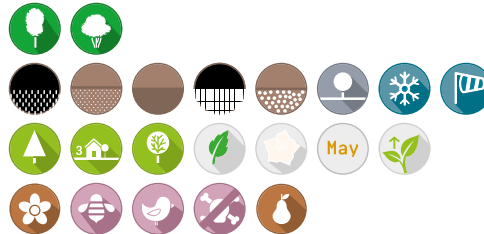




Malus toringoides



Height	6 m
Crown	broad pyramidal, half-open crown
Bark and branches	grey-brown, smooth
Leaf	oval, lobed, dark green
Flowers	white, about 2 - 2.5 cm, May
Fruits	pear-shaped, yellow, length about 1.5 cm
Spines/thorns	None
Toxicity	usually not toxic to people, (large) pets and livestock
Soil type	fertile, well drained soil
Paving	tolerates paving
Winter hardiness zone	5b (-26,0 to -23,4 °C)
Wind resistance	good, susceptible to sea wind
Other resistances	resistant to frost (WH 1 - 6), can withstand wind
Fauna tree	resistant to frost (WH 1 - 6), can withstand wind, provides food for birds
Application	parks, squares, cemeteries, industrial areas, large gardens, small gardens, patio gardens
Shape	clearstem tree, multi-stem treem
Origin	Western China

Malus toringoides is a small tree from Western China with a broad pyramidal crown. Height approx. 6 m. The dark green leaves are lobed with one pair of lobes with a pointed top. The leaf edge is finely serrated. Diameter of flowers 2 - 2.5 cm. The flowers are in bunches of 4 to 7. The numerous fruits are a remarkable colour of yellowish-red, pear-shaped and approx. 1.5 cm in size. They stay on the tree till December. The tree prefers a nutritious soil. Winter hardiness zone: 5b