Malus baccata 'Gracilis'

- **Height**: 4-6 m
- **Crown**: broad weeping, half-open crown
- **Bark and branches**: brown
- **Leaf**: green
- **Flowers**: white, flowers in May
- **Fruits**: yellow, orange
- **Spines/thorns**: none
- **Toxicity**: non-toxic (usually)
- **Soil type**: clay soil, loamy soil, sandy soil, acid soil, calcareous soil
- **Paving**: tolerates no paving
- **Winter hardiness**: 3 (-40,0 to -34,5 °C)
- **Wind resistance**: good, susceptible to sea wind
- **Wind / frost / salt**: resistant to frost (WH 1 - 6)
- **Fauna tree**: valuable for bees (honey plant), provides food for birds
- **Application**: parks, tree containers, theme parks, cemeteries, industrial areas, large gardens, small gardens, patio gardens
- **Type/shape**: clearstem tree, multi-stem tree, specimen tree

A broad weeping tree with a height of 4 - 6 m. The twigs are thin and the leaves narrow and glossy green. 'Gracilis' flowers in May, producing small white flowers with a diameter of approx. 3 - 4 cm. In the bud they are dark red. The flowers are single. The yellow fruit, that later turns more orange and measures approx. 1 cm in diameter, appears after flowering. The tree makes heavy demands on the soil as regards moisture supply and fertility. For planting in parks and small gardens. 'Gracilis' is only slightly resistant to scab and pretty resistant to mildew. Winter hardiness zone: 3