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Plant Source:

Australian

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<i>Alyogyne huegelii</i> 'West Coast	Shrub; Lilac Hibiscus; 2m h x 1.5m w; Evergreen. This native hibiscus has large, deep mauve open flowers all year, particularly Spring-Autumn. Hardy to moderate frosts. Prune to keep shapely; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
<i>Alyogyne huegelii</i> (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; Drought Tolerant
<i>Asplenium bulbiferum</i>	Fern; Hen & Chicken Fern; 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
<i>Boronia muelleri</i>	Shrub; Forest Boronia; NSW & Vic; 0.5 - 6m h x 0.5 - 3m w; A dwarf to tall shrub with many branches and small sweetly scented green to bronze leaves. Open petalled, profuse, white to pale pink flowers, about 1.5cm big, borne in terminal clusters; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Brachychiton acerifolius</i>	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 but prefers good drainage when young; Sun; Well-drained
<i>Callistemon kenmorrissonii</i>	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; Drought Tolerant
<i>Callistemon wimmerensis</i>	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
<i>Calothamnus gilesii</i>	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
<i>Calothamnus homalophyllus</i>	Shrub; Murchison Claw-flower; WA; 2 - 4m h x 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
<i>Calytrix tetragona</i>	Shrub; Fringe Myrtle; Australia; 1 - 2m h x 1 - 2m w; (syn. <i>Calytrix sullivanii</i>) 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
<i>Chamelaucium uncinatum</i> (large flower form)	Shrub; Geraldton Wax; WA; Small to medium shrub with showy open five petalled pink flowers of waxy texture; Flowers: Spring; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
<i>Cissus antarctica</i>	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; Shade; Moist
<i>Cordyline petiolaris</i>	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; Well-drained

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<i>Correa 'Marian's Marvel'</i>	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-drained
<i>Correa alba var pannosa</i>	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
<i>Correa glabra 'Gold Tips'</i>	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-drained
<i>Correa pulchella 'Annie's Delight'</i>	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
<i>Correa reflexa (Kangaroo Island form)</i>	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
<i>Correa reflexa var. nummularifolia</i>	Shrub; Southern Australia; 0.3 - 0.5m h x 1m w; Low spreading ground cover. Pale green/white tubular flowers, autumn-spring. Excellent coastal, frost hardy shrub. Attracts birds; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
<i>Crowea 'Poorinda Ecstasy'</i>	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 Tolerant
<i>Crowea exalata 'Southern Star'</i>	Shrub; 0.6m h x 0.6m w; Small rounded shrub with masses of small star shaped pink flowers; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
<i>Cyphanthera anthocercidea</i>	Shrub; Vic; (syn. Anthocercis frondosa) Beautiful pendulous shrub, with hairy, glaucous, elliptical to ovate leaves. White to yellowish flowers; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
<i>Darwinia citriodora (prostrate)</i>	Shrub; WA; 0.1 - 0.6m h; Low mounding shrub with orange-red lanterns, attractive to honeyeaters and native bees. Silvery green dense aromatic foliage. Good for coastal gardens; Flowers: Spring; Sun; Well-drained
<i>Dendrobium 'Bardo Rose'</i>	Orchid; Bardo Rose; Australia; (One of the earliest registered hybrids D. falcorostrum x D. 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
<i>Dendrobium 'Como'</i>	Orchid; Rock Orchid; Australia; Small pale mauve flowers; Flowers: Spring; Semi Shade; Well-drained
<i>Dendrobium kingianum '(Yonda x Ellen) X Aussie Bonanza'</i>	Orchid; Upright racemes of white/mauve flowers in late Winter/Spring. Keep dry in winter; Semi Shade; Well-drained
<i>Dodonaea boroniifolia</i>	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

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<i>Epacris impressa</i>	Shrub; Common Heath; E Australia; 1m h; Floral emblem of State of Victoria. Frost tolerant. White to pink or red flowers most of the year, especially winter. Short red-tipped leaves. Bird attractive. Plant in groups of 3-5; Flowers: Winter; Semi Shade; Well-drained
<i>Eucalyptus forrestiana</i>	Tree; WA; 2 - 5m h; Bright red bud caps and yellow flowers, December-May. The fruit/gum nuts are very conspicuous, maturing from green to red. Tolerates drought, frost and some water logging. Only grows to shrub size in Melbourne
<i>Eupomatia laurina</i>	Tree; Native Guava; E Australia; 4 - 6m h x 2 - 4m w; Small, evergreen tree. Very fragrant white flowers with sweet edible fruit. Glossy copper foliage winter/spring. Drought tender. Needs pruning to keep shapely; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Frost Tender
<i>Gastrolobium praemorsum</i> 'Bronze Butterfly'	Shrub; SW Australia; 0.5m h; Prostrate ground cover, creeper or small shrub. Oval leaves with truncated tips, dark green above and silky underneath. Red pea flowers from Winter to Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
<i>Goodenia hederacea</i> ssp. <i>alpestris</i>	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
<i>Goodenia macmillanii</i>	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
<i>Graptophyllum excelsum</i>	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
<i>Grevillea</i> 'John Evans'	Shrub; 1 - 1.5m h; Low rounded shrub with compact narrow foliage. Profuse, vibrant, red and cream flowers; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun; Well-drained
<i>Grevillea</i> 'Tuckers Dwarf'	Shrub; NSW; 0.6m h x 2m w; Groundcover shrub with lush green foliage and masses of cerise pink and cream spider-like flowers; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
<i>Grevillea aquifolium</i>	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
<i>Grevillea australis</i>	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
<i>Grevillea bedgoodiana</i>	Shrub; Enfield Grevillea; SE Australia; 0.5m h x 1 - 2m w; Dwarf spreading shrub, hairy young growth. Holly-like green leaves, glabrous above, pale below. Reddish flowers, sometimes profuse, often not very conspicuous; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
<i>Grevillea brevifolia</i>	Shrub; Cobberas Grevillea; Vic; 0.5 - 2.5m h x 2 - 3.5m w; A rare and threatened sub-alpine species. Moderately dense shrub with glabrous, glossy, elliptical leaves, and terminal, simple, recurved red flowers; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained

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<i>Grevillea jephcottii</i>	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
<i>Grevillea lavandulacea 'Tanunda'</i>	Shrub; 1m h x 1 - 2m w; Beautiful compact grey foliage shrub with striking brilliant pinkish-red flower-heads. Attracts birds and good in tubs or small gardens; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Acidic; Drought Tolerant
<i>Grevillea rosmarinifolia</i>	Shrub; Rosemary Grevillea; NSW Vic; 2.5m h x 2m w; Small pink, red, cream flowers at ends of stems of small spikey (not prickly) mid-green leaves Tolerates dryness & moderate frost; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Acidic
<i>Grevillea victoriae subsp.nivalis</i>	Shrub; Mt Kosciuszko; 0.2 - 4m h; Dwarf to medium shrub with grey-green lanceolate leaves and pendent clusters of red spider-like flowers with yellow tipped anthers; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
<i>Hakea bucculenta</i>	Shrub; Red Pokers; WA; 4m h x 2m w; Erect shrub with sharp linear leaves and tapered spikes of red flowers 15cm long on old wood; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun; Well-drained
<i>Hakea pycnoneura</i>	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
<i>Hardenbergia violacea</i>	Climber; Purple Coral Pea; E Australia; Hardy vigorous climber or ground cover, profuse racemes of purple flowers with spotted yellow or green at centre, leathery leaves; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun; Well-drained
<i>Hardenbergia violacea (pink form)</i>	Climber; E Australia; Hardy, vigorous climber, with racemes of pink flowers and leathery leaves; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun; Well-drained
<i>Hibbertia truncata</i>	Shrub; Vic; 0.2 - 0.3m h x 0.5 - 1.5m w; Ground cover, can be a climber. Showy, coastal plant with small yellow flowers. Tolerates moderate frosts. Lime tolerant; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
<i>Hibiscus insularis</i>	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
<i>Hoya australis</i>	Climber; The Wax Flower; N Australia; 6m h; A hardy, evergreen climber with long twining stems of fleshy glabrous leaves, bearing spectacular round clusters of sweetly scented, white, waxy flowers. Can be grown indoors in a well-lit area. Light frost tolerance; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
<i>Kunzea baxteri</i>	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
<i>Kunzea parvifolia</i>	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

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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

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 spectabile

Shrub; CE NSW; 1.5 - 3m h x 1 - 2m w; Profuse and conspicuous dark red flowers followed by large seed capsules. Hardy to moderate frosts. Flowers have a long vase life; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant

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

Lysiosepalum involucreatum

Shrub; S WA; 1m h x 1m w; Compact, bushy plant with pink/mauve flowers. May be pot grown and is frost hardy; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant

Maytenus bilocularis

Tree; Orangebark; E Australia; 10m h; Large shrub to small tree with glossy, toothed, dark green leaves; reddish new growth. Small green-white flowers in Spring are followed by yellow capsules. Very hardy but slow growing; a good screen plant that can be pruned; Semi Shade; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant

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. Needs summer water; bird attracting; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant; Frost Tender

Melastoma affine

Shrub; Native Lasiandra; SE Asia & Tropical Australia; 0.5 - 3m h; Rounded shrub of variable height. Large mauve-purple flowers on the ends of branchlets. Prune regularly; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Moist

Microsorium scandens

Fern; Fragrant Fern; Aus. NZ; Attractive, rhizomatous, creeping or climbing fern with fronds 20-50cm long. Leaf form changes as it matures. Can be trained over rocks, logs, tree trunks and excellent for hanging baskets and pots; Shade; Moist

