vireya) 'Golden Casket'	Rhododendron; Orange -yellow flowers; Semi Shade; Well-drained
Rhododendron (vireya) 'Great Scent-sation'	Rhododendron; 1m h; Medium shrub. Trusses of 6-10 large fragrant dark pink flowers; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Rhododendron (vireya) 'Highland White Jade'	Rhododendron; 1.5m h x 1.75m w; Cream tubular flowers with slight perfume; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
Rhododendron (vireya) 'Irian Jaya'	Rhododendron; 1.8m h; Deep pink tubular funnel-shaped flowers in trusses of 11-12; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained; Acidic
Rhododendron (vireya) 'La-De-Da'	Rhododendron; 1m h; Compact shrub. Clusters of pale pink flowers; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
Rhododendron (vireya) 'Liberty Bar	r' Rhododendron; (R. viriosum x R. aurigeranum) Tubular brick-red flowers; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained

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Rhododendron (vireya) 'Magenta'	Rhododendron; 1m h; A hardy, bushy, sun-tolerant vireya with masses of perfumed magenta flowers. Reflowers in Autumn; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Rhododendron (vireya) 'Misty'	Rhododendron; 1.5m h; A medium sized bushy shrub, bearing bright-pink flowers with white throats; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-
Rhododendron (vireya) 'Niugini Firebird'	Rhododendron; 0.6m h; (R. laetum x R. javanicum) Tubular funnel-shaped vibrant orange flowers, 8-10 trusses; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Rhododendron (vireya) 'Popcorn'	Rhododendron; 1m h x 0.75m w; Soft off-white flowers on lime green petioles, up to 11 per truss, in numerous compact clusters. Bright light green smallish leaves; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Rhododendron (vireya) 'Red Prince	' Rhododendron; 1m h x 1.5m w; Broad tubular/funnel-shaped flowers, 7-10 in each truss. Very deep pure pink flowers. Open position; Semi Shade; Well-drained; Acidic
Rhododendron (vireya) 'Sarah Ormiston'	Rhododendron; Trusses of mauve-pink blooms; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-
Rhododendron (vireya) 'Sunny'	Rhododendron; 2m h; Cheerful yellow mid-sized flowers; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
Rhododendron (vireya) 'Teddy's Best'	Rhododendron; 1.4m h x 1m w; Many brilliant yellow flowered heads; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
Rhododendron (vireya) 'Tropic Tango'	Rhododendron; 1.5 - 2m h; Strong orange-yellow flowers; Sun; Moist/Well- drained
Rhododendron (vireya) alticola x gracilentum	Rhododendron; Small compact plant with dark green foliage and vibrant magenta flowers. Suitable for pots and hanging baskets; Semi Shade; Well-
Rhododendron (vireya) aurigeranum x zoelleri x aurigeranum	Rhododendron; 1m h x 1m w; Shrub with rich-cream flushed pink fragrant flowers; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
Rhododendron (vireya) christi hybrid	Rhododendron; Medium sized shrub; mid-green rounded leaves, bronze new foliage. Striking flowers have red lips and yellowish green tubes, midsize, 5-6 flowers per stem; Flowers: Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
Rhododendron (vireya) goodenoughii	Rhododendron; PNG; 2m h; Upright shrub with white perfumed trumpet- shaped flowers which are initially held semi-erect in a tight cluster by the bracts; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained;
Rhododendron (vireya) hellwigii hybrid	Rhododendron; 2m h; Stunning upright shrub, with dark green leaves, and large red flowers, up to 6 in the truss; Flowers: Spring; Semi Shade; Well-
Rhododendron (vireya) herzogii x Iowii	Rhododendron; 2m h x 1.5m w; Flowers are pale yellow and tubular; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Semi Shade; Well-drained
Rhododendron (vireya) laetum x christianae	Rhododendron; Tubular flowers have orange petals with yellow centres; Semi Shade; Well-drained
Rhododendron (vireya) Iuraluense x inundatum	Rhododendron; Small shrub with mid-green foliage and perfumed white flowers; Semi Shade; Well-drained

