

# Acacia linifolia

## (Flax-leaved Wattle)

### Description

A graceful open shrub with slender arching branches covered in foliage.

### Occurs

Occurs on sandstone & clay soils.  
Likes well-drained light-heavy soils.  
Does not like dry soils.

### Uses

Excellent around ponds or pools as a light screen or background plant. Its flowers and seeds will attract insects and birds; especially in winter.

### Flower and Foliage

Creamy yellow flowers, forming in dense clusters at the end of the branches from December to April, with a second flowering season in winter. Soft fine evergreen foliage.

### Maintenance

Acacias are short lived (7-15 years). Tip prune green growth annually to increase foliage and flowers and to extend longevity. Remove dead wood as required. May need to be watered during long dry periods in summer.



Frost  
Tolerant



Full Sun



Part Shade

Width  
2-4m



Height  
2-3m



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