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

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<i>Olearia astroloba</i>	Shrub; Southern Australia; 0.4 - 1m h x 1m w; Profuse clusters of blue flowers. A very rare species recently described (1989). Prefers sun or semi-shade, good drainage and is tolerant of very heavy frosts; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
<i>Olearia glutinosa</i>	Shrub; Sticky Daisy Bush; SE Aus; 2m h; Dense, narrow leaves with white to pale pink daisy-like flowers. Resistant to salt spray. Prune after flowering; Flowers: Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
<i>Olearia homolepis (mauve flowers)</i>	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
<i>Olearia panosa ssp cardiophylla</i>	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
<i>Orthrosanthus multiflorus</i>	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
<i>Ozothamnus argophyllus</i>	Shrub; Spicy Everlasting; E NSW, E Vic; 1 - 2.5m h; (syn. <i>Helichrysum argophyllum</i>) Aromatic shrub leaves green on upper surface and white felt-like beneath. Flower heads of creamy white daisy-like florets at the ends of branches; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Pomaderris adnata</i>	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-drained
<i>Prostanthera rotundifolia</i>	Shrub; Mint Bush; SE Australia; 1 - 2m h; Evergreen, upright plant with small, ovate, aromatic leaves and short, loose racemes of lilac/violet flowers, occasionally white or pink; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
<i>Prostanthera walteri</i>	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
<i>Prumnopitys ladei</i>	Tree; Mt Spurgeon Black Pine; NE Qld; 10m h; Attractive yew-like foliage, smooth brown bark, tinged red. Purple fruit. Rare. Needs good drainage. Excellent foliage plant for pot culture. Slow growing; Semi Shade
<i>Scaevola aemula 'Fan Dancer'</i>	Perennial; 0.5m h x 1m w; An excellent ground cover and basket plant. Purple/blue flowers; Flowers: Spring to Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Acidic
<i>Stenocarpus sinuatus</i>	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-drained
<i>Thomasia petalocalyx</i>	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
<i>Tristaniopsis laurina</i>	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

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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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<i>Abelia floribunda</i>	Shrub; Mexico; 1.8m h x 1.5m w; Evergreen medium shrub with arching cane-like branches that bear small green leaves and clusters of tubular, rose-coloured flowers. Likes a sheltered position; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Abelia x grandiflora 'Francis Mason'</i>	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
<i>Abeliophyllum distichum</i>	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-drained
<i>Abutilon 'Boule de Neige'</i>	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
<i>Abutilon 'Halo'</i>	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
<i>Abutilon 'Sydney Belle'</i>	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
<i>Abutilon cv (pink)</i>	Shrub; Chinese lantern; 2m h; Pale pink bell-shaped flowers Spring-Autumn; Sun; Well-drained
<i>Abutilon megapotamicum</i>	Shrub; Brazil; 0.3 - 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; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Abutilon x milleri</i>	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; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Aechmea 'Burgundy'</i>	Bromeliad; 0.8m h; A large, graceful rosette with dark, waxy, burgundy coloured leaves, which 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
<i>Aechmea 'Fosters Favourite'</i>	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
<i>Aechmea distichantha hybrids</i>	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
<i>Aechmea fasciata</i>	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; Drought Tolerant

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<i>Aechmea gamosepala</i>	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; Frost Tender
<i>Aechmea gamosepala (variegated)</i>	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
<i>Aechmea pineliana</i>	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
<i>Aechmea racinae</i>	Bromeliad; Brazil; 0.3m h; Epiphyte. Small rosette; soft glossy green leaves. Cluster of striking red berry-like blooms; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Semi Shade; Dry
<i>Aechmea recurvata</i>	Bromeliad; Brazil; 0.2m h; Rosettes of thick grooved leaves, scaly beneath and spiny, dilated and blue tinted at base. Simple short, torch like red bracts, bright red when in flower; Semi Shade; Dry; Drought Tolerant
<i>Aechmea weilbachii</i>	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
<i>Aeonium 'Starburst'</i>	Succulent; 0.45 - 0.6m h; Grown for its variegated shiny, glossy-textured mottled foliage; Flowers: Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
<i>Aeonium 'Velour'</i>	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; Well-drained
<i>Aeonium 'Zwartkop'</i>	Succulent; Canary Is; 0.6m h x 1m w; Evergreen. Branches carry terminal rosettes of fleshy, spatulate blackish purple leaves. Small yellow flowers in large conical panicles; Flowers: Autumn/Winter; Sun; Dry; Frost Tender
<i>Agapetes 'Red Elf'</i>	Shrub; 0.6m h x 1m w; Evergreen epiphyte. Pendent, narrow red flowers on graceful arching branches. Compact growth. Excellent in hanging baskets; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Agapetes serpens</i>	Shrub; Epiphytic Heath; Himalayas; 1m h x 1m w; Evergreen. Rose/red pendent flowers with chevron markings hang along arching stems. Attracts birds. Attractive plant for tub or hanging basket. Caudex (trunk-like base) should never be covered by soil; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Agave attenuata</i>	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 Tender
<i>Agave filifera</i>	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

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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. Flower panicle atop very tall stems, has green/white blooms of 3 petals tinged purple, and purple stripes down the centre after 15-20 yr; 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 Tolerant

Agave schottii

Succulent; Schott's Century; Mexico; 0.45m h x 0.6m w; Shrub agave 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 vilmoriniana

Succulent; Octopus Agave; Mexico; 0.9 - 1.2m h; Showy evergreen plant with large, untoothed arching twisted leaves. Ancient plant for sunny borders and large containers; Sun; Well-drained

Ajanía pacífica

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 '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 'Mountain Gem'

Succulent; 0.2m h; Ball-shaped plant comprising of blue-grey leaves with white spines. The bi-coloured flowers are red to cream. Suitable for containers. Long flowering; Flowers: Winter; Sun; Well-drained

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<i>Aloe 'Sparkler'</i>	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-drained
<i>Aloe 'Tyson'</i>	Succulent; Pale green leaves with smooth toothless margins; Flowers: Summer; Shade; Well-drained
<i>Aloe aristata</i>	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
<i>Aloe ciliaris (red flower form)</i>	Succulent; 5m h; (syn. <i>Aloiampelos ciliaris</i>) Red flower. Distinctive cane-type stems. Long narrow thin recurved leaves; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Aloe ferox</i>	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
<i>Aloe jucunda 'Bullock'</i>	Succulent; Clustering stemless rosettes. Foliage is shiny and dark green with white spots. The flowers are pink; Sun; Well-drained
<i>Aloe juvenna</i>	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; Adaptable
<i>Aloe juvenna x cocina</i>	Succulent; Small clumping form of <i>Aloe juvenna</i> . 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-drained
<i>Aloe schelpei</i>	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 capitata racemes on short pedicles and a deep red-orange with gold-tips. An attractive species; Flowers: Autumn/Winter; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
<i>Aloe striata</i>	Succulent; Coral Aloe; S Africa; 0.6m h; Attractive, fleshy, grey-green leaves with red margins. Orange-red, tubular flowers on a branched stem; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun; Well-drained
<i>Aloe vera</i>	Succulent; Barbados Aloe; 0.6m h; Long tapering near vertical mid green leaves with soft white marginal teeth. Small orange/yellow flowers. Requires good light; Flowers: Summer; Semi Shade; Well-drained
<i>Alpinia zerumbet 'Variegata'</i>	Rhizome; Shell Ginger; E Asia; 2.5m h; Evergreen. Fragrant white flowers tipped dark pink, red striped tongues. Leaves dark green with lemon stripes. Warm position. Rich soil; Flowers: Summer; Semi Shade; Moist; Frost Tender
<i>Armeria maritima 'Alba'</i>	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

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<i>Armeria maritima</i> '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
<i>Artemisia alba</i> 'Turra'	Perennial; S Europe; 0.5m h; Bushy grey leaved plant which grows well on rocky surfaces; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Well-drained
<i>Arthropodium cirratum</i>	Perennial; NZ Rock Lily; 0.9m h x 0.3m w; Clump forming foliage plant. Dainty white stary flowers in terminal clusters 30cm long on an erect stem. Fibrous rooted; copes well with root competition; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant; Frost Tender
<i>Astilbe chinensis</i> 'Maggie Daley'	Perennial; 0.7m h x 0.5m w; Profuse and striking bouquets of lavender-purple plumes held upright on strong stems above fern-like deep green, glossy foliage; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Astroloba rubriflora</i>	Succulent; S Africa; (formerly <i>Poellnitzia</i> r.) Large robust plant with multiple sprawling 45cm stems, densely covered in sharp, waxy, blue-green leaves. Red flowers with green tips grow erectly from stems; Flowers: Summer; Shade; Well-drained
<i>Aucuba japonica</i> '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
<i>Aucuba japonica</i> '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
<i>Bambusa multiplex</i> 'Riviereorum'	Rhizome; 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-drained
<i>Bauhinia purpurea</i> '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
<i>Begonia</i> '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; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Begonia</i> 'Black Velvet'	Begonias; 0.45m h; Compact plant with black, velvety leaves and pink flowers; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Begonia</i> '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; Adaptable; Frost Tender
<i>Begonia</i> 'Eureka Bonanza'	Begonias; Compact plant with medium sized, large-toothed blackish-green and silver leaves; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Begonia</i> 'Ever Flowering (coral)'	Biennial; 2m h; Tall cane stemmed hybrid with year long flowering in coral; Semi Shade; Moist

