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SPECIES	Cyperus gunnii
COMMON NAME	Flecked-flat sedge
ORIGIN	From coast west to Nyngan and West Wyalong district in NSW
DESIGN USE	Herb, a spreading sedge for low moist sites in gardens and beside water areas.



HEIGHT
150 cm high, 0.6-1.5m

SPREAD
1.7-4 mm diam.

HABIT
Tufted perennial grass

FORM
Tall, tufted perennial with short thick rhizome. Culms trigonous to terete, smooth or occasionally scabrous

FLOWERS
Nut trigonous, narrow-ellipsoid, about three-quarters as long as glume, 1.5-2.2 mm long, 0.5-0.7 mm diam., pale yellow-brown to dark/bright brown. Flowering stems rigid, triangular. Bract at base of flowerhead leaf-like, 2-3 times the length of flowerhead.

FLOWERING PERIOD
Spring-summer, October to April

CLIMATIC TOLERANCES
Full sun, semi shade

HORTICULTURE
Grows in swamps and along streams. Moist swampy soils which may dry out in summer, in lowland areas

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