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Tree



Banksia marginata

SILVER BANKSIA TREE

Description

This Australian native tree has a dense growth habit with long green leaves bearing silver undersides. The leaves can have spiky or smooth margins. The large yellow cylinder shaped flowers are a stunning feature to the tree and attract native birds and insects. The flowers are borne from spring to autumn.

Foliage

☒ Evergreen

Form

☒ Broad-domed

Mature Size

5 x 4m

Uses

Can be used in native gardens and coastal areas. Anywhere with dry conditions. Great for street planting.

Position & Soil

Tolerates dry conditions and coastal exposure in a well drained soil. Does not tolerate waterlogging or high phosphorus fertilisers. A native fertiliser is recommended. A full sun position is preferred but part shade is tolerated.

Features	☐ Small ☐ Evergreen ☐ Broad-domed ☐ Bird Attracting ☐ Coastal ☐ Feature Flower ☐ Feature Foliage ☐ Informal Screening ☐ Native ☐ Signature Trees ☐ Specimen
Pot sizes in production	• 40cm/27L (1.2-1.5m)
Substitutes	• Banksia ericifolia x spinulosa 'Giant Candles' • Banksia integrifolia • Leptospermum (syn. Gaudium) laevigatum • Olea europaea 'Correggiola' • Olea europaea 'Kalamata' • Olea europaea 'Manzanillo' • Olea europaea 'Nevadillo' • Olea europaea 'Picual' • Olea europaea 'Swan Hill'

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