Chinese Elm

Ulmus parvifolia





Description

Typical height: 6-8 metres

Typical width: 8-10 metres

Growth rate: Moderate to Fast

Typical form:

Medium sized broad domed tree with ascending branches.

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Origin

Native to eastern Asia.

Characteristics

Small, glossy, dark green leaves. Orange-brown flaking bark

Tolerances

High drought and frost tolerance. Tolerates compaction and a restricted root zone.

Facts and Trivia

Unaffected by Elm Leaf Beetle.

Wind pollinated and wind-dispersed with samaras that gain distance by spinning like a propeller. Wind pollinated trees are of little interest to grazing birds or insects.