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<i>Begonia 'Green Supreme'</i>	Begonias; Bright green leaves with a brown edge; Flowers: Summer; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Begonia 'Isabella'</i>	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
<i>Begonia 'Kermo Queen'</i>	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
<i>Begonia 'Little Brother Montgomery'</i>	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; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Begonia 'Orange Rubra'</i>	Begonias; Angel Wing Begonia; 0.5m h; Cane stemmed begonia with silver-spotted emerald green leaves, and clusters of vivid orange flowers at any time of year; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Begonia 'Osota'</i>	Begonias; A caned plant with large bronze-green leaves and deep pink flowers throughout the year; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Begonia 'White Chandelier'</i>	Begonias; A cane begonia with narrow long strong green leaves and bracts of small white flowers; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Begonia acutifolia</i>	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
<i>Begonia angularis</i>	Begonias; Brazil; 0.5 - 1m h; (syn. <i>B.stipulacea</i>) Tall growing and cane-like with silver-green leaves and reddish stems. White flowers throughout the year; Semi Shade; Well-drained
<i>Begonia cubensis</i>	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
<i>Begonia foliosa</i>	Begonias; Fern Leaf Begonia; Columbia; Shrub-like reddish brown, branched, floppy stems with small, oval, waxy deep-green leaves. Flowers are pinkish white. Hardy, suits basket; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Shade; Moist/Well-drained; Frost Tender
<i>Begonia lobata</i>	Begonias; Mexico; Bushy, trailing habit with lobed shiny bright green leaves and white flowers. Vigorous grower; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained; Frost Tender
<i>Begonia mazaе nigricans</i>	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
<i>Bletilla striata</i>	Bulb; Ground Orchid; Asia; Rhizomatous terrestrial orchid. 3-4 magenta coloured orchid like flowers on 15cm stems. Soil must not be wet during winter dormancy; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained

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<i>Brunfelsia pauciflora</i>	Shrub; Yesterday, Today & Tomorrow; S America; 1.5m h x 1.5m w; Evergreen. Masses of fragrant, dark purple flowers fading to mauve, then white. Slow growing. Pretty in patio pots. Light frost tolerance; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Brunfelsia undulata</i>	Shrub; W Indies; 2m h; A lovely, compact, evergreen shrub with narrow, deep green leaves and perfumed trumpet-shaped, creamy white flowers. Excellent for a container. Will tolerate a light frost; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Buddleja alternifolia</i>	Shrub; China; 1 - 4m h; Deciduous. Slender arching branches with dense rounded clusters of intensely fragrant lilac flowers along branches of the previous year's growth. Excellent for training as a standard plant. Frost hardy; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Burchellia bubalina</i>	Shrub; Wild Pomegranate; S Africa; 2 - 5m h x 1 - 3m w; (syn. <i>B. capensis</i>). Evergreen. Deep scarlet to orange flowers, red-brown berries. Glossy leaves; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Frost Tender
<i>Bystropogon canariensis</i>	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
<i>Calamagrostis x acutiflora 'Karl Foerster'</i>	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
<i>Calliandra tweedii</i>	Shrub; Red Tassel Flower; Subtropical S America; 2m h x 2m w; Evergreen. Calyx & corolla yellowish green, stamens red. Fern-like foliage. Requires summer water; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Well-drained; Frost Tender
<i>Camellia 'Lammertsii'</i>	Camellia; (<i>C. cuspidata</i> x <i>C. japonica</i>) Vigorous, medium sized, bushy growth habit. Prolific, single, small, whitish pink flowers. (USA-1957); Semi Shade
<i>Camellia crapnelliana</i>	Camellia; China, Hong Kong; 5 - 7m h; Species (syn. <i>C. gigantocarpa</i>) 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; Acidic
<i>Camellia forrestii</i>	Camellia; Yunnan/China; 5m h; Species. Slightly fragrant shrub with thin leathery dark green leaves. Solitary or paired white to pinkish white, 5 to 6 petalled flowers. Sometimes purplish red in bud; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained; Acidic
<i>Camellia hiemalis 'Showa-no-</i>	Camellia; 1.5m h x 1m w; A vigorous low-spreading shrub with pink semi-double flowers, ruffled with bright gold stamens, and dark green foliage. (USA-1937); Flowers: Winter; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Camellia japonica 'Catherine Stimson'</i>	Camellia; 3m h x 2m w; Upright plant with semi-double blood-red blooms with purple rippled edges and evergreen glossy foliage. (Aus-1964); Flowers: Winter; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Camellia japonica 'Cup of Beauty'</i>	Camellia; Large formal double with incurved petals. White lightly striped rose-pink. (China to England 1857); Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained; Acidic

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<i>Camellia japonica</i> 'Guilio Nuccio'	Camellia; Vigorous, upright to rounded shrub. Large semi-double, rich coral/rose blooms with prominent golden stamens. (USA-1955); Flowers: Winter; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Camellia japonica</i> 'Kitty'	Camellia; 2m h; A delightful camellia with small, formal double white blooms with a pink border. Suitable for a pot. (USA-1955); Flowers: Winter/Spring; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Camellia japonica</i> 'Madame Picouline'	Camellia; Deep cherry-red flowers. Medium informal double. (Belgium-1855); Moist/Well-drained
<i>Camellia japonica</i> 'Mrs Swan'	Camellia; Raised by A. Hunter, NSW, 1944. Bright salmon pink, semi double flowers with central cluster gold stems. Upright growth. Decorative variety; Flowers: Winter; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained; Acidic
<i>Camellia japonica</i> 'Nuccio's Gem'	Camellia; Large, formal, white double flowers with a compact upright habit. Suitable for pots. (USA-1970); Flowers: Winter/Spring; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained; Acidic
<i>Camellia japonica</i> 'Zambo'	Camellia; 3m h; Medium-large, formal, double flowers in mauve-pink with purple overtones. Shiny evergreen foliage. (Aus-1874); Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained; Acidic
<i>Camellia sasanqua</i> 'Frivolity'	Camellia; White. Large single to semi-double with ruffled notched irregular petals. (USA 1964); Flowers: Winter/Spring; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Camellia sasanqua</i> 'Gwen Pike'	Camellia; Small, pale pink semi-double blooms early in the season. (Aus-1968); Flowers: Winter; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Camellia sasanqua</i> 'Lucinda'	Camellia; 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. (Aus-1957); Flowers: Autumn/Winter; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Camellia sasanqua</i> 'Marjorie Hobbs'	Camellia; Small formal, double blooms, white shading to pale pink, with notched and folded petals; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Camellia sasanqua</i> 'Red Willow'	Camellia; 2 - 3m h x 2m w; Flowers of a rich shade, more pink than red, and semi-double, with dark narrow foliage and a willow like weeping habit. (Aus-1964); Flowers: Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained; Acidic
<i>Camellia sasanqua</i> 'Shichifukujin'	Camellia; Very large, semi-double, palest pink flowers. Upright growth, dense habit. (Japan-1898); Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun/Semi-shade
<i>Camellia sasanqua</i> 'Yae-wabisuke'	Camellia; 3m h; Small, semi-double, rose-coloured flowers with channelled and slightly wavy petals. (Japan-1965); Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained; Acidic
<i>Camellia tsaii</i> var. <i>tsaii</i>	Camellia; Burma, China, Nth. Vietnam; 5m h x 4m w; Miniature cup-shaped, single white flowers in leaf axils. Glossy dark leaves with wavy margins. Pendulous habit; Flowers: Winter; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Acidic
<i>Camellia x williamsii</i> 'Pink Cascade'	Camellia; Average height shrub with larger double pink flowers and bright green broad leaves; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained; Acidic

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<i>Canna 'Bengal Tiger'</i>	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
<i>Cantua bicolor</i>	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
<i>Cavendishia bracteata</i>	Shrub; Andes Mtns; 1m h x 1m w; Evergreen. Bright red tubular flowers tinged creamy green at tips in clusters. New growth is coral red; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Semi Shade; Acidic; Frost Tender
<i>Ceanothus 'Yankee Point'</i>	Shrub; California; 1m h x 2m w; Spreading, mounded shrub, with deep green rounded leaves. The round flowers are in lilac-blue panicles; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
<i>Ceanothus arboreus 'Trewithen Blue'</i>	Shrub; 3 - 6m h x 8m w; Vigorous, wide-spreading shrub with dark green leaves and fragrant, mid-blue flowers in large terminal panicles. Grows well trained against a warm wall; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Well-drained
<i>Ceanothus x delilianus 'Gloire de Versailles'</i>	Shrub; 5m h; Large floriferous form. Scented, powder-blue flowers. Semi-deciduous dark green leaves to 8cm. Sheltered position; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun; Well-drained
<i>Ceiba speciosa</i>	Tree; Silk Floss Tree; Brazil & Argentina; 1 - 18m h; (syn. <i>Chorisia</i>) Deciduous, sub-tropical tree, with a spiky-green trunk and pale green pointed leaflets. Flowers vary from pink/rose/purple. Early growth is fast and straight, slowly developing into an umbrella canopy tree; Flowers: Autumn; Sun; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Centaurea bella</i>	Perennial; Caucasian Cornflower; Turkey; 0.3m h x 0.4m w; 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; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Centradenia grandifolia (green)</i>	Perennial; C America; 0.6m h; Attractively marked green leaves with red central stripe. Pinkish mauve open flowers. Excellent plant for containers and hanging baskets. Trim in spring; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant; Frost Tender
<i>Cephalotaxus harringtonia</i>	Tree; Japanese Plum Yew; Japan; 5m h x 3m w; Evergreen small V-shaped tree. Flat, needle-like leaves and plum-like seeds on female plants; Shade; Moist/Well-drained; Acidic
<i>Chimonanthus praecox</i>	Shrub; Wintersweet; China, Japan; 3m h x 2m w; Very fragrant pale yellow flowers on bare branches. Rich soil. Protected position; Flowers: Winter; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
<i>Chionanthus retusus</i>	Shrub; Chinese Fringe Tree; E Asia; 8m h x 7m w; Broad leaf deciduous, large shrub or small tree, often multi-stemmed. Bright green leaves with pure white, fragrant flowers in erect terminal clusters. Suit a large planter; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Choisya ternata</i>	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; Drought Tolerant