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Rhododendron (vireya) tuba	Rhododendron; PNG; 1.2 - 1.8m h; Fragrant, tropical evergreen shrub, with long tubular, flared white flowers with pink outer colour in base of the tube; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Rhododendron (vireya) viriosum	Rhododendron; N Qld; 1.5m h; Bright red waxy mid-size bells, approx. 6 per truss. Rich green foliage. Lovely Australian native shrub (Formerly R lochiae); Flowers: Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Rhododendron (vireya) viriosum x macgregoriae	Rhododendron; Flowers have orange petals fading to yellow tubes. (Previously called Rh (v) lochiae x macgregoriae); Sun/Semi-shade; Well-
Rondeletia amoena	Shrub; C America; 3m h x 2m w; (syn. Rogiera amoena) Evergreen. Dense clusters of tubular salmon-pink fragrant flowers. Handsome, leathery leaves, bronze when young. Protected position; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Frost Tender
Rosa chinensis 'Ten Thousand Lights'	Shrub; China; Slow growing to a rounded bush. Deep pink-red petals, deeper on the edges, and a complex, fruity perfume. Good in cool climates. Flowers throughout the year; Sun; Moist/Well-drained
Rosmarinus officinalis 'Albus'	Herb; S Europe & N Africa; 0.4m h; Aromatic evergreen shrub with linear leaves and white flowers in whorled short racemes; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun; Well-drained
Rosmarinus officinalis 'Blue Lagoor	n'Herb; Mediterranean; 0.4m h; Semi prostrate form of the culinary herb. Blue- mauve flowers; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun; Dry
Rosmarinus officinalis 'Boule'	Herb; S France; 0.6m h x 0.6m w; Typical rosemary plant. It grows in a tight dense mound, of grey-green narrow leaves with medium blue flowers. Good in pots; Flowers: Winter; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Rosmarinus officinalis 'Prostratus'	Herb; Prostrate Rosemary; Mediterranean; 0.15m h; Low growing evergreen shrub with mauve flowers; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Well-drained
Rosmarinus officinalis 'Tuscan Blue	e'Herb; 1.5m h x 0.8m w; Upright plant, bearing dark blue flowers. Good for hedging, clip after flowering; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Rotheca myricoides 'Ugandense'	Shrub; E Africa; 3m h x 3m w; (syn. Clerodendrum ugandense) Evergreen open arching bush. Butterfly-shaped, two-toned blue flowers with long stamens. Long flowering. Prune late winter to keep compact. Light frost tolerance; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade
Rothmannia globosa	Tree; Tree Gardenia; S Africa; 3 - 4m h x 2 - 3.5m w; Evergreen small tree with white to ivory, narrow, bell-shaped, strongly scented flowers. Dark green leaves with pale veins. Sheltered position; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Moist/Well-drained; Acidic; Frost Tender
Rudbeckia fulgida	Perennial; NE America; 0.6 - 1.2m h; Herbaceous, clump-forming daisy with golden yellow and brown centred flowers. Excellent cut flower; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Well-drained
Rudbeckia laciniata	Perennial; Cut-leaf Coneflower; N America; 1 - 2m h; Large yellow daisy-like flowers with greeny yellow centres; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun; Well-

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Rudbeckia nitida 'Herbstsonne'	Perennial; 1 - 2m h; Herbaceous. Gold daisy-like flowers with a central green knob. Moderately fertile, heavy but well-drained soil: do not allow to dry out; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun; Well-drained
Ruellia makoyana	Perennial; Brazil; 0.3 - 0.6m h; Evergreen plant with attractive white-veined velvety leaves, purple beneath, and trumpet-shaped pink flowers. A good groundcover for dry shade. Suitable for pots; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Semi Shade; Well-drained; Frost Tender
Ruta graveolens	Herb; Rue; SE Europe; 1m h x 1m w; Bushy sprawling sub shrub. Aromatic bluish-green foliage. Clusters of mustard-yellow, fringed four-petalled flowers. Moderately frost tolerant; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Well-drained
Salvia 'African Sky'	Perennial; 0.9m h x 0.9m w; Rugose leaved with mid dusty-blue flowers over a long period. Extremely hardy to heat and dry. Tolerates light frost. Adaptable to most soils; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well- drained; Drought Tolerant
