plant catalogue

provincial plants + landscapes

plant type

 native flowers, groundcovers and climbers

hardiness

Correa decumbens

Spreading correa

A low growing shrub spreading to 1.5m but rarely taller than 30cm. Winter flowering with erect, tubular red flowers.





top ten

water

bird attracting shady gardens	origin	South Australia
	cultural notes	Grow full sun or part shade in well drained soil.
project type	maintenance	Prune to maintain shape.
urban and commercial residential horticultural production	tolerates	Frost and drought tolerant.
	flowering season	Winter, year-round depending on climate.
soil type and drainage	flower colour	Red tubular flowers held erect (unlike most Correas).
light - sandy soils medium - loamy soils good drainage	foliage colour	Leaves are dull green and have a leathery appearance.
	width	up to 1.5m
	height	up to 0.3m
	plant spacing	200cm apart
	recommended uses	Useful for empty spaces under large trees, in rockeries or in planting tubs, elevating the flowers for greater visibility.

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