



Cinnamon Fern

Osmundastrum cinnamomeum

Growing Information

- Plant Type: Perennial
- Sunlight: Shade, part shade
- Soils: Moist, rich to average
- Bloom Time: Non-flowering
- Size: 2-4 feet in height; 2-3 foot spread

A vase-shaped clump of green leaves provides height and texture to a woodland garden, pond edge, bog garden, or wetland. The cinnamon-colored fertile fronds grow upright out of the center of the plant. Tolerates some sun if soil kept moist. Deer resistant.

Garden Companions

Teaberry (*Gaultheria procumbens*), Golden Ragwort (*Packera aurea*), Great Blue Lobelia (*Lobelia siphilitica*)

Nature Benefits

- Downy wool used by hummingbirds and other birds as nest lining.

Natural Habitat

Occurs in forests, shores of rivers or lakes, swamps, wetland edges.