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SPECIES	Carex appressa
COMMON NAME	Tall Sedge
ORIGIN	Australia, New Zealand, Papua New Guinea and Java
DESIGN USE	Pool areas, ponds, dams and water features, and for containers



HEIGHT

80–100cm

SPREAD

60cm

HABIT

Grass-like

FORM

Stems are sharply triangular, hard and solid, rough on edges towards the top. Leaves 3-6mm wide, borne mainly at the base of the plant. Leaves are strong, fibrous and finely-toothed.



FLOWERS

Brownish or dull yellow-coloured spikes 5-30 cm long

FLOWERING PERIOD

Late Winter to Summer

FRUIT

Large yellow seed heads are seen in spring reaching up to one metre high.

CLIMATIC TOLERANCES

It's frost tolerant down to around -7 °C and drought tolerant performing well through extended dry periods.

HORTICULTURE

It will accept full sun or some shade and accepts virtually all soil types including wet areas.

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