



Taxodium distichum 'P    Minaret'



Height	3-4 m
Width	3-4m
Crown	narrow conical, half-open crown
Bark and branches	twigs green to reddish brown, bark reddish brown, fibrous grooved
Leaf	green
Autumn colour	orange, red
Flowers	inconspicuous, flowers in March
Fruits	green, brown
Spines/thorns	None
Toxicity	usually not toxic to people, (large) pets and livestock
Soil type	loamy soil, sandy soil, peaty soil, acid soil
Soil moisture	suitable for wet soil, withstand short flood, withstand long flood
Paving	tolerates partial 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
Application	industrial areas, small gardens, patio gardens
Shape	clearstem tree, feathered tree, clearstem conifer, specimen conifer

Taxodium distichum 'P    Minaret' 'Minaret' is a particularly characteristic cultivar that initially has a columnar crown, but later becomes narrowly pyramidal. It forms a small tree of 3 - 4 m in height. The young twigs are green to red-brown on the sunny side. The older bark is red-brown and fibrously flaky, typical of T. distichum. The needles are on short shoots. The needles and short shoots fall off simultaneously in autumn. On the long shoots, the foliage is scaly. The foliage emerges bright green, once mature is dark green. The autumn colour is orange-brown. The needles are very dense and smaller than those of the species. This gives 'P    Minaret' a distinctly more compact appearance. It tolerates moist to wet soils and can be used in semi-paved areas. Beautiful cultivar for use in (small) gardens, squares, in residential areas and in cemeteries. 'P    Minaret' was found as a seedling by Piet Vergeldt from Lottum. Hardiness zone: 6a