Crepe Myrtle

Lagerstroemia indica





Description

Typical height: 3-5 metres

Typical width:

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Growth rate:

Slow to moderate

Typical form:

Small deciduous upright vaseshaped tree becoming rounded with age

Origin

China and Korea

Characteristics

Oval leaves, good autumn colour. Smooth, ornamental bark on multi-trunked tree. Panicles of medium to hot pink flowers.

Tolerances

Moderate to high drought tolerance

Facts and Trivia

Known for its brilliant floral displays in late summer through to autumn. Different varieties bloom in shades of pink, purple, mauve, carmine, red and white.