



Gleditsia triacanthos 'Globosa'



Height	2-4 m
Width	2-4m
Crown	round/spherical, half-open crown
Bark and branches	grey
Leaf	green, feathered leaf
Autumn colour	yellow
Flowers	light green, flowers in June
Spines/thorns	None
Toxicity	usually not toxic to people, (large) pets and livestock
Soil type	loamy soil, sandy soil, calcareous soil
Soil moisture	suitable for dry soil
Paving	tolerates paving
Winter hardiness zone	5a (-28,8 to -26,1 °C)
Wind resistance	good
Other resistances	resistant to frost (WH 1 - 6), can withstand wind, resistant to de-icing salt
Application	tree containers
Shape	clearstem tree

A spherical-shaped shrub, often grafted on a stem. This generates a compact growing, small tree with a height to circa 4 m. The understock is usually *G. triacanthos* f. *inermis*, which has a grey colour and has fine, shallow fissures. 'Globosa' is a spineless variety. The compound leaf is sometimes pinnate and sometimes twice-pinnate, unfolds late and turns golden yellow in autumn. It is 15 to 20 cm in size. The single leaflets are circa 2 cm. This cultivar does not flower and as a consequence does not bear pods. Tolerant to hard surfaces. Winter hardiness zone: 5a