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Prunus serrulata 'Hokusai'



Height	6-8 m
Width	6-8m
Crown	broad vase-shaped, half-open crown
Bark and branches	brown
Leaf	green, bronze
Autumn colour	yellow, orange
Flowers	light pink, flowers in May
Fruits	seldom
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 no paving
Winter hardiness zone	6a (-23,3 to -20,6 °C)
Wind resistance	fairly
Other resistances	resistant to frost (WH 1 - 6)
Application	avenues and broad streets, tree containers, small gardens
Shape	clearstem tree, multi-stem treem

Prunus serrulata 'Hokusai' as a young tree grows powerfully upwards, the crown becoming broader at a later stage. The tree is usually grafted low down and forms a broad vase-shaped crown. Adult specimens can attain a height of 6 - 8 m. The young leaves emerge bronze coloured but later turn dark green. The tree flowers in mid-May, producing semi-double pale pink flowers that turn almost white. Diameter of flowers 4 - 5 cm. Seldom produces fruit. It does not stand up to wet soil. 'Hokusai' is used in gardens, parks and open stretches of greenery. Winter hardiness zone: 6a