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Mespilus germanica



Высота	4 - 6 (8) m, slow growing
Ширина	4-6m
Крона	flat spherical, capricious, dark, dense crown, capricious growing
Кора и ветви	light grey, young twigs dark brown grey, woolly-haired
Лист	lanceolate to obovoid, dark green, 6 - 14 cm
Осенний окрас	желтый
Цветы	terminal, saucer-shaped, white, Ø 3.5 - 5 cm, May/June
Плоды	brown, large calyx valves, Ø 4 - 5 cm, edible fruits
Колючки/шипы	None
Ядовитость	неядовитый, обычно
Вид почвы	fertile and moisture-retentive
Мощение	неустойчив к мощению
Зона зимостойкости	5b (-26,0 до -23,4 °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, дерево-источник питания для птиц
Применение	кашпо для деревьев, сады на крыше, небольшие сады, сады в патио
Форма	штамбовое дерево, многоствольное дерево, штамбовое фруктовое дерево
Происхождение	West Asia, South Europe

This slow growing tree is a native of parts of South Europe and West Asia. The heavy main branches form a capriciously shaped crown when maturing. Mature specimen are often wider than they are high. Young twigs are grey and woolly-haired. A mature trunk is smooth and light grey. The lanceolate to obovoid leaf is very finely toothed and softly haired. In autumn it turns from red brown to golden orange. The brown, hard fruits have large calyx valves. The fruits are only edible when over-ripe, often after the first night frost. There are various cultivars that have been selected for the size of their fruits. Deep rooting. Tolerates calcareous soils and has a good hardiness and is very heat resistant.