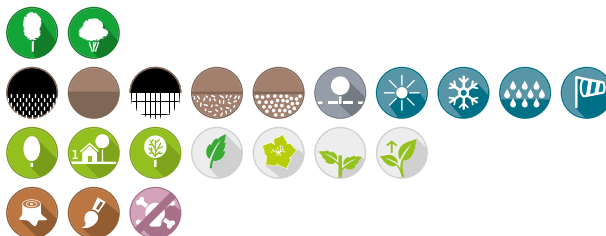




Betula nigra 'Heritage'



Высота	10 - 15 (20) m
Ширина	6-10m
Крона	pyramidal to oval, half-open crown
Кора и ветви	young twigs red brown, trunk (grey) white, peeling
Лист	diamond-shaped to ovoid, shiny deep green, 5 - 10 cm
Осенний окрас	желтый
Цветы	yellow green catkins, ♂ 1 - 1.5 cm, ♀ 6 - 8 cm, mid-April
Плоды	yellow brown fruiting catkins, circa 2.5 cm
Колючки/шипы	None
Ядовитость	неядовитый, обычно
Вид почвы	no clay with a high pH
Влажность почвы	устойчив к влажным почвам
Мощение	устойчив к частичному мощению
Зона зимостойкости	4 (-34,4 до -28,9 °C)
Устойчивость к ветру	very good
Прочие виды устойчивости	устойчив к морозам, зона 1 - 6, устойчив к ветру
Применение	кашпо для деревьев, сады на крыше
Форма	штамбовое дерево, многоствольное дерево
Происхождение	Heritage Seedlings, Salem, Oregon, USA, before 1997
Синонимы	Betula nigra 'Cully'

A very good selection of the nigra birch, found in America. Grows rapidly into an average-sized, graceful tree with pendent branches. At a young age the trunk is white-silvery and it retains this colour when maturing. The bark peels. Young twigs are red brown with dark lenticels. The leaf is shiny and deep green and turns to yellow in autumn. 'Heritage' has an early inflorescence, very abundant and because of the 8 cm long male catkins very striking. Originally growing in moist soil, but also thriving in drier locations. The tree is shallow-rooted and has a delicate root system and many fibrous rootlets. This variety is very suitable for use in warm areas, but is hardy too. 'Heritage' is resistant to the bronze birch borer which can often be found in America.