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Fagus sylvatica 'Albomarginata'



Height	30 m
Width	20-25m
Crown	round/spherical, dark, dense crown
Bark and branches	grey
Leaf	variegated, off white/ green
Flowers	yellowgreen, flowers in May
Fruits	brown
Spines/thorns	None
Toxicity	usually not toxic to people, (large) pets and livestock
Soil type	loamy soil, sandy soil, peaty soil, calcareous soil
Paving	tolerates no paving
Winter hardiness zone	5b (-26,0 to -23,4 °C)
Wind resistance	moderate
Other resistances	resistant to frost (WH 1 - 6)
Shape	clearstem tree

A cultivar that is not commonly seen. The main difference with the species is its irregularly white-margined leaf. The habit is the same as the species but slower. The soft bark is smooth and grey and may be damaged when exposed to open sun light. The leaf is slightly smaller than of the species, circa 4 - 8 cm and has a curved margin. In hot and sunny periods it may be scorched. 'Albomarginata' has a yellow-brown autumn colour and an inconspicuous inflorescence. The nuts appear in autumn. This solitary park tree is shallow-rooting so that undergrowth gets little chance. Prefers not too wet, well-drained soil, rich in humus content. Hard surfaces are less tolerated. Winter hardiness zone: 5b