



Fraxinus americana var. microcarpa



Height	10-15 m
Crown	broad ovoid, half-open crown
Bark and branches	brown, grey
Leaf	green, feathered leaf
Autumn colour	yellow, orange, red
Flowers	yellowgreen, flowers in May
Spines/thorns	None
Toxicity	usually not toxic to people, (large) pets and livestock
Soil type	clayed soil, loamy soil, sandy soil, calcareous soil
Paving	tolerates partial paving
Winter hardiness zone	4 (-34,4 to -28,9 °C)
Wind resistance	good
Other resistances	resistant to frost (WH 1 - 6), can withstand wind, resistant to de-icing salt
Application	avenues and broad streets, parks, squares, cemeteries, large gardens, windbreaks
Shape	clearstem tree

Fraxinus americana var. microcarpa is a narrow-growing variety of F. americana, which sprouts late and is therefore less susceptible to night frost. The crown is closed and wide ovoid, height circa 15 m. Dark green, odd-pinnate leaves, usually with 5 - 7 leaflets, 30 - 40 cm big. Underneath grey white and with a violet-yellow autumn colouring. Inflorescence in May, monoecious panicles. Seeds ± 3 cm large. Useful as a park, avenue and street tree. Preferably rich, moist, open soil, can also be planted in dry loamy soil. Wind resistant. Winter hardiness zone: 4