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*Achillea filipendulina*

[Synonyms : *Achillea eupatorium*, *Achillea filicifolia*, *Tanacetum angulatum*]

**FERN-LEAF YARROW** is an evergreen perennial. Native from western to central Asia it has feathery, fern-like, aromatic green leaves and white to yellow flowers.

It is also known as *Achillea* (German), *Goldene Tellergarbe* (German), *Gold-Schafgarbe* (German), Gold yarrow, *Kultakärsämö* (Finnish), Milfoil, *Praktröllika* (Swedish), *Rebříček* (Slovak), *Řebříček tužebníkovidý* (Czech), Yarrow, and Yellow yarrow.

*Filipendulina* means ‘like plants in the *Filipendula* genus’ with reference to the many feathery leaves.

It is believed to have been introduced to Britain in 1803.

Fern-leaf yarrow is popular as an ornamental plant in Europe. (It is also used in dried flower arrangements as the flowers will retain their colour if dried before they begin to fade.)