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Description	This is a large, bushy shrub or can also grow into a low lying tree with twisted branches. The grey-green, oval-shaped foliage produces small white flowers in spring or early summer that are scattered throughout the tree.
Foliage	 Evergreen or type unknown
Form	 Round
Mature Size	4 x 3m
Uses	It has been used extensively in coastal areas as a wind break and can also be used as an informal hedge. Can also be pruned to keep shape.
Position & Soil	It is a hardy shrub for moist soils in a range of climates. It prefers full sun or part shade. It is tolerant of salt spray making it particularly useful in coastal areas.
Features	 Small or type unknown  Evergreen or type unknown  Round  Bird Attracting  Coastal  Group Planting  Hedging  Informal Screening  Native or type unknown
Pot sizes in production	• 100L (1.8-2.2m)

Substitutes

- *Banksia marginata*
- *Leptospermum obovatum* 'Starry Night'
- *Leptospermum petersonii*
- *Melaleuca lanceolata*

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