

Dryopteris filixmas - Plant



The semi-evergreen leaves have an upright habit and reach a maximum length of 150 cm (59 in), with a single crown on each rootstock. The bipinnate leaves consist of 20 to 35 pinnae on each side of the rachis. The leaves taper at both ends, with the basal pinnae about half the length of the middle pinnae. The pinules are rather blunt and equally lobed all around. The stalks are covered with orange-brown scales.

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Description for *Dryopteris filixmas*

Plant height: 3 - 6 inches

Plant spread:

Dryopteris filix-mas is a common fern of the temperate Northern Hemisphere, native to much of Europe, Asia, and North America. It favours damp shaded areas in the understory of woodlands, but also shady places on hedge-banks, rocks, and screes.

Common name(s): Male fern

Flower colours: -

Bloom time: Non-flowering

Max reachable height: 2 to 3 feet

Difficulty to grow: Easy to grow

Planting and care

Propagate by division or rooting plantlets at the tips of runners or from spores. Keep in mind when planting that Common Male Fern is thought of as hardy, so this plant will survive close to or on freezing temperatures.

Sunlight: Full Sun to Partial Shade

Soil: Well-drained soil

Water: Medium

Temperature: -

Fertilizer: Apply any organic fertilizer

Caring for *Dryopteris filixmas*

Typical uses of *Dryopteris filixmas*

Special features: Excellent fern for woodland or shade gardens. Good specimen.

Culinary use: Numerous cultivars have been selected for garden use.

Ornamental use: The plant is used for ornamental purpose.

Medicinal use: Natural medicine can heal your body and mind.

References

<http://www.growplants.org/growing/dryopteris-filix-mas>

<http://www.missouribotanicalgarden.org/PlantFinder/PlantFinderDetails.aspx?taxonid=285742&isprofile=0&This>

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