



Tilia tomentosa 'Szeleste'



Height	20-25 m
Crown	ovoid / egg-shaped, half-open crown
Bark and branches	grey
Leaf	green, greygreen
Autumn colour	yellow
Flowers	yellow, flowers in July, fragrant flowers
Fruits	green, grey
Spines/thorns	None
Toxicity	usually not toxic to people, (large) pets and livestock
Soil type	clayed soil, loamy soil, sandy soil, peaty soil, all soil types
Soil moisture	suitable for dry soil
Paving	tolerates paving
Winter hardiness zone	6a (-23,3 to -20,6 °C)
Wind resistance	tolerates (sea) wind
Other resistances	resistant to frost (WH 1 - 6)
Fauna tree	resistant to frost (WH 1 - 6), valuable for butterflies
Application	avenues and broad streets, parks, squares, tree containers, cemeteries, roof gardens, coastal areas, industrial areas, large gardens, windbreaks
Shape	clearstem tree

A Hungarian cultivar with a strongly ascending manner of growth and a narrow ovoid crown that becomes broader later. Height 20 - 25 m, width up to approx. 15 m. The smooth trunk is dark grey: young twigs are greenish grey and felt-like. The leaves are more or less round, and the top is darker green than those of the species, while the underside is more intensely white and felt-like. In the autumn they turn light yellow and stay on the tree for a long time. In July, strongly aromatic flowers appear. 'Szeleste' is used often as an avenue and street tree thanks to its uniform, relatively narrow manner of growth. Fairly unsusceptible to aphids. Winter hardiness zone: 6a