Salvia 'Black Knight'	Perennial; 2m h x 1.5m w; Cultivar of S. guaranitica. Intense dark blue- purple spires of flowers. Dies back in frost. Prune in spring. Neutral to alkaline soils; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun; Well-drained
Salvia 'Cardinal'	Perennial; 0.6m h x 0.9m w; Small shrubby form with rich cardinal-purple flowers; Flowers: Spring to Autumn; Sun; Well-drained
Salvia 'Christine Yeo'	Perennial; 0.6m h x 0.6m w; Compact plant, forming a large clump of erect stems, bearing small, aromatic leaves and terminal spikes of purple flowers with white eyes. Good for borders or containers and cut flowers; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Moist/Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Salvia 'Meigan's Magic'	Perennial; 0.8m h x 0.7m w; Fragrant white flowers, enveloped by a purple calyx, and grey-green foliage; Flowers: Spring to Autumn; Semi Shade; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Salvia 'Phyllis Fancy'	Perennial; California; 2m h x 1.5m w; Arching shrub with long purple spikes of light lavender flowers, each held in a purple calyx. Useful as bird and bee attractant; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Salvia corrugata	Perennial; Ecuador; 1.5 - 2m h x 1.8m w; Attractive corrugated leaves with rich royal-blue flowers. Neutral to alkaline soils; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Frost Tender
Salvia discolor	Perennial; Andean Sage; Peru; 0.5 - 1m h x 1m w; Purple/black flowers in green calyx. Underside of leaves and stems are silver. Neutral to alkaline soils; Semi Shade; Well-drained; Frost Tender
Salvia fruticosa 'Greek Skies'	Herb; Greek Sage; 1.2m h x 1m w; Soft sage-coloured hairy leaves, lavender scented. Mauve flowers. Neutral to alkaline soils; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Well-drained
Salvia gesneriiflora 'Coral Delight'	Perennial; 3m h; Tall, upright form with a dense, bushy, growth habit. White centred coral-coloured flowers. Leaves and stems slightly hairy. Light frost tolerance; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained

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Salvia greggii 'Alba'	Perennial; White Texas Sage; SW USA; 0.5 - 1m h x 0.5 - 1m w; Upright stemmed plant, slightly woody at the base. Fresh oval green leaves and pure white tubular flowers. Tolerates light frosts; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Salvia greggii 'Crimson and Black'	Perennial; S America; 0.8m h x 0.7m w; Small evergreen shrub with pretty vibrant-red flowers with black sepals. Prune after flowering; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Salvia involucrata 'Bethelii'	Perennial; 1 - 1.2m h x 1m w; Terminal whorled spikes of tubular rosy crimson flowers. Leaves oval to heart-shaped. Vigorous. Neutral to alkaline soils; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Drought
Salvia involucrata 'Romantic Rose'	Perennial; 1.5 - 2.2m h x 1.8 - 2m w; (syn. S. involucrata x S. karwinskii) Tall, loose shrubby perennial, ideal as a screening plant. Fragrant, wide tubular flowers, bright cerise to rose on densely packed stems. Withstands heat, some dryness. Prune spent stems to prolong flowering; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Salvia iodantha	Perennial; C Mexico; 3 - 4m h x 1 - 2m w; Robust form. Sprays of cerise flowers. Protected position, ideally needs support from a large shrub or tree. Neutral to alkaline soils; Flowers: Winter; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained;
Salvia karwinskii	Perennial; 2m h x 1m w; Coral-pink terminal flowers on soft velvet canes. Well drained to dry soil. Suitable for shrubbery background; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Dry; Drought Tolerant; Frost Tender
Salvia lanceolata	Perennial; S Africa; 1m h x 1m w; Much branched shrubby plant, with evergreen, thick textured dove grey leaves. Unusual dull rose-pink flowers; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun; Well-drained
