

# Dwarf Papyrus



**An attractive, medium-sized member of the sedge family, suitable for waterside planting.**

## ***Cyperus prolifer***

- **Use:** This ornamental grass combines drama, grace and humor and makes a spectacular container garden plant. The plant can be planted in pots, along the waters edge of a pond, or even in a pond. Tolerates heat! Dwarf papyrus makes a great specimen plant for a submerged pot at the water's edge. Its vertical habit is accentuated by complimentary large-leaved or weeping ornamentals.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Full– part sun. The plant can be planted in pots, along the waters edge of a pond, or even in a pond. The crown of the plant should never be covered in water and in fact both of these varieties can thrive in water as shallow as a few inches. The purpose is to keep the bulk of the soil or root mass wet.
- **Growth:** Fast grower and can reach heights of 24-26” tall and 18-24” wide.
- **Hardiness:** Zone 8-11; Perennial to 20 degrees
- **Foliage:** Deciduous. Fringy fronds atop tall stiff stalks.
- **Flower:** This is one of the shortest papyrus, reaching to only 1 foot in height with greenish-brown summer flowers and short needle-thin leaf-bracts bare (leafless) that top the stems.

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