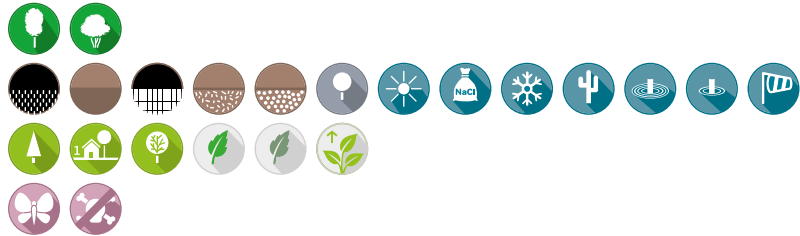




Populus tremula 'Tapiu'



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| Height | 15 m, fast growing |
| Width | 3-5m |
| Crown | pyramidal, half-open crown |
| Bark and branches | twigs yellow-brown, bark light grey, smooth |
| Leaf | round to wide ovate, dark green |
| Flowers | catkins, up to 3 cm long |
| Fruits | fruiting catkins 8 - 12 cm long |
| Spines/thorns | None |
| Toxicity | usually not toxic to people, (large) pets and livestock |
| Soil type | any |
| Soil moisture | suitable for dry soil, withstand short flood, withstand long flood |
| Paving | tolerates no paving |
| Winter hardiness zone | 2 (-45,5 to -40,1 °C) |
| Wind resistance | good |
| Other resistances | resistant to frost (WH 1 - 6), can withstand wind, resistant to de-icing salt |
| Fauna tree | resistant to frost (WH 1 - 6), can withstand wind, resistant to de-icing salt, valuable for butterflies |
| Application | avenues and broad streets, coastal areas |
| Shape | clearstem tree, multi-stem treem |
| Origin | Braunschweig, Germany |

A rapidly growing cultivar of the aspen with an ascending regular trunk. At first narrow, it later grows more pyramidal. The trunk is smooth and grey, the twigs yellowish-brown. The branches are dense. The upright branches can be slightly bent at the top. The broad ovoid to rounded leaves are dark green, somewhat lighter on the underside. It is usually broader than tall. Not sensitive to late night frost. Used for planting in verges, for rural areas and as a park tree. 'Tapiu' was selected from seedlings from the Tapiu district of the German federal state of Prussia. Breeding is vegetative. Winter hardiness zone: 4