



Eucalyptus Summer Scentsation™

Eucalyptus olivacea

The large yellow-green flower heads of Summer Scentsation™ produce a spectacular summer display across the Christmas to early autumn period, and the attractive perfume adds a heady touch to the festive season. The shiny grey-green leaves are a bright contrast to darker foliage even when not in flower, and the clean trunk supports this small tree of 4-6 m high x 3-4 m wide ~ a perfect scale for all gardens. So important is Summer Scentsation™ as a food source for a wide range of small birds that it should be at the top of your garden planning list, whether you live near the seaside or in drier inland climates. The flowers last for a long time in a vase, but keep your windows shut as the birds may feel that they're being deprived of lunch.



Quick Info:

Genus/Species:
Eucalyptus olivacea

Cultivar Name: Summer Scentsation

Habit: Small single trunked tree

Plant Type: Small Tree

Height (m): 3-5m

Width (m): none

Frost Tolerance: Medium

Growth Rate: Medium

Position: Full Sun to Part Shade

Flower Information:

Large heads of perfumed bright yellow gum blossoms early to late summer

Foliage Information: Glossy grey-green dense

Cultivation: Well drained clay loam sandy or stony soils neutral to acid or low alkaline pH

Fertiliser: Low P required at around 1.6 %

Climate: Cool temperate sub tropical semi arid; 1st line coastal

Maintenance: Requires little or no pruning



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