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Botanical Name:	Phormium tenax Anna Red
Common Names:	New Zealand Flax,
Native:	No
Foliage Type:	Evergreen
Plant Type:	Grasses, Strappy & Tufting
Plant Habit:	Clumping, Tufting

Description:

Striking dark purple strappy-leaved upright foliated perennial. Use as a feature in a pot or mass plant for impact. Great contrast colour against green plants and widely used in Mediterranean style gardens. Darker leaved Phormiums need more shade than the green flax, they can burn in hot overhead sun. Grows approx 2m x 2m.

Family Name: Xanthorrhoeaceae

Origin: Pacific Islands

Characteristics:

Foliage Colours: Black, Purple

Flower Colours: Burgundy

Flower Fragrant: No

Flowering Season: Summer

Fruit: Insignificant

Requirements:

Growth Rate: Moderate

Maintenance Level: Low

Water Usage: Medium / Moderate

Tolerances:

Drought: Medium / Moderate

Frost: Moderate

Wind: Moderate

Mature Height: 1-2m **Position:** Full Sun, Semi Shade

Mature Width: 1-2m **Soil Type:** Loam, Sandy, Well Drained

Landscape Use(s): Foliage Feature / Colour, Formal Garden, Mass Planting, Tropical Garden

Pest & Diseases:

Mealy Bugs

Plant Care:

Annual slow release fertiliser, Keep moist during dry periods

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