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**Botanical Name:** Leucadendron laeolium salignum Inca Gold

**Common Names:** Conebush,

**Native:** No

**Foliage Type:** Evergreen

**Plant Type:** Hedging / Screening, Shrubs

**Plant Habit:** Rounded

**Description:**

Densely foliated shrub with broad green leaves. Bright yellow bracts with red edges appear in Spring and last throughout the Winter. Eye-catching shrub in the garden, potted specimen and also a great cut flower. Grows approx 1m x 1m.

**Mature Height:** 1-2m      **Position:** Full Sun

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

**Landscape Use(s):** Bird Attracting, Borders / Shrubbery, Coastal Garden, Cut Flower, Foliage Feature / Colour, Hedging / Screening, Low Water Garden, Rockery, Container / Pot

**Pest & Diseases:**

Generally trouble free

**Cultural Notes:**

Prefers a sunny positions with well drained, slightly acidic soil. Water well until established, then quite drought tolerant. Leucadendrons flower every year. Prune by removing all flowers when the colour has gone. Cut flower stem leaving about 10cm of leafy stem. Trim non flowering stems to the same height. Remove curly stems or any that are on the ground.

**Plant Care:**

Low phosphorus slow release fertiliser

**Family Name:** Proteaceae

**Origin:** Africa

**Characteristics:**

**Foliage Colours:** Green

**Flower Colours:** Yellow

**Flower Fragrant:** No

**Flowering Season:** Spring

**Fruit:** Insignificant

**Requirements:**

**Growth Rate:** Moderate

**Maintenance Level:** Low

**Water Usage:** Low

**Tolerances:**

**Drought:** High

**Frost:** Moderate

**Wind:** Moderate

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