

# Cordyline australis Red Star



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<b>Botanical Name:</b>	Cordyline australis Red Star
<b>Common Names:</b>	Cabbage Tree, Cabbage Palm,
<b>Native:</b>	No
<b>Foliage Type:</b>	Evergreen
<b>Plant Type:</b>	Grasses, Strappy & Tufting, Palms, Ferns & Tropical, Trees
<b>Plant Habit:</b>	Tufting, Upright Narrow

### Description:

Cordyline australis Red Star will provide a red-brown accent colour in gardens all year long. Cordyline Red Star has an upright habit, strappy foliage and develops a trunk. A fantastic plant for large patio containers and offers a sophisticated look by means of its upright leaves presented in a spherical fan like arrangement. Grows approx. 2.5m tall x 1m wide.

**Mature Height:** 2-4m      **Position:** Full Sun, Semi Shade

**Mature Width:** 60cm-1m      **Soil Type:** Loam, Sandy

**Landscape Use(s):** Balcony / Roof, Borders / Shrubbery, Coastal Garden, Courtyard, Feature, Foliage Feature / Colour, Formal Garden, Low Water Garden, Mass Planting, Tropical Garden, Container / Pot

### Pest & Diseases:

Caterpillars, Rust, Scale, Snails And Slugs

### Cultural Notes:

Prefers low humidity and dry summers. Doesn't like wet, cold soil conditions. Older leaves can be marked by rust like fungal spots, remove the worst and spray with a Rose Gun. Cordylines aren't hungry plants but do benefit from an application of plant food or slow release fertiliser. Source: © 2014 Sprint Horticulture Pty Ltd

### Plant Care:

Liquid feed, Low phosphorus slow release fertiliser

**Family Name:** Agavaceae

**Origin:** PacificIslands

### Characteristics:

**Foliage Colours:** Brown, Red

**Flower Colours:** Cream

**Flower Fragrant:** No

**Flowering Season:** Summer

**Fruit:** Insignificant

### Requirements:

**Growth Rate:** Moderate

**Maintenance Level:** Low

**Water Usage:** Low

### Tolerances:

**Drought:** High

**Frost:** High

**Wind:** High

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