Salvia leucantha 'Harry's Red'	Perennial; 1m h; Attractive, soft green foliage with felted, bright purple-red flowers. Long flowering. Prune hard late Winter; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Salvia leucantha 'White Velour'	Perennial; 1m h; Silvery-green foliage with showy long stems of velvety white flowers. Long flowering. Prune hard in late Winter; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Salvia mexicana 'Costa Rica	Perennial; Mexican Sage; Mexico; 1 - 3m h x 1 - 1.3m w; Blue to violet or purple flowers. Prune in Spring; Flowers: Winter; Sun; Well-drained; Frost
Salvia microphylla 'Sensation'	Perennial; 0.8 - 1m h; Apricot flowers over a long period. Recommended for hot, humid spots in the garden; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Drought
Salvia muirii	Perennial; S Africa; 0.75m h x 0.75m w; Small twiggy evergreen. Leathery grey/green leaves. Blue flowers with white markings on lower lip. Flowers most of the year. Prefers sandy soils; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Salvia officinalis 'Purpurascens'	Herb; Purple Sage; 0.7m h x 0.5m w; Purplish green aromatic wrinkled leaves. Alkaline or limestone soils. Purple-blue flowers 2cm long in terminal racemes; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Drought
Salvia officinalis 'Tricolor'	Herb; Common Sage Tricolor; $0.5 - 1m h \ge 0.5 - 1m w$ ; Spreading evergreen sub-shrub with oblong grey-green leaves variegated with cream and flushed with purple on the youngest growth; light blue flowers; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Well-drained

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Salvia officinalis 'Variegata'	Herb; 0.5m h x 0.6m w; (syn. S. officinalis 'Icterina') Evergreen or semi- evergreen bushy shrub. Aromatic, grey-green leaves variegated with pale green and yellow. Occasionally bears small spikes of tubular, purplish flowers; Sun; Well-drained
Salvia sagittata	Perennial; Mexico S America; 0.9m h x 0.6m w; Herbaceous plant with arrow-shaped leaves, black wiry stems and attractive royal blue flowers. Prefers a protected position. Prune after flowering. Frost tolerant; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Semi Shade; Well-drained
Salvia yangii 'Little Spire'	Perennial; Russian Sage; 0.6m h; (syn. Perovskia atriplicifolia) Aromatic, grey-green downy leaves. Small lavender-blue flowers in tall panicles. Prune back hard early spring; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun; Well-drained
Sambucus nigra 'Marginata'	Shrub; Black Elder; Europe & W Asia; 2 - 4m h x 2m w; Vigorous upright, erect deciduous shrub with dark green ferny, pinnate leaves with yellow margins that fade to white. Large clusters of scented white flowers; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Moist
Sansevieria trifascianta	Succulent; 0.6 - 1m h; Upright, bladed foliage in shades of green with mottled or streaked colouring and creamy yellow edges. Perfect for pots. Allow to dry out between watering. Prefers indirect bright light. White flowers occasionally appear on tall stalks in Spring; Well-drained
Santolina chamaecyparissus	Perennial; Cotton Lavender; Spain, N Africa; 0.2 - 0.5m h x 0.6 - 0.9m w; Aromatic, silver, cypress-like leaves. Yellow button flowers. Excellent dried flowers; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Santolina rosmarinifolia	Perennial; S Europe; 0.6m h x 0.4m w; (syn. S. virens) Aromatic bright green fine foliage. Yellow button flowers. Good as low hedge; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Satureja montana 'Procumbens'	Herb; Winter Savory; 0.1m h x 0.4m w; Creeping, mat-forming, perennial herb with bright green leaves and white flowers. Excellent for rockeries. Attracts bees; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun; Adaptable; Drought Tolerant
Sedum pachyphyllum	Succulent; Mexico; Cylindrical blue-green leaves may be red tipped in cold weather. Yellow flowers in Spring; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Sedum rubrotinctum	Succulent; Mexico; Leaves elliptic. Yellow star-shaped flowers, often suffused, red and crowded; Flowers: Spring; Sun; Well-drained
Senecio 'Elkhorns'	Succulent; Upright silver-grey leaves like chalk sticks; Sun/Semi-shade; Well- drained
Senecio amaniensis	Succulent; 0.4m h; Spoon-shaped leaves flushed deep pink in winter. Orange red daisy-like flowers in Summer; Sun; Well-drained
