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**Botanical Name:** Lomandra longifolia Fine N Dandy  
**Common Names:** Spiny Head Mat Rush, Basket Grass,  
**Native:** Yes  
**Foliage Type:** Evergreen  
**Plant Type:** Grasses, Strappy & Tufting, Hedging / Screening  
**Plant Habit:** Clumping, Dense, Tufting, Upright

### Description:

Lomandras are a collection of multi-purpose mat rushes. Some are planted for foliage and habit, and others display special flowering attributes. Upright or weeping, purple-grey or green-leaved, they thrive in well drained clay loams or gravelly soils; cool moist to hot dry climates are all suitable. They are hardy, versatile, low maintenance choices for compact borders, pathway edging or in rock work in bold landscapes, they are also frost hardy. Fine n Dandy has Dense fine-leaved tufting foliage with scented yellow flowers

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

**Landscape Use(s):** Balcony / Roof, Bird Attracting, Borders / Shrubbery, Coastal Garden, Courtyard, Erosion Control, Feature, Foliage Feature / Colour, Fragrant Garden, Habitat, Hedging / Screening, Low Water Garden, Mass Planting, Rockery, Verge, Container / Pot, Under Trees

**Pest & Diseases:**  
Generally trouble free

**Cultural Notes:**  
Plant in moist well drained soil and apply an organic mulch. Remove spent flower stems if desired. Feed with low phosphorus native fertilizer early spring or late summer Images and information supplied by Austraflo.

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

**Family Name:** Asparagaceae

**Origin:** Australia

### Characteristics:

**Foliage Colours:** Green

**Flower Colours:** Yellow

**Flower Fragrant:** No

**Flowering Season:** Spring, Summer

**Fruit:** Insignificant

### Requirements:

**Growth Rate:** Moderate

**Maintenance Level:** Low

**Water Usage:** Low

### Tolerances:

**Drought:** High

**Frost:** Moderate

**Wind:** Moderate

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