



Celtis occidentalis 'Globosa'



Height	6-8 m
Width	4-6m
Crown	round/spherical, half-open crown, capricious growing
Bark and branches	grey
Leaf	green
Autumn colour	yellow
Flowers	green, flowers in April
Fruits	orange, purple/brown, black
Spines/thorns	None
Toxicity	usually not toxic to people, (large) pets and livestock
Soil type	clayed soil, loamy soil, sandy soil, nutrient-poor soil
Soil moisture	suitable for dry soil
Paving	tolerates paving
Winter hardiness zone	4 (-34,4 to -28,9 °C)
Wind resistance	slightly susceptible
Other resistances	resistant to frost (WH 1 - 6)
Fauna tree	resistant to frost (WH 1 - 6), valuable for butterflies
Application	avenues and broad streets, industrial areas

'Globosa' differs from the species *C. occidentalis* by having a semi-open, round crown. It eventually grows into a small tree about 6-8 m tall. Like actually all *Celtis*, the tree grows somewhat erratically. This gives the tree a less static, more informal, character. The leaves are oblong ovoid, about 7-13 cm long and have long pointed tips. The leaves are glossy green and turn golden yellow in autumn before falling off. Flowering is inconspicuous but does attract bees. The round drupes are about 1 cm in size and vary in colour from brown-orange to black. Has few soil requirements, tolerates some drought and is somewhat sensitive to wind. It can be used in paving and tolerates air pollution. 'Globosa' is therefore also suitable for use in industrial areas. Hardiness zone 4