



# Fraxinus americana 'Autumn Purple'



Height	15-18 m
Width	15-18m
Crown	broad ovoid, half-open crown
Bark and branches	brown, grey
Leaf	green, feathered leaf
Autumn colour	red, purple
Flowers	purplegreen, flowers in April
Fruits	fruitless cultivar
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	4 (-34,4 to -28,9 °C)
Wind resistance	good
Other resistances	resistant to frost (WH 1 - 6), can withstand wind, resistant to de-icing salt
Application	avenues and broad streets
Shape	clearstem tree, multi-stem treem
Synonyms	Fraxinus americana 'Junginger'

Fraxinus americana 'Autumn Purple' (syn. F. americana 'Junginger') is an American selection with a wide ovoid crown and a striking autumn colour. Height 15 - 18 m. The fresh green, odd-pinnate leaves, with usually 7 leaflets, become 30 - 40 cm big. The veins are striking and the autumn colour is red purple to deep purple. It is a male cultivar bearing no fruits. Used as a park, avenue and street tree. Prefers moist, slightly acid soil. Good wind resistance. Winter hardiness zone: 4