

## Banksia serrata



### OLD MAN BANKSIA TREE

Banksia serrata is a small to medium sized tree with a single trunk, cork-like bark and deep green foliage. It is usually a gnarly looking tree. Leaf margins are serrated with lobes between 1 mm and 3 mm deep. It produces silvery grey flower spikes and cones. This species can regenerate well after bush fire due to its ability to store energy.

A very distinctive, bird attracting Australian native that can be planted in multiples and on its own as a single specimen.

This tree likes a well-drained sandy soil. A good selection for coastal conditions and are often found behind dunes along the coastline.

**Foliage** Evergreen

**Form** Round

**Mature Size** 10 x 5m

**Family** Proteaceae



**Medium**



**Evergreen**



**Round**



**Bird  
Attracting**



**Coastal**



**Feature  
Flower**



**Group  
Planting**



**Informal  
Screening**



**Native**



**Specimen**

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