



Castanea sativa 'Vincent van Gogh'



Height	3,5 - 4 m
Width	2,5-3m
Crown	round/spherical, dark, dense crown
Bark and branches	brown
Leaf	green, purple
Flowers	cream white, flowers in June, fragrant flowers
Fruits	edible fruits, brown
Spines/thorns	None
Toxicity	usually not toxic to people, (large) pets and livestock
Soil type	clayed soil, loamy soil, sandy soil, peaty soil, acid soil
Paving	tolerates no paving
Winter hardiness zone	6a (-23,3 to -20,6 °C)
Wind resistance	good
Other resistances	resistant to frost (WH 1 - 6), can withstand wind
Fauna tree	resistant to frost (WH 1 - 6), can withstand wind, valuable for butterflies
Application	small gardens
Shape	clearstem tree, clearstem fruit tree, halfstem fruit tree

Castanea sativa 'Vincent van Gogh' is a cultivar discovered by accident among seedlings. It was found in Zundert (Netherlands), the birthplace of Vincent van Gogh. Its height depends on the height of graft and varies between 3.5 and 4 m. Up to the present no larger specimens have been found. The crown is spherical and very compact. The flowers are the same as those of the species. Fruit and leaves are smaller. The leaves are reddish-purple when they emerge in the spring and in summer growth. Winter hardiness zone: 6a