

Austrostipa ramosissima

Pillar of Smoke



PLANT DESCRIPTION

Plant Type:	Drought Resistant Evergreen Grass
Height / Width:	6-7ft. H x 3 ft. W
Plant Form:	Erect column
Flower:	Flowers in branched panicles, 6 to 8 inches long, continuously emerging a silky bronze color aging to deep buff
Leaf:	A bamboo-like grass, with tall, thick canes bearing medium-green, narrow leaves
Native To:	Australia

GROWING REQUIREMENTS

Sunset Zones:	14-24
Soil:	Not particular, well-drained
Water:	Low
Sun:	Full sun, tolerates some shade. AM sun/PM shade in hot climates.
Care / Pruning:	Easy to grow. Cut back early spring.

GARDEN USE Beautiful for massing on dry hillsides for erosion control. Great accent or backdrop. Adds motion to garden.

BOTANICAL GARDEN Australian Garden