



## Fagus sylvatica 'Dawyck Gold'



<b>Height</b>	20 - 25 m
<b>Crown</b>	columnar, dark, dense crown
<b>Bark and branches</b>	smooth, grey bark, soft
<b>Leaf</b>	oval to ovate, golden yellow to light green, 4 - 9 cm long
<b>Autumn colour</b>	yellow
<b>Flowers</b>	small, inconspicuous flower catkins, May
<b>Fruits</b>	nuts, in cupules covered with brushy spines, 1 - 2 cm
<b>Spines/thorns</b>	None
<b>Toxicity</b>	usually not toxic to people, (large) pets and livestock
<b>Soil type</b>	well drained, humic soil, not too wet
<b>Paving</b>	tolerates no paving
<b>Winter hardiness zone</b>	5b (-26,0 to -23,4 °C)
<b>Wind resistance</b>	moderate
<b>Other resistances</b>	resistant to frost (WH 1 - 6)
<b>Application</b>	avenues and broad streets, narrow streets, parks, cemeteries, large gardens
<b>Shape</b>	clearstem tree, feathered tree
<b>Origin</b>	Trompenburg Arboretum, Rotterdam, Netherlands, 1973

Fagus sylvatica 'Dawyck Gold' is a tall tree with upright growing branches that retains its shape. It originated from a crossing between the cultivars 'Dawyck' and 'Zlatia'. The columnar crown attains a height of 20 - 25 m. Spread is circa 3 m. The oval to ovate leaves are golden yellow in spring. During summer the leaf is light green, turning to golden yellow in autumn, size of leaf 4 - 9 cm. The tree has an inconspicuous inflorescence which is followed by small nuts in autumn. 'Dawyck Gold' is suitable as a solitary. Prefers well-drained soil, rich in humus content. Winter hardiness zone: 5b