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<i>Choisya x dewitteana</i> 'Aztec Pearl'	Shrub; Mexican Orange Blossom; 2m h x 2m w; (Hybrid of <i>C. ternata</i> x <i>arizonica</i>) 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; Moist
<i>Chrysanthemum</i> 'Snow Dome'	Perennial; 0.3 - 0.5m h; Compact, mounded form of silvery-green cutleaf foliage covered in autumn with small daisy-like white flowers; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Cissus rhombifolia</i>	Climber; Grape Ivy; Venezuela; Glossy green vine easily grown indoors; Semi Shade; Well-drained; Frost Tender
<i>Cistus x laxus</i>	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
<i>Citharexylum spinosum</i>	Tree; Fiddlewood; W Indies; 16m h x 5m w; Semi-evergreen, small white highly fragrant flowers, in racemes 20cm long, summer-winter; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist
<i>Clinanthus variegatus</i>	Bulb; W Sth America; 0.5m h; (syn. <i>Stenomesson variegatum</i>) 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
<i>Clivia miniata</i>	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 Tender
<i>Clivia miniata</i> (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
<i>Coelogyne cristata</i>	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 Tender
<i>Coelogyne flaccida</i>	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
<i>Cotyledon orbiculata</i> '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-shade; Well-drained
<i>Cotyledon woodii</i>	Succulent; S Africa; 1 - 2m h; Very attractive woody stemmed, shrubby plant, with hairy, oval grey-green leaves. Flowers of 2-3 drooping orange/pink bells, after winter rain; Flowers: Winter; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
<i>Crassula 'Isabelle'</i>	Succulent; 0.15m h; Small heart-shaped leaves in green/maroon. Central portion is mid green, margin is cream or pink and flowers are very small and white. Likely to be <i>C. Exilis</i> x; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
<i>Crassula arborescens</i> ssp <i>undulatifolia</i> 'Variegata'	Succulent; Unusual plant with leaves a mixture of grey, red and cream; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Well-drained

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<i>Crassula falcata</i>	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
<i>Crassula lactea</i>	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
<i>Crassula orbicularis</i>	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
<i>Crassula ovata</i>	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
<i>Crassula ovata 'Hummel's Sunset'</i>	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
<i>Crassula schimperi ssp.phyturus</i>	Succulent; Miniature Crassula; Africa; Thick textured leaves; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
<i>Crinum cv (pink form)</i>	Bulb; S Africa; 0.6m h; Pale pink, lightly scented trumpet flowers on stout stems; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Dry; Drought Tolerant; Frost Tender
<i>Cuphea 'Starfire'</i>	Shrub; Firecracker Plant; 0.6m h; Small, evergreen sub 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
<i>Cupressus cashmeriana</i>	Tree; Kashmir Cypress; Himalayas; 10m h; Evergreen conifer. Main branches erect, terminated by long, drooping branchlets, weeping habit. Leaves are green to blue-grey. A fine specimen tree; Sun; Moist/Well-drained; Acidic
<i>Curio talinoides ssp mandraliscae</i>	Succulent; Blue Chalksticks; 5m 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
<i>Cymbidium (rose-pink)</i>	Orchid; Compact plant with rose-pink petals and dark pink spotted, whitish lip. Good in pots; Flowers: Spring; Semi Shade; Well-drained
<i>Cyrtanthus obrienii</i>	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
<i>Dais cotinifolia</i>	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
<i>Daphne odora 'Alba'</i>	Shrub; White Daphne; China & Japan; 0.6m h; Small evergreen shrub with shiny leaves and sweetly scented white flowers; Flowers: Winter; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained

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<i>Daphne odora (white) 'Variegata'</i>	Shrub; China, Japan; 1m h; Variegated leaves with cream margins. Sweetly fragrant clusters of white flowers; Flowers: Winter; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Deutzia gracilis 'Marmorata'</i>	Shrub; 1 - 2m h; Deciduous. Pale yellow leaves speckled green. Good highlight plant for semi-shade. White flowers; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Deutzia x candelabra</i>	Shrub; 2m h; Upright, arching, deciduous shrub; leaves thin, bright green, thinly hairy. Star-shaped white flowers in dense upright panicles; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Dianthus 'Doris'</i>	Perennial; 0.4m h x 0.3m 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
<i>Dianthus 'Pink Mrs Sinkins'</i>	Perennial; 0.2m h x 0.3m w; Small ground covering perennial. Highly scented, with multiple pink blooms; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Dichroa versicolor</i>	Shrub; N Burma; 2m h; Similar in form to <i>Hydrangea macrophylla</i> , with rich green leaves and denim-blue or pink flowers followed by intense blue berries. Tolerates wet conditions and a little frost; Semi Shade
<i>Dicliptera suberecta</i>	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
<i>Diospyros whyteana</i>	Tree; Ebony; S Africa; 6m h; Sub-tropical tree with small beautifully glossy small leaves with new growth of shiny bronze. Fragrant bell-shaped creamy flowers and balloon-like fruit pods. Tolerates shade and drier soil; Flowers: Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
<i>Dombeya burgessiae</i>	Tree; S Africa; 2 - 4m h x 2m w; Small tree/large shrub. Dense clusters of fragrant white flowers with pink-red centres. Rounded, lobed, downy leaves; Flowers: Autumn/Winter; Sun; Well-drained; Frost Tender
<i>Echeveria 'Black Prince'</i>	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
<i>Echeveria 'Bombycina'</i>	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
<i>Echeveria 'Gilva'</i>	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
<i>Echeveria 'Lara'</i>	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-drained
<i>Echeveria 'Laulensis'</i>	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
<i>Echeveria 'Lilacina'</i>	Succulent; 0.15m w; Very beautiful plant with opalescent fleshy blue-grey leaves, glowing pink. Frost tolerant. Rarely offsets; Flowers: Spring; Sun; Dry

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<i>Echeveria 'Metallica'</i>	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-drained
<i>Echeveria 'Serendipity'</i>	Succulent; Large rosettes up to 30cm in diameter with frilly edged leaves flushed pink; Sun; Well-drained
<i>Echeveria 'Violet Queen'</i>	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
<i>Echeveria colorata var.brandtii</i>	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
<i>Echeveria elegans</i>	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
<i>Echeveria macdougallii</i>	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
<i>Echeveria nixiana</i>	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
<i>Echeveria poltava</i>	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; Well-drained; Adaptable; Drought Tolerant
<i>Echeveria pumila var. glauca</i>	Succulent; Mexico; 0.15m h; (syn. <i>E. secunda</i>) 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
<i>Elegia tectorum</i>	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
<i>Elettaria cardamomum</i>	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
<i>Epidendrum ibaguense (red form)</i>	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
<i>Epimedium epsteinii</i>	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-drained
<i>Epimedium franchetii</i>	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

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<i>Epimedium grandiflorum</i> 'Rose Queen'	Perennial; 0.25m h x 0.6m w; Ground covering, rhizomatous perennial with attractive heart-shaped pointed leaves, that emerge bronze-purple in spring. Sprays of bright rosy-pink 2.5cm flowers, with long white spurs on stems above the foliage; Flowers: Spring; Shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Epimedium x warleyense</i>	Perennial; Garden Origin; 0.2 - 0.3m h x 0.3m w; Beautiful fresh green spring foliage, with darker plum margins forming dense mats. Elegant rusty-orange flowers. Ideal under trees; Flowers: Spring; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Escallonia 'Ivey'</i>	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
<i>Escallonia illinita</i>	Shrub; Curry Bush; Chile; 3m h; White panicles to 10cm. Scents the air with curry when damp. Good hedge and screen plant; Flowers: Summer
<i>Eucomis comosa</i> 'Oakhurst'	Bulb; Strap-like burgundy green foliage with deep red stalks of creamy pink flowers; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Well-drained
<i>Eucomis comosa</i> (dark form)	Bulb; Pineapple Lily; 0.8m h x 0.3m w; Deciduous. Fat, dense spike of pink and reddish brown flowers overtopped by tufts of small bracts. Very dark, strap-like foliage; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Euonymus japonicus</i> '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
<i>Euonymus japonicus</i> 'Tom Thumb'	Shrub; 0.5m h; Hardy evergreen shrub with small dark glossy leaves and a compact upright growth habit. Suitable for hedging and containers. Lightly trim in spring and autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
<i>Eupatorium atrorubens</i>	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
<i>Euphorbia trigona</i>	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
<i>Felicia hyssopifolia</i> subsp. <i>hyssopifolia</i>	Shrub; S Africa; 0.6m h; Dense shrub with small narrow leaves and lilac daisy-like flowers with an orange centre; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Well-drained
<i>Forsythia suspensa</i>	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 that root at the tip. Distinguished parent of <i>Forsythia x intermedia</i> . First mentioned in Chinese medical texts dating back to 2000BC; Flowers: Spring; Sun; Well-drained
<i>Forsythia viridissima</i>	Shrub; E China, Korea; 2m h x 1m w; Deciduous. Erect habit. Bright yellow flowers, solitary or in clusters of 3 on bare branches. Long leaves turn grey-purple in Autumn; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun; Well-drained

