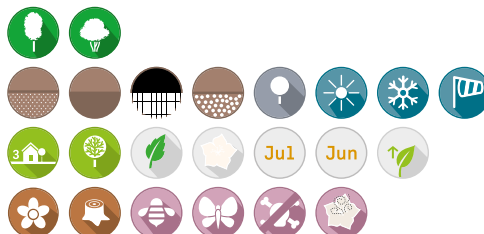


Chionanthus retusus



Высота	6 – 8 m
Ширина	6-7m
Крона	vase-shaped, half-open crown
Кора и ветви	branches brown, bark peeling and strongly grooved, cinnamon brown to black brown
Лист	oval, 4-10 cm, glossy dark green
Осенний окрас	желтый
Цветы	in upright panicles up to 10 cm, flowers 1-2 cm large, white, June-July
Плоды	drupe, oval, 1-1.5 cm, dark blue
Колючки/шипы	None
Ядовитость	неядовитый, обычно
Вид почвы	clayed soil, loamy soil, sandy soil
Мощение	неустойчив к мощению
Зона зимостойкости	6 (-23,3 до -17,8 °C)
Устойчивость к ветру	good
Прочие виды устойчивости	устойчив к морозам, зона 1 - 6, сустойчив к ветру
Дерево-среда обитания для животных	устойчив к морозам, зона 1 - 6, сустойчив к ветру, притягивает бабочек
Применение	сады на крыше, небольшие сады
Форма	штамбовое дерево, многоствольное дерево

The relatively slow-growing *Chionanthus retusus* is a small tree with a dense, round crown. *Chionanthus retusus* usually grows bushily for a long time, but will eventually grow into a small tree with a short trunk. The young twigs are brown and start to peel off after a few years. The old bark is beautifully cinnamon-brown and strongly flaking off and grooved black-brown. The oval, glossy dark green leaves are always opposite each other. In mild climates, the tree is semi-evergreen. The flowers open around midsummer. About 1.5 cm large, pure white flowers are gathered in compact panicles. The tree is dioecious and only the female plants can produce the dark blue fruits. Of course, the female flowers have to be pollinated by male ones. Fairly unknown, but perfectly hardy tree for use as a solitary or in small groups. *C. retusus* is fairly soil tolerant and tolerates lime. However, the soil must be nutritious and well-drained. It is a typical warmth lover and requires a place in full sun.