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Tree



Eucalyptus polyanthemos

RED BOX TREE

Description

This Australian native tree grows naturally down the central tablelands of New South Wales to Victoria, and across as far as Ararat. A tough tree, it is capable of tolerating difficult, dry stony soils. Juvenile foliage is oval in shape and grey-green in colour whilst the mature, adult leaves are more ovate. The short trunk can be smooth or box-like (fissured). Flowering occurs from September to January during which small white flowers appear.

Foliage

☒ Evergreen

Form

☒ Oval

Mature Size

10-15 x 5m

Uses

A great street/ avenue planting tree. Can also be used in Parks and Gardens for shade and native habitat

Position & Soil

Is tolerant of most soils even the most difficult of sites but does need good drainage. Can tolerate very dry conditions.

Features	☐ Large ☐ Evergreen ☐ Oval ☐ Bird Attracting ☐ Coastal ☐ Feature Flower ☐ Feature Foliage ☐ Native ☐ Shade Tree ☐ Signature Trees ☐ Specimen
Pot sizes in production	• 40cm/27L (1.4-1.6m) • 100L (2.0-2.5m)
Substitutes	• Eucalyptus melliodora • Eucalyptus melliodora 'Beardsell Pink' • Eucalyptus rubida • Eucalyptus salubris

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