Senecio barbetonicus	Succulent; S Africa; 0.5 - 1.8m h; Luminous lime green needle-like foliage. Fragrant yellow flowers from Winter to Spring; Sun; Well-drained
Senecio cineraria 'Cirrus'	Perennial; 1m h x 0.9m w; Small evergreen shrub with silver white felted leaves. Small yellow flowers. Good bedding plant; Sun; Drought Tolerant
Senecio cineraria ssp cineraria	Perennial; Mediterranean; Evergreen white woolly leaves. Small insignificant flowers. Excellent foliage plant; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Well-

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Senecio radicans	Succulent; String of Bananas; S Africa; 0.5m h; Mat forming with prostrate, rooting stems and cylindrical, straight or slightly curved fleshy, glaucous, mid-green leaves to 2.5cm long, each with a darker stripe down middle. Solitary white flowers borne sporadically throughout the year; Semi Shade; Dry; Drought Tolerant; Frost Tender
Senecio viravira	Perennial; Argentina; 0.6m h x 1m w; Deeply pinnate silvery white leaves. Small pale-yellow flowers. Prune after flowering. Butterfly attractant; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Silene uniflora	Perennial; Coasts of Atlantic Ocean; 0.2m h; Woody-based, mat-forming plant. Fleshy grey-green leaves. Flowers in short stems, like white carnations. Suits informal planting; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Dry
Spiraea blumei	Shrub; Japan, Korea; 1.5m h; Semi-evergreen. Leaves pale blue-green veined underneath. Masses of white flowers in Spring; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Spiraea japonica 'Anthony Waterei	r' Shrub; Japanese Spiraea; 0.6 - 1m h x 0.6 - 1m w; (S. x bumalda) Upright, semi-deciduous shrub with lanceolate leaves, sometimes variegated, and domed clusters of deep rosy-pink flowers; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Streptocarpus caulescens	Perennial; Nodding Violet; Tanzania, Kenya; 0.1 - 0.3m h x 0.1 - 0.3m w; Fleshy perennial with soft hairy leaves, bears tubular blue-mauve flowers throughout the year. Protected position. Good for hanging baskets and indoors; Semi Shade; Well-drained; Frost Tender
Streptocarpus hybrid (blue)	Perennial; Cape Primrose; 0.2m h x 0.2m w; Tubular blue flowers. Medium soil. Protected position. Drought tender; Flowers: Autumn; Semi Shade; Well-drained; Frost Tender
Streptocarpus hybrid (pink)	Perennial; Cape Primrose; Ideal pot plant for indoors or outdoors. Repot annually. Flowers for months; Well-drained
Streptosolen jamesonii	Shrub; Marmalade Bush; S America; 2m h x 1.2m w; Evergreen. Oval, finely corrugated leaves. Clusters of bright orange and yellow flowers; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant; Frost Tender
Strobilanthes anisophylla	Shrub; Goldfussia; NE India; 1m h x 1m w; Evergreen. Pale bluish mauve flowers. Deep purple narrow leaves. Rich, moist soil. Drought tender; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist; Frost Tender
Strobilanthes lanatus	Shrub; SE Asia; 1.5m h x 1.5m w; (formerly S. gossypinus) Decorative silvery grey velvet leaves with bronze haze. Mauve flowers, but rarely in Melbourne. Dies after flowering; Sun/Semi-shade; Frost Tender
Succisa pratensis 'Derby Blue'	Perennial; Blue Buttons; Europe/W Asia; 0.15 - 0.3m h x 0.15 - 0.3m w; Rosette-forming, rhizomatous perennial with thin hairy stems and elliptical leaves, bearing pincushion-like violet flowerheads; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist
Teucrium fruticans	Shrub; Mediterranean; 1.5m h; Grey/green aromatic leaves; white underneath. Small, pretty, lavender/blue flowers. Excellent for a fast growing hedge. Prune to maintain a dense habit; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant

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Teucrium marum	Perennial; Cat Thyme; Spain; 0.3m h x 0.3m w; Rosy mauve flowers on one- sided spikes. Small scented grey foliage. Open position. Frost resistant. Favoured by cats; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Well-drained; Drought
Teucrium scorodonia	Perennial; Wood Sage; Europe; 0.3 - 0.6m h; Hairy shrub with erect branched stems, carrying irregularly toothed, slightly crinkled, leaves. The pale green or yellowish flowers bearing 4 stamens with reddish or violet filaments, grow in the axils of the upper leaves; Flowers: Summer;
