



Aesculus ×neglecta 'Autumn Fire'



Height	15 - 20 m
Width	12-14m
Crown	broad ovoid to round, dark, dense crown
Bark and branches	grey, bark rough, buds are non-sticky
Leaf	5-fingered, green, 10 - 15 cm
Autumn colour	orange, red
Flowers	light yellow with light red base, in panicles, may/june
Fruits	smooth, poisonous
Spines/thorns	None
Toxicity	has toxic components
Soil type	few soil requirements, can tolerate paved surfaces
Paving	tolerates paving
Winter hardiness zone	5 (-28,8 to -23,4 °C)
Wind resistance	moderate to poor
Other resistances	resistant to frost (WH 1 - 6)
Fauna tree	resistant to frost (WH 1 - 6), valuable for bees (honey plant)
Application	tree containers, roof gardens
Shape	clearstem tree, multi-stem treem
Origin	Boomkwekerij Pavia, Deerlijk, Belgium, 1995

A. × neglecta is a natural hybrid of A. flava and A. sylvatica. Relatively slow growing tree, eventually medium to large with an almost round crown. The bark is initially grey-brown and smooth, becoming greyer and rough later. The green leaves are hairless except for the veins. The autumn colour is a splendid orange-red, which is why the plant was selected. Flowers light yellow with light red base, sometimes followed by spineless fruit. Although the tree can tolerate paved surfaces, it is primarily for use in large gardens and parks.