

# PSEUDOSASA japonica

arrow bamboo, metake



**Maintenance advice:** Prune if necessary in spring (trimmed hedges). Wait until the shoots are shaped and the young leaves appear. To rejuvenate a clump, prune old culms from the base in spring when the new shoots (turion) occur.



**Botanical/Horticultural origin:** China, Japan, Korea; introduced by Von Siebold (D) 1850



**Use group:** Bamboo and Grass



**Height at 10 years:** 3 m



**Width at 10 years:** 2 m



**Growth:** Medium



**Fragrance:**



**Exposure:** Sun - Half shade



**Evergreen/Deciduous:**  
Evergreen



**Shape:** bush, spreading



**Colour of leaves:** Green



**Colour of flowers:**



**Soil type:** Moist to cold



**Uses:** Free standing specimen, Border, Tub/container

Calendar : J F M A M J J A S O N D