

Meta Fern Pine Topiary



Podocarpus macropyllus 'Meta'

- **Use:** An attractive topiary garden or patio tree with dense, upright branching and narrow, leathery foliage that takes to shearing well. A versatile, slow growing, and low maintenance evergreen. An effective accent, screen or clipped hedge. Well-suited to large containers or tubs, and for formal topiary.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Prefers full sun to part sun. Water regularly, when top 3 in. of soil is dry.
- **Growth:** Reaches 6 to 10 ft. tall, 3 to 5 ft. wide in 10 years; larger with age.
- **Hardiness:** Zone 7-11; Shrub
- **Foliage:** Evergreen, Needle-like leaves arranged spirally; waxy, lustrous dark green; two wide bands below
- **Flower:** Not known for flowers. male catkin-like flowers occur in clusters; edible purple-red fruit on female plants

**Also look lovely in pots
at the door for a few
years.**