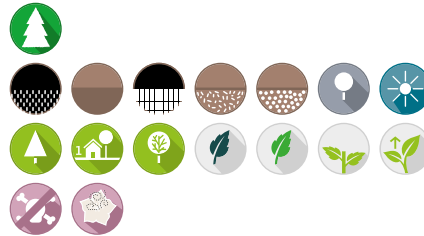




Cedrus deodara 'Robusta'



Height	12 - 15 m
Width	10-12m
Crown	broad pyramidal, half-open crown
Bark and branches	first grey and smooth, later becoming rough
Leaf	needles in bundles, dark bluish green, up to 8 cm, evergreen
Flowers	unremarkable, fragrant flowers
Fruits	reddish brown cones, 8 - 12 cm, 1 to 2 together
Spines/thorns	None
Toxicity	usually not toxic to people, (large) pets and livestock
Soil type	nutrient-rich, well-permeable, acidic soils
Paving	tolerates no paving
Winter hardiness zone	7b (-14,9 to -12,3 °C)
Wind resistance	moderate
Application	avenues and broad streets, industrial areas
Shape	specimen conifer
Origin	unknown

This is a cultivar with horizontal lateral branches that are irregularly pendulous at the end. The tree grows out very broadly and develops a broad, pyramidal crown. The crown is more open than those of the species. The needles grow in groups, with up to 30 bundled together. They are dark, bluish green and remarkably longer than those of the species and other cultivars: up to 8 cm. The ovoid, upright cones grow singly or in pairs and have a round top. Saplings are particularly sensitive to frost, requiring a sunny site sheltered from wind. Does not thrive well in high-pH soils.