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Francoa 'Rogerson's Form'

Perennial; 0.6m h; Evergreen. Panicles of deepest lilac-pink, star-shaped blossoms strikingly marked with crimson, on long stalks. New form of *F. sonchifolia*, excellent for cutting; good edging plant. Tolerant of dry conditions; Flowers: Summer; Semi Shade

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 'Checkerboard'

Shrub; 0.6 - 0.9m h; Excellent upright habit with long single flowers with red tubes, red sepals turning white and violet-red corollas; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained

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 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 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 Tender

Garrya elliptica

Shrub; USA; 4m h; Large, bushy evergreen plant. Male catkin-like flower clusters (tassels) are yellowish to greenish, then grey, 20-30cm long; female flower clusters are shorter, 5-9cm long. Can be grown as a hedge or espaliered. Prune after flowering; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun; Well-drained

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 carinata

Succulent; S Africa; Small and variable plant. Stemless, decumbent and ascending groups of triangular, mottled, channelled leaves, with racemes of salmon-pink flowers tipped green and white on a branching stem; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Dry

Gasteria grandiflora

Succulent; S Africa; Bell-shaped flowers on long stems; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Semi Shade; Dry; Neutral; Drought Tolerant

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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

Geum 'Mango Lassi'

Perennial; 0.3m h; Frilly, double flowers in shades of apricot and yellow. The foliage is small, soft, toothed and evergreen; Flowers: Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained

Ginkgo biloba

Tree; Maidenhair Tree; China; 10 - 15m h; Deciduous living fossil. Upright when young, spreading with age. Bright green fan-shaped leaves, turning buttery gold in autumn. Long living; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/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

Graptopetalum 'Purple Delight'

Succulent; 0.1m h; This lovely cultivar has grey heart-shaped leaves with dark pink blotches. Delicately branched stems each hold yellow star flowers at their tips. The plant branches from the base to form several heads; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained

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; Moist/Well-drained

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; Drought Tolerant

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 coarctata

Succulent; S Africa; 0.15m h; Tough plant with dark green short, knobby 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 mutica-otzeniana

Succulent; S Africa; Rare succulent plant with rosettes of triangular leaves in brownish green. Looks like soil or stones in the wild. Long lasting, easy maintenance indoor plant. White tubular flowers on a stem; Flowers: Summer; Semi Shade; Dry

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

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<i>Hebe bollonsii</i>	Shrub; NZ; 1.5m h; Evergreen. Rapidly forms an erect shrub. Lance-shaped leaves with white or pale lilac flowers. Prefers a sheltered position; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Hebe hulkeana</i>	Shrub; NZ Lilac; 0.5m h x 1.5m w; Evergreen open sprawling shrub. Dark shiny leaves with red serrated edges and masses of small lilac flowers in large open panicles. Likes open surrounds. Prune after flowering; Flowers: Spring; Sun; Well-drained
<i>Hebe speciosa 'Variegata'</i>	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
<i>Helichrysum angustifolium</i>	Herb; Curry Plant; SW Europe; 0.5m h x 0.3m w; (syn. <i>H. italicum</i>) 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
<i>Heliotropium arborescens 'Lord Roberts'</i>	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
<i>Helleborus foetidus</i>	Perennial; C & W Europe; 0.8m h x 0.5m w; Evergreen. Pendent green open cup-shaped flowers. Dark cut leaves. Useful in shaded areas. Remove flowering stems after flowering; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
<i>Helleborus x hybridus (double green spotted)</i>	Perennial; Rare hybrid with double, green spotted flowers. Excellent under deciduous trees. Feed well for best results. Cut back old foliage in March/April. Tolerates dry soil in summer; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Helleborus x hybridus (double primrose yellow spotted)</i>	Perennial; Rare hybrid with double, primrose yellow, spotted flowers. Excellent under deciduous trees. Feed well for best results. Cut back old foliage in April/May. Tolerates dry soil in summer; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Helleborus x hybridus (double slate)</i>	Perennial; Rare hybrid with double, slate-coloured flowers. Excellent under deciduous trees. Feed well for best results. Cut back old foliage in April/May. Tolerates dry soil in summer; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Helleborus x hybridus (double white spotted)</i>	Perennial; Fine red spotting on white background of a fully double flower. These are also vigorous plants and make quite an impact in a winter garden; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Semi Shade; Adaptable
<i>Helleborus x hybridus (spotted apricot peach)</i>	Perennial; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Helleborus x hybridus (white, red centre)</i>	Perennial; Flowers: Autumn/Winter; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Hemerocallis 'Ava'</i>	Perennial; Day Lily; 0.6m h; Showy large burgundy blooms with lime yellow throats; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
<i>Hesperozygis myrtilloides</i>	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

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<i>Hibiscus paramutabilis</i>	Shrub; China; 1 - 3m h; Deciduous shrub or small tree with attractive large deep pink open single flowers on upper branches; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Hippeastrum cv (red)</i>	Bulb; 0.6m h; Large red trumpet on stout upright stem. Plant in Autumn, neck and shoulders above surface. Reduce watering when dormant; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Neutral
<i>Hippeastrum psittacinum 'Papillo'</i>	Bulb; 0.5m h; Rare. Large maroon, green and cream trumpet flowers. Keep dry in winter whilst in its winter dormancy; Flowers: Spring; Semi Shade; Well-drained
<i>Hosta 'Allan P. McConnell'</i>	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
<i>Hosta 'Chinese Sunrise'</i>	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 Shade; Moist; Neutral
<i>Hosta 'Honeybells'</i>	Perennial; 0.6m h x 1.2m w; Leaves large, lax, widely oval, blade undulate, light glossy green. Flowers lightly fragrant, bell-shaped, white streaked lavender on 150cm stems. Vigorous; Flowers: Summer; Semi Shade; Moist
<i>Hosta 'Invincible'</i>	Perennial; 0.4m h x 1m w; Densely mounded. Large, thick, wedge-shaped, very undulate leaves. Olive green above, shiny beneath. Abundance of fragrant funnel-shaped, occasionally double lavender flowers. Reasonably slug and snail proof; Flowers: Autumn; Semi Shade; Moist
<i>Hosta 'Summer Fragrance'</i>	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
<i>Hosta 'Undulata Albomarginata'</i>	Perennial; 0.45m h x 0.9m w; Oval flat leaves, dark green, with irregular white margins. Lavender flowers on leafy stems in Summer; Semi Shade; Moist
<i>Hosta plantaginea</i>	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
<i>Hoya carnososa</i>	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
<i>Hydrangea 'Mdme Emile Mouillere'</i>	Shrub; Excellent white variety. White mophead flowers ageing to pink-tinged. Drought tender. Protect from afternoon sun; Flowers: Summer; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Hydrangea arborescens 'Annabelle'</i>	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

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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 hydrangea 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* 'Variegata' 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-drained
- 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-drained
- Hydrangea paniculata* 'Grandiflora' 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* 'Snowflake' Shrub; Oak-leaved 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
- Hymenanchera alpina* Shrub; Porcupine Shrub; NZ; 0.8m h x 1.2m w; Architectural evergreen shrub, with small, broad leaves, that have a black tint in winter and change to olive green in summer on angular silver stems. Tiny white flowers give way to showy, pea-sized white/purple berries; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Well-drained
- 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; Drought Tolerant
- Iris confusa* Rhizome; Bamboo Iris; W China; 0.6 - 0.9m h; Exotic looking crested iris, with sprays of bamboo like leaves. Flowers, at the end of a long stem, may range from white to a soft lavender, with orange-yellow crests and purple dots. Similar to, but larger than *I. japonica*; Flowers: Spring; Sun; Well-drained

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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 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 (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; Well-drained

Iris (TB) 'Beaumonde'

Rhizome; Australian cv; (1985 L. Hodges) Greyed blue/violet standards on white plicata, orange beard; Flowers: Spring; Sun; Well-drained; Alkaline

Iris (TB) 'Cotillion Gown'

Rhizome; 0.9m h; Ruffled blooms with light yellow standards, flushed apricot towards base; light yellow falls, orange-red beards, wineberry veining from the heart. Early to mid-season bloomer; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained

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; Well-drained

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) 'Glad'

Rhizome; 1m h; Ruffled blue-violet blooms with tangerine beards. Mid to late season flowering; Flowers: Spring; Sun; Well-drained

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 Tolerant

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

Iris (TB) 'Spring Madness'

Rhizome; 0.9m h; Copper-brown/white/yellow ruffles with yellow speckles and a yellow/orange beard. Slight fragrance. Mid to late bloomer; 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

