



Robinia ×margaretta CASQUE ROUGE ('Pink Cascade')



Height	6 - 10 m
Width	5-8m
Crown	round/spherical, half-open crown
Bark and branches	brown, grey
Leaf	green, bronze, feathered leaf
Flowers	purplepink, flowers in May, fragrant flowers
Fruits	brown
Spines/thorns	Yes
Toxicity	has toxic components
Soil type	clayed soil, loamy soil, sandy soil, calcareous soil
Soil moisture	suitable for dry soil
Paving	tolerates no paving
Winter hardiness zone	5 (-28,8 to -23,4 °C)
Wind resistance	fairly
Other resistances	resistant to frost (WH 1 - 6), resistant to de-icing salt
Fauna tree	resistant to frost (WH 1 - 6), resistant to de-icing salt, valuable for bees (honey plant)
Application	tree containers, industrial areas
Shape	clearstem tree
Synonyms	Robinia x margaretta 'Pink Cascade', Robinia x margaretta 'Purple Crown'

A medium-high tree that is also sometimes grown as a large shrub. It is a vigorously growing cultivar with an irregularly rounded, slightly flattened and open crown and a height of 6 - 10 m, width 5 - 8 m. The branches grow upright at first and bend over later in life. Young twigs are brown coloured and have conspicuous spines of about 0.5 cm. The young unfurling leaves are also brown to bronze coloured. 'Casque Rouge' is a selection with a beautiful dark pink inflorescence. The strongly scented flowers are in approximately 15 cm long clusters and are 2 - 3 cm in size and purple-pink in colour. On the flag is a striking yellow spot. Especially young specimens of this deep-rooting tree are susceptible to branch breakage.