

# Juncus kraussii



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**Botanical Name:** Juncus kraussii  
**Common Names:** Salt Marsh Rush, Sea Rush, Jointed Rush, Matting Rush, Dune Rush,  
**Native:** Yes  
**Foliage Type:** Evergreen  
**Plant Type:** Grasses, Strappy & Tufting  
**Plant Habit:** Clumping, Tufting, Upright, Upright Narrow

### Description:

Upright tufting perennial rush found naturally widespread across Australia. Cylindrical foliage with purplish-brown tassel shaped flower heads in Spring and summer. Naturally found in salt marshes and coastal areas, this Rush is perfect for coastal gardens and erosion control.

**Mature Height:** 1-2m      **Position:** Full Sun, Semi Shade  
**Mature Width:** 1-2m      **Soil Type:** Any, Clay, Loam, Sandy, Well Drained

**Landscape Use(s):** Aquatic Garden, Borders / Shrubbery, Coastal Garden, Erosion Control, Foliage Feature / Colour, Groundcover, Habitat, Low Water Garden, Mass Planting, Verge

**Pest & Diseases:**  
Generally trouble free

**Cultural Notes:**  
Tolerates most soil types. Refresh foliage every second year by trim back two thirds.

**Plant Care:**  
Keep moist during dry periods, Low phosphorus slow release fertiliser

**Family Name:** Juncaceae

**Origin:** Australia

### Characteristics:

**Foliage Colours:** Green

**Flower Colours:** Brown

**Flower Fragrant:** No

**Flowering Season:** Spring, Summer

**Fruit:** Yes

### Requirements:

**Growth Rate:** Moderate

**Maintenance Level:** Low

**Water Usage:** Low

### Tolerances:

**Drought:** High

**Frost:** Moderate

**Wind:** Moderate

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