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<i>Juniperus horizontalis</i>	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
<i>Justicia floribunda</i>	Shrub; Brazil; 0.6m h x 0.6m w; (syn. <i>J. rizzini</i>) Compact evergreen with delicate tubular flowers in brilliant scarlet, orange and yellow; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained; Frost Tender
<i>Justicia fulvicoma</i>	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
<i>Kalanchoe beharensis</i>	Succulent; Africa/Madagascar; 1m h; Arrow shaped pale green felted leaves, indented in the margins, which are a golden brown; Sun; Dry; Frost Tender
<i>Kalanchoe beharensis 'Fang'</i>	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-drained; Drought Tolerant
<i>Kalanchoe blossfeldiana (red bells)</i>	Succulent; Elliptical scalloped leaves with reddish margins. Red tubular bells on stalks; Flowers: Spring; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
<i>Kalanchoe bracteata</i>	Succulent; Madagascar; 1.2m h; Lanceolate leaves of silvery pastel green appearance caused by very fine downy 'fur' on the surface. Flowers orange/red in Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
<i>Kalanchoe grandiflora</i>	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
<i>Kalanchoe humilis</i>	Succulent; 0.6m h; Easy care plant with large oval flat grey-green leaves marked with maroon red. The small flowers are purple to green. Careful not to overwater; Flowers: Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
<i>Kalanchoe pumila 'Quick Silver'</i>	Succulent; Madagascar; 0.2m h x 0.25m w; Silver-grey leaves. Open position. Pink flowers in Spring/Summer; Sun; Well-drained
<i>Kalanchoe thyrsiflora 'Flapjacks'</i>	Succulent; Circular leaves turning orange/red in Autumn, to 80mm diameter but only 3mm thick. Leaves are vertical. Prefers hot sun; Well-drained
<i>Lamprocapnos spectabilis</i>	Perennial; Bleeding Heart; E Asia; 0.6 - 0.9m h; (syn. <i>Dicentra spectabilis</i>) Herbaceous plant with heart-shaped, pink and white flowers which hang from graceful, arching, flower stems. Award winning old fashioned favourite; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Laurus nobilis</i>	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
<i>Lavandula 'Sidonie'</i>	Shrub; 0.6 - 1m h; Evergreen rounded form with aromatic, grey-green fernlike foliage. Fragrant, violet-blue flowers are borne on tall stems held above the foliage. Long flowering; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant

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<i>Liriope muscari</i> '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; Adaptable
<i>Loropetalum chinense</i> var. <i>rubrum</i>	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
<i>Loropetalum chinense</i> var. <i>rubrum</i> 'Blush'	Shrub; India, China, Japan; 2.5m h x 1.5m w; Evergreen, compact shrub. New foliage is red green, maturing to olive green. Frilly deep-pink flowers year round; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Luma apiculata</i>	Tree; Argentina, Chile; 6m h x 3m w; Beautiful, cinnamon coloured bark. Small cup shaped white flowers. Aromatic dark green leaves. Clips well for hedging; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun; Well-drained
<i>Nematanthus strigosus</i>	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; Moist
<i>Neoregelia</i> 'Crouching Tiger'	Bromeliad; 0.6m h; Large bromeliad with strappy intensely red leaves; Shade; Dry
<i>Neoregelia</i> 'Red Planet Mercury'	Bromeliad; Brazil; 0.3m h; Spectacular medium to large plant in a neat rosette, with green leaves, flushing red with yellow blotching, which becomes deeper red in the central leaves, and a brighter red still at flowering; Flowers: Spring; Shade; Well-drained
<i>Neoregelia carolinae</i>	Bromeliad; Blushing Bromeliad; Brazil; Small decorative plant. Spreading rosette of 30cm long strap shaped leaves with toothed margins, coloured from dark metallic green to variegated reds, until about to flower, when they change at the base of rosette to bright red or purple; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Neoregelia sarmentosa</i>	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
<i>Nidularium</i> 'Leprosa'	Bromeliad; 0.45m h; Hybrid cultivar. A large, compact well shaped rosette with light green leaves, mottled dark green with some spotting at the base. At flowering the inner rosette is mauve; Shade; Well-drained
<i>Nidularium innocentii</i>	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
<i>Nidularium procerum</i>	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
<i>Omphalodes cappadocica</i> 'Cherry Ingram'	Perennial; Blue Eyed Mary; Asia Minor; 0.25m h x 0.45m w; Generous showy, clump-forming, semi-evergreen, leafy stems with profuse small deep blue flowers, on stems above; Flowers: Spring; Shade; Moist
<i>Omphalodes cappadocica</i> '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; Moist

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<i>Origanum vulgare</i> '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; Drought Tolerant
<i>Origanum vulgare</i> 'Spicy'	Herb; 0.5m h x 0.3m w; Dense hairy grey-green leafed herb, with clusters of white flowers; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
<i>Origanum vulgare</i> '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
<i>Osmanthus delavayi</i>	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
<i>Osmanthus heterophyllus</i> '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
<i>Osmanthus yunnanensis</i>	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
<i>Pachyphytum glutincaule</i>	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
<i>Parolinia ornata</i>	Shrub; Canary Is; 1m h x 0.7m w; Fine silver-grey foliage. Dainty mauve/cream flowers in Autumn/Winter; Sun; Well-drained
<i>Pelargonium</i> 'Ginger'	Herb; Ginger-Scented Geranium; 0.6m h; Spicy ginger scented crinkled foliage producing rose-lavender flower clusters most of the year; Sun; Well-drained
<i>Pelargonium</i> 'Lime'	Herb; 0.6m h; Small growing. Toothed, lime scented leaves. Single, light lavender flowers; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Well-drained; Neutral; Drought Tolerant
<i>Pelargonium</i> '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
<i>Pelargonium reniforme</i>	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
<i>Penstemon</i> '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; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Penstemon</i> 'Bells Red'	Perennial; 0.6m h x 0.6m w; Long blooming deep scarlet red flowers with white stripes inside funnel shaped heads; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Well-drained
<i>Penstemon</i> 'Firebird'	Perennial; 1m h x 0.8m w; (syn. P. 'Schoenholzeri') Dazzling scarlet red bell flowers along upright stems. Strong bushy habit; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Well-drained

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<i>Penstemon 'Garnet'</i>	Perennial; 0.6m h; Superb tubular, bell-shaped garnet-red small flowers revealing red-stripped throats. Vigorous, bushy habit. One of the hardiest Penstemons; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun; Well-drained
<i>Penstemon 'Hidcote'</i>	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; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
<i>Penstemon 'Midnight'</i>	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
<i>Penstemon 'Port Wine'</i>	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
<i>Petrea volubilis</i>	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
<i>Philadelphus 'Natchez'</i>	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
<i>Philadelphus coronarius 'Aureus'</i>	Shrub; Golden Mock Orange; S Europe; 2.5m h x 1.5m w; Deciduous. Golden yellow leaves turning yellow green in summer. Cup-shaped, single, very fragrant, creamy white flowers; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
<i>Phlomis fruticosa</i>	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
<i>Phlomis purpurea</i>	Perennial; 1m h x 0.5m w; Unusual mauve flowering variety with soft grey leaves, and rangy stems; Flowers: Spring; Sun; Well-drained; Adaptable
<i>Phlomis russeliana</i>	Perennial; Turkey; 0.9m h x 1.2m w; Cream flowers. Sage green leaves. Good in hot dry areas; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Drought Tolerant
<i>Phygелиus aequalis 'Yellow Trumpet'</i>	Perennial; S Africa; 1m h; Shrubby evergreen perennial with dense bushy habit. Pale green leaves. Sprays of soft yellow tubular flowers over a long period. Suckering habit; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade
<i>Phygелиus x rectus 'African Queen'</i>	Perennial; Cape Figwort; S Africa; 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
<i>Pieris formosa 'Wakehurst'</i>	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
<i>Pilea peperomioides</i>	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; Well-drained

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<i>Pleione formosana</i>	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
<i>Polygonatum falcatum</i>	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
<i>Portulacaria afra</i>	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 Tender
<i>Potentilla alba</i>	Perennial; White Cinquefoil; C Europe; 0.1m h; Groundcover. Strawberry-like leaves. Solitary white, golden-eyed flowers. Drought tender; Flowers: Spring; Sun
<i>Prunus glandulosa 'Alba plena'</i>	Shrub; China, Japan; 1m h x 1m w; Deciduous. Suckering. Masses double white flowers on slender erect shoots. Cut almost to ground after flowering; Flowers: Spring; Sun
<i>Punica granatum 'Legrelliae'</i>	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
<i>Punica granatum 'Wonderful'</i>	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
<i>Quercus ilex</i>	Tree; Evergreen Oak; Mediterranean; 20 - 28m h; Large evergreen tree, and in open situations it develops a huge head of dark green densely leafy branches
<i>Quesnelia arvensis</i>	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
<i>Reineckea carnea</i>	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
<i>Rhinacanthus beesianus</i>	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
<i>Rhodanthemum catananche 'Tizi-n-Test'</i>	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
<i>Rhododendron macrosepalum linearifolium</i>	Rhododendron; Japan; 0.6m h; Very compact plant with long lasting, spider-like pink flowers, and unusual feathery grey-green foliage; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained

