

Lomandra longifolia Evergreen Baby



Lomandra longifolia Evergreen Baby

Botanical Name:	Lomandra longifolia Evergreen Baby
Common Names:	Spiny Head Mat Rush, Basket Grass, LM600,
Native:	Yes
Foliage Type:	Evergreen
Plant Type:	Grasses, Strappy & Tufting
Plant Habit:	Clumping, Tufting

Description:

A compact form that handles drought and wet feet has been highly sought after. A tough version of Lomandra that is half the size of Tanika. Evergreen Baby™ Lomandra gets lots of golden flowers in spring and is sterile. Grows to 40-45 cm high x 45 cm wide. Use for mass planting, feature plant, borders.

Family Name: Xanthorrhoeaceae

Origin: Australia

Characteristics:

Foliage Colours: Green

Flower Colours: Yellow

Flower Fragrant: No

Flowering Season: Spring

Fruit: No

Requirements:

Growth Rate: Fast

Maintenance Level: Low

Water Usage: Low

Tolerances:

Drought: High

Frost: High

Wind: High

Mature Height: 30-60cm **Position:** Full Sun, Semi Shade

Mature Width: 30-60cm **Soil Type:** Any

Landscape Use(s): Balcony / Roof, Borders / Shrubbery, Coastal Garden, Courtyard, Foliage Feature / Colour, Formal Garden, Groundcover, Habitat, Lawn Alternatives, Low Water Garden, Mass Planting, Park And Gardens, Rockery, Verge, Container / Pot

Pest & Diseases:

Generally trouble free

Cultural Notes:

Full sun to part shade. Tolerates frost, drought and periodic wet feet. Evergreen Baby™ Lomandra works in sandy loam to heavy clay soil types. Water as required for 8-13 weeks until established. Plant in a well mulched garden (chunky mulch is recommended). For best performance ensure crown or base of plant is not below soil or mulch level. If required use slow release fertiliser in spring. Every 3-5 years cut back 15cm above the ground if required (will look better with pruning every 3 years, this depends on your requirements). Occasional watering may be required in dry periods. Where it works: QLD (does not work in northern QLD), NSW, ACT, VIC, SA & WA. Information and images courtesy of Ozbreed.

Plant Care:

Keep moist during dry periods, Low phosphorus slow release fertiliser, Mulch well

Disclaimer: Information and images provided is to be used as a guide only. While every reasonable effort is made to ensure accuracy and relevancy of all information, any decisions based on this information are the sole responsibility of the viewer.