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Botanical Name: Athyrium otophorum
Common Names: Eared Lady Fern,
Native: No
Foliage Type: Deciduous
Plant Type: Indoor Plants, Palms, Ferns & Tropical
Plant Habit: Clumping

Description:

Attractive deciduous fern with a compact clumping habit. Grey-green fronds contrast beautifully against the burgundy stems. Great for rockeries, containers and shady areas in the garden. Grows approx. 30-45cm tall x 30-45cm wide.

Mature Height: 30-60cm **Position:** Semi Shade, Shade
Mature Width: 30-60cm **Soil Type:** Clay, Well Drained

Landscape Use(s): Borders / Shrubbery, Courtyard, Foliage Feature / Colour, Groundcover, Indoor Plant, Mass Planting, Rockery, Shady Garden, Tropical Garden, Container / Pot, Under Trees

Pest & Diseases:

Generally trouble free

Cultural Notes:

Prefers a part-shade to full-shade position in a rich, moist, well-drained soil. Do not allow soil to dry out. Clumps can be divided every 3-4 years during early Spring.

Plant Care:

Annual slow release fertiliser, Keep moist during dry periods, Liquid feed, Mulch well

Family Name: Dryopteridaceae

Origin: Asia

Characteristics:

Foliage Colours: Green, Grey

Flower Colours: Insignificant

Flower Fragrant: No

Flowering Season: N/A

Fruit: No

Requirements:

Growth Rate: Moderate

Maintenance Level: Low

Water Usage: Medium / Moderate

Tolerances:

Drought: Low

Frost: Moderate

Wind: Moderate

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