



Acer rubrum 'Karpick'



Height	12 - 15 m
Width	4-6m
Crown	columnar to narrow ovoid, dark, dense crown
Bark and branches	grey trunk, dark reddish-brown twigs
Leaf	palmete, lobed, shiny dark green, leaf stem red, about 10 cm, autumn colour yellow to red
Autumn colour	yellow, orange, red
Flowers	red, in small umbels, onl ♂ male, March/April
Fruits	none: male cultivar, fruitless cultivar
Spines/thorns	None
Toxicity	usually not toxic to people, (large) pets and livestock
Soil type	moist, not calcareous
Paving	tolerates partial paving
Winter hardiness zone	4 (-34,4 to -28,9 °C)
Wind resistance	poor to moderate
Other resistances	resistant to frost (WH 1 - 6)
Application	avenues and broad streets, narrow streets
Shape	clearstem tree, multi-stem treem
Origin	Femrite Nursery, Aurora, OR, USA, circa 1980

Young specimen are very narrow, mature wider. An ideal tree for narrow streets and avenues. Height up to 15 m. A selection with strikingly red-brown coloured twigs. The leaf stalk is red-brown too. The leaf is bright green and can be 10 cm. The underside of the leaf is blue green. Eye-catching yellow to red autumn colours. It is a male variety without flowers or fruits. In limy soil the growth stunts. No autumn colouring in dry soils. Poor tolerance to (sea) wind. Winter hardiness zone: 4