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<i>Rhododendron (Azalea) luteum</i>	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
<i>Rhododendron (vireya) 'Bold Janus'</i>	Rhododendron; 2m h x 1m w; Strong tall plant with dark foliage and apricot flushed with pink flowers; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Rhododendron (vireya) 'Bush Baby'</i>	Rhododendron; Very low growing, with bright red flowers. Will do well in large containers; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Rhododendron (vireya) 'Carrillon Bells'</i>	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
<i>Rhododendron (vireya) 'Coral Flare'</i>	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
<i>Rhododendron (vireya) 'Gardenia Odyssey'</i>	Rhododendron; 2m h x 0.8m w; Beautiful large 5-lobed creamy white scented flowers; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Rhododendron (vireya) 'Golden Casket'</i>	Rhododendron; Orange -yellow flowers; Semi Shade; Well-drained
<i>Rhododendron (vireya) 'Great Scent-sation'</i>	Rhododendron; 1m h; Medium shrub. Trusses of 6-10 large fragrant dark pink flowers; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
<i>Rhododendron (vireya) 'Highland White Jade'</i>	Rhododendron; 1.5m h x 1.75m w; Cream tubular flowers with slight perfume; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Rhododendron (vireya) 'Irian Jaya'</i>	Rhododendron; 1.8m h; Deep pink tubular funnel-shaped flowers in trusses of 11-12; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained; Acidic
<i>Rhododendron (vireya) 'La-De-Da'</i>	Rhododendron; 1m h; Compact shrub. Clusters of pale pink flowers; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Rhododendron (vireya) 'Liberty Bar'</i>	Rhododendron; (R. viriosum x R. aurigeranum) Tubular brick-red flowers; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Rhododendron (vireya) 'Mrs Elizabeth Miller'</i>	Rhododendron; 1.2m h; Medium sized shrub. Soft pink flowers with a strong perfume. 6-10 flowers in each truss; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Rhododendron (vireya) 'Pennywhistle'</i>	Rhododendron; 0.6m h; Tubular, funnel-shaped orange flowers. Upright miniature. Ideal for small containers; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Rhododendron (vireya) 'Pindi Peach'</i>	Rhododendron; 1.5m h; Soft pinky-apricot flowers shading to pink at edges; Semi Shade; Well-drained
<i>Rhododendron (vireya) 'Popcorn'</i>	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
<i>Rhododendron (vireya) 'Red Mountain'</i>	Rhododendron; 1m h x 1m w; Compact growing shrub with rounded habit, mid-green leaves, and bright scarlet-red small blooms, 6-7 to a bunch, all year round; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained

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<i>Rhododendron (vireya) 'Sarah Ormiston'</i>	Rhododendron; Trusses of mauve-pink blooms; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
<i>Rhododendron (vireya) 'Simbu Sunset'</i>	Rhododendron; Large tubular flowers, soft-yellow throats, shading to brilliant orange-yellow outer edge. Deep red stems in first year; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Rhododendron (vireya) 'Sunny'</i>	Rhododendron; 2m h; Cheerful yellow mid-sized flowers; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Rhododendron (vireya) 'Teddy's Best'</i>	Rhododendron; 1.4m h x 1m w; Many brilliant yellow flowered heads; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Rhododendron (vireya) 'Tropic Tango'</i>	Rhododendron; 1.5 - 2m h; Strong orange-yellow flowers; Sun; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Rhododendron (vireya) 'Vicky Griffith'</i>	Rhododendron; Mid-size, compact shrub. Trusses of perfumed pure white blooms and dark green leaves; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Rhododendron (vireya) alticola x gracilentum</i>	Rhododendron; Small compact plant with dark green foliage and vibrant magenta flowers. Suitable for pots and hanging baskets; Semi Shade; Well-drained; Acidic
<i>Rhododendron (vireya) aurigeranum x zoelleri x aurigeranum</i>	Rhododendron; 1m h x 1m w; Shrub with rich-cream flushed pink fragrant flowers; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Rhododendron (vireya) carringtoniae</i>	Rhododendron; PNG; 1.5m h; Species vireya. Trumpet-shaped, scented white flowers; up to 9 per umbel; Flowers: Winter; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Rhododendron (vireya) christi</i>	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
<i>Rhododendron (vireya) christiana 'Grandiflora'</i>	Rhododendron; A medium compact shrub. Flowers are yellow shading to orange at the edges. Striking black stamen; Flowers: Spring; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Rhododendron (vireya) goodenoughii</i>	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; Acidic
<i>Rhododendron (vireya) hellwigii x laetum x aurigeranum</i>	Rhododendron; 2m h; Upright plant with dark green foliage and intense red flowers; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Acidic
<i>Rhododendron (vireya) herzogii x lowii</i>	Rhododendron; 2m h x 1.5m w; Flowers are pale yellow and tubular; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Semi Shade; Well-drained
<i>Rhododendron (vireya) javanicum</i>	Rhododendron; Indonesia, Malaysia; 2m h x 1m w; Tall shrub with funnel-shaped, vivid orange flowers with purple stamens. Large flowers are up to 6cm, with up to 12 per umbel; Flowers: Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Rhododendron (vireya) konori</i>	Rhododendron; 1.5m h x 1.5m w; Loose trusses of large carnation scented, funnel-shaped, white or white flushed-pink flowers appear at any time of year; Semi Shade; Well-drained

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<i>Rhododendron (vireya) laetum hybrid</i>	Rhododendron; 1.5m h; Large, funnel-shaped flowers of yellow with intense darker tips, in trusses of 6-8. May flower more than once a year; Flowers: Autumn; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Rhododendron (vireya) laetum x christiana</i>	Rhododendron; Tubular flowers have orange petals with yellow centres; Semi Shade; Well-drained
<i>Rhododendron (vireya) luraluense x inundatum</i>	Rhododendron; Small shrub with mid-green foliage and perfumed white flowers; Semi Shade; Well-drained
<i>Rhododendron (vireya) viriosum</i>	Rhododendron; N Qld; 1.5m h; Bright red waxy mid-size bells, approximately 6 per truss. Rich green foliage. Lovely Australian native shrub (formerly <i>R. lochia</i>); Flowers: Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
<i>Rhododendron (vireya) viriosum hybrid</i>	Rhododendron; Mid-sized shrub with mid-green leaves and trusses of small brick-red flowers with burgundy stems; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Acidic
<i>Rondeletia amoena</i>	Shrub; C America; 3m h x 2m w; (syn. <i>Rogiera amoena</i>) 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
<i>Rosa chinensis 'Ten Thousand Lights'</i>	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
<i>Rosmarinus officinalis 'Tuscan Blue'</i>	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
<i>Rothea myricoides 'Ugandense'</i>	Shrub; E Africa; 3m h x 3m w; (syn. <i>Clerodendrum ugandense</i>) 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
<i>Rothmannia globosa</i>	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
<i>Rudbeckia fulgida</i>	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; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Rudbeckia nitida 'Herbstsonne'</i>	Perennial; N America; 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
<i>Ruta graveolens</i>	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
<i>Ruta graveolens 'Jackman's Blue'</i>	Herb; Common Rue; Southern Europe; 0.5m h x 0.5m w; Pungent perennial shrub with attractive blue/ grey leaves, and small greenish yellow flowers. Cut back after flowering. Drought tolerant but less than <i>Ruta graveolens</i> ; Flowers: Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained; Drought Tolerant

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<i>Salvia 'African Sky'</i>	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
<i>Salvia 'Cardinal'</i>	Perennial; 0.6m h x 0.9m w; Small shrubby form with rich cardinal-purple flowers; Flowers: Spring to Autumn; Sun; Well-drained
<i>Salvia 'Meigan's Magic'</i>	Perennial; 0.8m h x 0.7m w; Fragrant white flowers, enveloped by a purple calyx, and grey-green foliage. Flowers from spring through to autumn; Semi Shade; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
<i>Salvia 'Phyllis Fancy'</i>	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
<i>Salvia chiapensis</i>	Perennial; Mexico; 0.4 - 0.6m h x 0.4 - 0.6m w; Can flower all year. Frost sensitive needs some protection. Magenta flower. Neutral to alkaline soils; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist; Drought Tolerant
<i>Salvia confertiflora</i>	Perennial; Brazil; 1.5m h; Herbaceous perennial bearing velvety orange/red flower spikes on red stems above large crinkled leaves. Protected site. Light frost tolerance. Prune after flowering; Flowers: Autumn/Winter; Sun/Semi-shade
<i>Salvia corrugata</i>	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
<i>Salvia discolor</i>	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
<i>Salvia dolomitica</i>	Perennial; S Africa; 0.9m h x 0.8m w; Grey-green leaved perennial with soft lilac flowers that have a pea-green calyx. Lanky if not pruned early. Shapes well; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Moist/Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
<i>Salvia dorisiana</i>	Perennial; Fruit Scented Sage; Honduras; 1.8 - 2m h x 1.4m w; Very fragrant evergreen upright shrub with large, soft lime-green leaves. Bright pink flowers. Drought tender. Likes a cool root run and cut back after summer; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Alkaline; Frost Tender
<i>Salvia fruticosa 'Greek Skies'</i>	Herb; Greek Sage; Canary Is, N Africa to Middle East; 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
<i>Salvia gesneriiflora 'Tequila'</i>	Perennial; Mexico; 3m h x 1 - 2m w; One of the largest Salvias. Showy tubular bright orange/red flowers most of the year, particularly during cooler months. Black calyx. Aromatic foliage. Neutral to alkaline soils. Do not prune too hard; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Frost Tender
<i>Salvia greggii 'Pumpkin'</i>	Perennial; 0.6 - 0.8m h x 0.8m w; Sprays of cream-apricot, bi-coloured flowers. Tip-prune to promote bushiness; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
<i>Salvia involucrata 'Bethelii'</i>	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 Tolerant