Teucrium scorodonia 'Crispum'	Perennial; Mediterranean to W Asia; 0.3m h; Groundcover. Attractive apple- green leaves crimped with frilly edges. Spikes of cream flowers; Flowers: Summer; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Themeda triandra 'True Blue'	Perennial; Kangaroo Grass; 0.4m h x 0.75m w; Evergreen. Tussock-like grass with blue-green foliage and reddish-brown flowering spikelets, 1.5m high. Can be pruned back hard, periodically; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Thunbergia natalensis	Shrub; S Africa; 0.6m h x 0.6m w; Herbaceous. Sky-blue open flowers. Clumping form; Flowers: Summer; Sun
Thymus 'Coccineus'	Herb; Red Creeping Wild Thyme; 0.1m h x 0.3m w; Flat growing woody evergreen herb that can tolerate walking on. Has deep pink/magenta flowers and dark green fragrant leaves; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Thymus 'Westmoreland'	Herb; Turkey Thyme; 0.25m h; An Edna Walling favourite. Vigorous. Very fragrant green leaves. Lavender-pink flowers; Flowers: Spring; Sun; Well-
Thymus nitidus	Herb; Orange Peel Thyme; S Europe; 0.05m h x 0.2 - 0.3m w; Attractive evergreen, low shrub or groundcover, with small ovate, matting green leaves, and an intensely spicy, orange fragrance; Flowers: Summer; Sun;
Thymus serpyllum	Herb; Lawn Thyme; 0.1m h; Tiny lavender flowers cover the fragrant foliage; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
Thymus serpyllum 'Alba'	Herb; Thyme; Flat growing evergreen herb. It has white flowers and fragrant green leaves. Cut back after flowering; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Well-drained
Thymus vulgaris 'Jekka'	Herb; 0.1m h x 0.5m w; Pale purple-pink flowering thyme, bred by Jekka McVicker. Cut back after flowering; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Well-drained
Thymus x citriodorus	Herb; Lemon Thyme; 0.15 - 0.3m h; Lemon scented evergreen small perennial plant. Low-spreading habit with lance-shaped dark green leaves. Clusters of lavender-pink flowers; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Well-drained;
Thymus x citriodorus 'Fragrantissimus'	Herb; 0.3m h; Upright, slender perennial. Leaves grey/green, orange- scented. Flowers pale pink on white. Ideal for troughs, paving, banks or rock gardens; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Moist/Well-drained
Tibouchina cv (white)	Shrub; 2 - 3m h; Evergreen shrub with ovate leathery leaves. Saucer to cup- shaped white flowers, tinged pink; Flowers: Spring; Sun; Moist/Well-drained; Frost Tender
Tibouchina urvilleana 'Edwardsii'	Shrub; Lasiandra; 2m h; Compact slower growing cultivar of species, forming a well-branched shrub. Produces consistent open petalled, silky, deep violet flowers; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained

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Tillandsia albertiana	Bromeliad; NW Argentina; 0.1m h; Evergreen epiphyte. Easy to grow clump- forming species producing short, slender, leathery leaves and single, vibrant red flowers; Flowers: Summer; Semi Shade; Frost Tender
Tillandsia multicaulis	Bromeliad; C America, Mexico; 0.4m h; This epiphytic species has medium green leaves arranged in rosettes. Multiple spikes produce orange bracts with purple petals and greenish-white sepals; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Semi
Trachelospermum asiaticum	Climber; Japan/Korea; Evergreen groundcover or climber, with dark glossy green leaves and fragrant yellow-white star-like flowers. Ideal to cover walls or fences. Hardy; Flowers: Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Drought
Trachelospermum jasminoides	Climber; Star Jasmine; India to Japan; 7.5m h; Woody evergreen. Provides excellent green cover. Dark green leaves. Fragrant star-shaped, white flowers. Can be pruned to a shrub; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-
Trachelospermum jasminoides (prostrate form)	Climber; China; Dark shining green leaves, with crinkled edges. Small white flowers. Good highly fragrant ground cover; Flowers: Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Tricyrtis 'Empress'	Perennial; 0.6m h x 0.4m w; Speckled orchid-like flowers on upright stems. Glossy foliage. Excellent for shaded borders and woodland gardens; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
