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Botanical Name:	Schefflera actinophylla Amate
Common Names:	Queensland Umbrella Tree, Octopus Tree,
Native:	Yes
Foliage Type:	Evergreen
Plant Type:	Hedging / Screening, Indoor Plants, Shrubs
Plant Habit:	Shrub Like, Spreading, Upright

Description:

Small, evergreen, tropical native tree with large oval-shaped glossy green leaves. Great as an indoor plant in a large container. Grows approx. 3m tall.

Mature Height:	2-4m	Position:	Semi Shade
Mature Width:	2-4m	Soil Type:	Loam, Well Drained

Landscape Use(s): Balcony / Roof, Borders / Shrubbery, Courtyard, Feature, Hedging / Screening, Indoor Plant, Shady Garden, Tropical Garden, Wind Break, Container / Pot

Pest & Diseases:

Mealy Bugs, Mites

Cultural Notes:

Prefers bright indirect light and a well-drained soil. Can be fed with a liquid fertiliser diluted by half. Prune lightly to keep plant looking healthy and tidy. Let soil dry out in between waterings, then soak. Do not overwater.

Plant Care:

Keep moist during dry periods, Liquid feed, Mulch well

Family Name: Araliaceae

Origin: Australia

Characteristics:

Foliage Colours:	Green
Flower Colours:	Green, Yellow
Flower Fragrant:	No
Flowering Season:	Summer
Fruit:	Yes

Requirements:

Growth Rate:	Fast
Maintenance Level:	Low
Water Usage:	Medium / Moderate

Tolerances:

Drought:	Medium / Moderate
Frost:	Tender
Wind:	Tender

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