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<i>Salvia involucrata</i> 'Pink Icicles'	Perennial; 1.2 - 2.5m h x 1m w; Soft pink delicate flowers. Cut back in late winter; Flowers: Autumn/Winter; Sun; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Salvia iodantha</i>	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; Frost Tender
<i>Salvia karwinskii</i>	Perennial; 2m h x 1m w; Coral-pink terminal flowers on soft velvet canes. Well drained to dry soil. Suitable for shrubby background; Flowers: Winter/Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Dry; Drought Tolerant; Frost Tender
<i>Salvia muirii</i>	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
<i>Salvia officinalis</i> 'Purpurascens'	Herb; Purple Sage; Mediterranean; 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 Tolerant
<i>Salvia officinalis</i> 'Variegata'	Herb; 0.5m h x 0.6m w; (syn. <i>S. officinalis</i> '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
<i>Salvia yangii</i>	Perennial; Russian Sage; 1.2m h x 0.5m w; (syn. <i>Perovskia atriplicifolia</i>) Aromatic, grey-green, downy leaves. Small lavender-blue flowers in tall panicles. Prune back hard early spring; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
<i>Salvia yangii</i> 'Little Spire'	Perennial; Russian Sage; 0.6m h; (syn. <i>Perovskia atriplicifolia</i>) Aromatic, grey-green downy leaves. Small lavender-blue flowers in tall panicles. Prune back hard early spring; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun; Well-drained
<i>Santolina chamaecyparissus</i>	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
<i>Santolina rosmarinifolia</i> ssp <i>rosmarinifolia</i>	Perennial; S Europe; 0.5m h; (syn <i>S. virens</i>) Circular, yellow, daisy-like flower heads. Good border plant; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
<i>Sarracenia leucophylla</i>	Perennial; White Trumpet; USA; 1m h; Carnivorous plant. Slender erect pitchers, green below, changing to white at the tops, netted with green, maroon or red veins. Flowers deep red or yellow. Full sun and keep permanently wet. Do not feed. Grow in a mix of peat moss and sharp sand; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Boggy
<i>Satureja montana</i>	Herb; Winter Savory; S Europe; 0.4m h x 0.1m w; Semi-evergreen. Upright perennial herb. Aromatic leaves. Lilac flowers; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Adaptable; Drought Tolerant
<i>Satureja montana</i> 'Procumbens'	Herb; Winter Savory; S Europe; 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
<i>Sedum morganianum</i>	Succulent; Donkey's Tail; Many long pendulous stems, greenish blue leaves crowded along stems. Flower stalks have 1-6 pink flowers. Good for hanging baskets; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant

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<i>Sedum pachyphyllum</i>	Succulent; Mexico; Cylindrical blue-green leaves may be red tipped in cold weather. Yellow flowers in Spring; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
<i>Sedum rubrotinctum</i>	Succulent; Mexico; Leaves elliptic. Yellow star-shaped flowers, often suffused, red and crowded; Flowers: Spring; Sun; Well-drained
<i>Senecio 'Elkhorns'</i>	Succulent; Upright silver-grey leaves like chalk sticks; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
<i>Senecio amaniensis</i>	Succulent; 0.4m h; Spoon-shaped leaves flushed deep pink in winter. Orange red daisy-like flowers in Summer; Sun; Well-drained
<i>Senecio barbetonicus</i>	Succulent; S Africa; 0.5 - 1.8m h; Luminous lime green needle-like foliage. Fragrant yellow flowers from Winter to Spring; Sun; Well-drained
<i>Senecio cineraria ssp cineraria</i>	Perennial; Mediterranean; Evergreen white woolly leaves. Small insignificant flowers. Excellent foliage plant; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Well-drained
<i>Senecio ficoides</i>	Succulent; S Africa; The largest of the grey leaf senecios with narrow leaves often up to 15cm long. Small clusters of cream flower heads are borne on the branch ends; Flowers: Summer; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
<i>Senecio viravira</i>	Perennial; Argentina; 0.6m h x 1m w; Deeply pinnate silvery white leaves. Small pale yellow flowers. Prune after flowering; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
<i>Spiraea blumei</i>	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
<i>Spiraea japonica 'Anthony Waterer'</i>	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
<i>Spiraea japonica 'Goldflame'</i>	Shrub; Japanese Spiraea; 1 - 1.2m h x 1 - 1.2m w; Deciduous, dense, upright rounded shrub with oval leaves that emerge bronze and mature to yellow-green in summer and yellow-orange in autumn. Clusters of tiny pink flowers; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Well-drained
<i>Staphylea colchica</i>	Shrub; Bladder Nut; S Caucasus; 3.5m h x 3.5m w; Deciduous. Fragrant white flowers followed by clusters of fruit shaped like a bladder; Flowers: Spring; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Stephanotis floribunda</i>	Climber; Madagascar; Evergreen, woody stemmed climber. Strongly perfumed, waxy, white flowers. Thick glossy mid to deep green leaves to 10cm. Warm protected position; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Moist/Well-drained; Frost Tender
<i>Streptocarpus hybrid (blue)</i>	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
<i>Streptocarpus hybrid (pink)</i>	Perennial; Cape Primrose; S Africa; Ideal pot plant for indoors or outdoors. Repot annually. Flowers for months; Well-drained

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<i>Streptosolen jamesonii</i>	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
<i>Strobilanthes anisophylla</i>	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
<i>Strobilanthes lanatus</i>	Shrub; SE Asia; 1.5m h x 1.5m w; (formerly <i>S. gossypinus</i>) Decorative silvery grey velvet leaves with bronze haze. Mauve flowers, but rarely in Melbourne. Dies after flowering; Sun/Semi-shade; Frost Tender
<i>Syringa x laciniata</i>	Shrub; Fern Leaf Lilac; 2m h x 3m w; Deciduous. Lightly perfumed, true lilac-coloured flowers with beautiful ferny foliage. Fertile alkaline soil; Flowers: Spring; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
<i>Teucrium betonicum</i>	Shrub; Madeira; 0.9m h; Evergreen. Clouds of mauve tubular flowers on erect spikes. Long, pale-green, woolly leaves; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained; Frost Tender
<i>Teucrium fruticans</i>	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
<i>Teucrium marum</i>	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 Tolerant
<i>Teucrium scorodonia</i>	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; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
<i>Teucrium scorodonia 'Crispum'</i>	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
<i>Thymus 'Westmoreland'</i>	Herb; Turkey Thyme; 0.25m h; An Edna Walling favourite. Vigorous. Very fragrant green leaves. Lavender-pink flowers; Flowers: Spring; Sun; Well-drained
<i>Thymus nitidus</i>	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; Well-drained
<i>Thymus vulgaris 'Jekka'</i>	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
<i>Thymus x citriodorus 'Fragrantissimus'</i>	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
<i>Tibouchina cv (white)</i>	Shrub; 2 - 3m h; Evergreen shrub with ovate leathery leaves. Saucer to cup-shaped white flowers in threes; Flowers: Spring; Sun; Moist/Well-drained; Frost Tender

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<i>Tibouchina urvilleana</i> 'Edwardsii'	Shrub; Lasiandra; Brazil; 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
<i>Tillandsia multicaulis</i>	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 Shade
<i>Trachelospermum asiaticum</i>	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 Tolerant
<i>Trachelospermum jasminoides</i>	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-shade
<i>Trachelospermum jasminoides</i> (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
<i>Tricyrtis hirta</i> 'Alba'	Perennial; Toad Lily; Japan; 0.6m h x 0.3m w; Rhizomatous perennial bearing unusual, orchid-like white flowers with a central lavender crest, along arching stems. Slightly mottled leaves. Herbaceous. Rich soil; Flowers: Summer/Autumn; Semi Shade; Moist/Well-drained
<i>Trochodendron aralioides</i>	Tree; Japan, Korea, Taiwan; 10m h x 8m w; Broadly columnar tree. Dark evergreen leaves. Bright green, petalless flowers are wheel-shaped with many radiating spoke-like stamens. Sheltered position; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Well-drained
<i>Vancouveria hexandra</i>	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
<i>Veltheimia bracteata</i>	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; Shade
<i>Viburnum carlesii</i> '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
<i>Vriesea</i> 'Red Chestnut x Angela'	Bromeliad; Stemless epiphyte, with strap-shaped leaves, a funnel shaped rosette, and a highly coloured long lasting flower; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
<i>Vriesea guttata</i>	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
<i>Weigela</i> (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
<i>Weigela florida</i> 'Variegata'	Shrub; Korea/N China; 2m h x 2m w; Compact shrub with rose-coloured flowers and cream edged leaves; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Well-drained

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<i>Weigela florida</i> (light pink)	Shrub; Deciduous. Funnel shaped light pink flowers. Prune after flowering to maintain vigour; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Well-drained
<i>Weigela florida</i> (red)	Shrub; 2m h x 2m w; Deciduous. Unusual red flowering variety. Prune after flowering to maintain vigour; Flowers: Spring/Summer; Sun; Well-drained
<i>X Graptosedum 'Bronze'</i>	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
<i>X Graptosedum 'Francesco Baldi'</i>	Succulent; 0.15m h; Rosettes are up to 12cm in diameter, mostly blue-green but can change colour when stressed. Yellow star-shaped flowers. Careful not to over water; Flowers: Spring; Sun; Well-drained; Drought Tolerant
<i>X Graptoveria 'David Cumming'</i>	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
<i>X Graptoveria 'Snow Peach'</i>	Succulent; (Graptopetalum amethystinum x Echeveria laui) Stemless, clump-forming rosettes with chubby leaves developing a powder-pink colour in summer and white colour in winter; Sun; Well-drained
<i>X Pachysetum 'Ganzhou'</i>	Succulent; (Pachyphytum x Sedum) An easy care beautiful succulent with rosettes of plump elongated rounded leaves that vary in colour from pale pink to apricot to bright pink. Apricot flowers. Do not over water; Sun/Semi-shade; Well-drained
<i>X Pachyveria clavifolia</i>	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
<i>Zapoteca portoricensis</i>	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