



## Acer cappadocicum subsp. lobelii



<b>Height</b>	12 - 18 (20) m
<b>Crown</b>	columnar, later vase shaped, half-open crown
<b>Bark and branches</b>	of the species, young twigs blue pruinose
<b>Leaf</b>	5 lobes, 8 - 14 cm, dark green
<b>Autumn colour</b>	yellow
<b>Flowers</b>	yellow-green corymbs, 5 - 6 cm, April/May
<b>Fruits</b>	flat oval fruits
<b>Spines/thorns</b>	None
<b>Toxicity</b>	usually not toxic to people, (large) pets and livestock
<b>Soil type</b>	humic, tolerates hard surfaces
<b>Paving</b>	tolerates paving
<b>Winter hardiness zone</b>	6b (-20,5 to -17,8 °C)
<b>Wind resistance</b>	good
<b>Other resistances</b>	resistant to frost (WH 1 - 6), can withstand wind
<b>Fauna tree</b>	resistant to frost (WH 1 - 6), can withstand wind, valuable for butterflies
<b>Application</b>	avenues and broad streets, parks, cemeteries, large gardens
<b>Shape</b>	clearstem tree
<b>Origin</b>	South Italy
<b>Synonyms</b>	Acer lobelii

Medium-sized tree with a conspicuously slender, columnar shaped crown, turning into a more vase-like shape when maturing. The young twigs are distinctively covered by a bluish white wax coating, a characteristic feature of this cultivar. The shiny, dark green leaves have five forward pointing lobes. In autumn the leaf turns yellow. 'Lobel' is a cultivar that is not tolerant to a high pH like the other cultivars of the A. cappadocicum. 'Lobel' is, however, wind resistant and can perfectly be used in hard surfaces. This excellent cultivar is extremely suitable for narrow streets, but 'Lobel' is also very characteristic as a park tree.