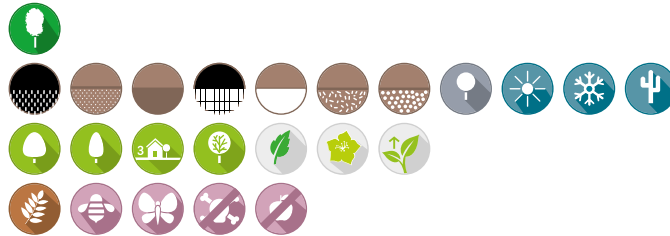




Acer negundo 'Sensation'



Height	8-10 m
Width	6-8m
Crown	ovoid / egg-shaped, half-open crown
Bark and branches	young twigs shiny green and pruinose
Autumn colour	red, purple
Flowers	greenish yellow, April
Fruits	none: male cultivar, fruitless cultivar
Spines/thorns	None
Toxicity	usually not toxic to people, (large) pets and livestock
Soil type	few requirements, tolerant to calcereous soil
Soil moisture	suitable for dry soil
Paving	tolerates no paving
Winter hardiness zone	4 (-34,4 to -28,9 °C)
Wind resistance	moderate
Other resistances	resistant to frost (WH 1 - 6)
Fauna tree	resistant to frost (WH 1 - 6), valuable for butterflies
Application	industrial areas
Shape	clearstem tree

With an oval crown, 'Sensation' is clearly narrower than the species *A. negundo* and other cultivars of this species. Forms a compact crown with sturdy stem branches and eventually grows about 10 m high. The spring foliage is reddish bronze. In summer it is dark green, but always with a coppery tinge. Autumn colours are deep crimson to deep red and often persist for weeks. 'Sensation' is a male cultivar and so will not produce seeds and nuisance seedlings. It is a strong cultivar that tolerates a lot of drought and heat. Was selected by J. Frank Schmidt & Son Co, Boring, Oregon, USA, in the late 1980s and introduced in 1993. Hardiness zone: 4