

Ficus platypoda



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Naturally occurring in rocky outcrops of central and northern Australia, this variety of fig has oval foliage that is thick and very heavily waxed almost like those of a rubber plant. It has a finely-textured grey bark and produces tiny, hard fruits which are about the size of marbles. These fruits start off yellow and change to orange as they ripen. Growing to around 8 metres, this is a good tree for pruning to a formal shape or size.

This tree can be pruned to shape for a waxy screen to 8m. It also makes an attractive specimen tree.

Prefers a moisture retentive but well drained soil in full sun.

Foliage Evergreen

Form Oval

Mature Size 8 x 5m

Family Moraceae



Small



Evergreen



Oval



Formal Screening



Native



Specimen

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