



Acer xfreemanii 'Elegant'



Высота	ca. 20 m
Ширина	8-12m
Крона	fan shaped, dark, dense crown
Кора и ветви	no particulars
Лист	3/5 lobed, green, 10 - 20 cm
Осенний окрас	оранжевый, красный
Цветы	green-yellow, later red, March/April
Плоды	none, fruitless cultivar
Колючки/шипы	None
Ядовитость	неядовитый, обычно
Вид почвы	any soil, moderate dry to moist
Мощение	устойчив к мощению
Зона зимостойкости	4 (-34,4 до -28,9 °C)
Устойчивость к ветру	moderate
Прочие виды устойчивости	устойчив к морозам, зона 1 - 6
Дерево-среда обитания для животных	устойчив к морозам, зона 1 - 6, привлекает бабочек
Применение	аллеи и широкие улицы
Форма	штамбовое дерево, многоствольное дерево
Происхождение	Grootendorst, Boskoop, The Netherlands, 1969
Синонимы	Acer saccharinum 'Elegant'

At first this plant was considered to be an unnamed clone of *A. saccharinum* and it received the cultivar name 'Elegant'. The plant was sold under this name for some years until it was concluded that this tree belongs to the hybrid *Acer x freemanii*. It is a tall tree with a wide crown of which the main branches point upwards diagonally. The growth habit is more evenly and more compact than that of *A. saccharinum*. The thick leaves are palmatifid, a feature indicating the influence of the *A. saccharinum*. A great advantage, in contrast to the *A. saccharinum*, is, that 'Elegant' is better wind resistant. The tree thrives well in hard surfaces and it is therefore perfectly suitable for wide streets and avenues. It is an outstanding example of a park tree.