Vancouveria hexandra	Perennial; USA; 0.1 - 0.4m h; Slow growing, understory, semi-deciduous groundcover. Leaves emerge bright green and darken with age. Its white, inverted umbrella shaped blooms dangle on wiry stems. It forms a lacy carpet; Flowers: Spring; Shade; Moist
Veltheimia bracteata	Bulb; Veldt Lily; S Africa; 0.35m h; Semi-evergreen. Spikes of green tipped rosy bells. Large shining leaves. Light frost tolerance; Flowers: Winter/Spring;
Veronica topiaria	Shrub; Topiarist's Hebe; NZ; 1m h x 1m w; Evergreen, neat, tight shrub, looks clipped. Grey-green small oval leaves and short racemes of white flowers. Nice low hedge. Suitable for containers; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Well-drained
Viburnum carlesii 'Nanum'	Shrub; 1m h; Deciduous, compact shrub, with pink buds opening to white sweetly scented flowers in dense clusters; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
Vriesea guttata	Bromeliad; Brazil; 0.2m h x 0.2m w; A long pendulous pink flower bract (300mm), blood-red/rusty brown mottles form horizontal markings on the leaves. Ideal for hanging baskets; Flowers: Spring; Shade; Well-drained
Weigela (Lemoine hybrid, white)	Shrub; 2m h x 2m w; Deciduous. White flowers. Prune out some old branches after flowering to maintain vigour. Rarely cultivated variety; Flowers: Spring; Sun; Moist/Well-drained
Weigela coraeensis	Shrub; Japanese Weigela; Japan; 3 - 4m h x 3m w; A spectacular, rarely seen Weigela with deciduous fresh green leaves. The slightly fragrant flowers open white, turning dusty pink to wine red. Easy to grow and quite vigorous, but can be pruned; Flowers: Summer; Sun/Semi-shade;
Weigela florida 'Bristol Ruby'	Shrub; 2 - $3m h \times 1.5m w$ ; Deciduous, medium rich-green shrub, with erect rounded habit and fragrant, tubular ruby-red, long-lasting flowers. Good for cutting; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained

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Weigela florida (light pink)	Shrub; Deciduous. Funnel shaped light pink flowers. Prune after flowering to maintain vigour; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Well-drained
x Gasteraloe 'Cosmo'	Succulent; 0.3m h; Slow growing plant with rich green, speckled leaves growing in a dense rosette. The flowers are cylindrical, orange-red and appear on a spike-shaped inflorescence. If indoors, place in a well-lit spot; Semi Shade; Well-drained
X Graptophytum 'Supreme'	Succulent; (Graptopetalum x Pachyphytum) Small rosette forming plant, semi-cup shaped and not always spotted; Sun; Well-drained
X Graptosedum 'Bronze'	Succulent; 0.3m h x 0.3m w; (Graptophyllum x Sedum) Slow spreading succulent with hot chocolate-coloured fleshy leaves, which often root along the stems. Inconspicuous yellow flowers in Summer; Sun; Well-drained
X Graptoveria 'David Cumming'	Succulent; Rosettes up to 18cm wide. Variable leaf colour of green, light yellow, to pink. Flowers are white to cream, flushed pink. A prolific grower; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Well-drained
X Pachyveria 'Chunky'	Succulent; (Pachyphytum x Echeveria) large broad-leaved hybrid, with grey- pink chunky leaves. Stems like shepherd's crook have hanging pink-yellow bells. Rosettes up to 20cm; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
X Pachyveria clavifolia	Succulent; 0.15m h; (Pachyphytum x Echeveria) Upright plant with elongated grey leaves, spiralling densely around the stem. Offsets readily form dense clumps. Orange/pink bells hang off hooked stems; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
Yucca desmetiana	Succulent; 1.2m h x 1.5m w; Graceful and hardy accent plant, with soft broad leaves, which emerge grey and mature to a burgundy colour. Usually a single stem rosette when young, and multi-trunked with age; Sun/Semi- shade; Well-drained
Zapoteca portoricensis	Shrub; Snow-flake; W Indies & C America; 5m h x 3m w; (syn. Calliandra). Shrub or small tree with slender branches and fragrant cream-coloured flowers like small snowballs; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun; Well-drained