



Prunus maackii



Height	8-12 m
Crown	broad ovoid, half-open crown
Bark and branches	flaking, yellowbrown, gold colour, orange
Leaf	green
Autumn colour	yellow, red
Flowers	white, flowers in April, fragrant flowers
Fruits	black
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	3 (-40,0 to -24,5 °C)
Wind resistance	moderate
Other resistances	resistant to frost (WH 1 - 6)
Fauna tree	resistant to frost (WH 1 - 6), provides food for birds
Application	avenues and broad streets, parks, squares, tree containers, cemeteries, roof gardens, large gardens
Shape	clearstem tree

Fast-growing, medium-sized, semi-transparent tree with ascending branches. It forms an ovoid crown with a final height of 8 - 12 m. A remarkable feature is the golden-yellow flaky bark and old branches. The leaves are approx. 10 cm long, oval to narrow oval, with a pointed top and a finely serrated edge. The small fragrant white flowers appear in standing bunches in late April and early May. The tree does not produce many flowers. The flowers are followed by small black fruits. *Prunus maackii* does well as a park tree and does not prosper in wet soil. This tree is not often cultivated. Winter hardiness zone: 3 The trunk and old branches of *Prunus maackii* turn a warm golden-brown colour. This makes the tree a worthwhile solitary even in the winter.