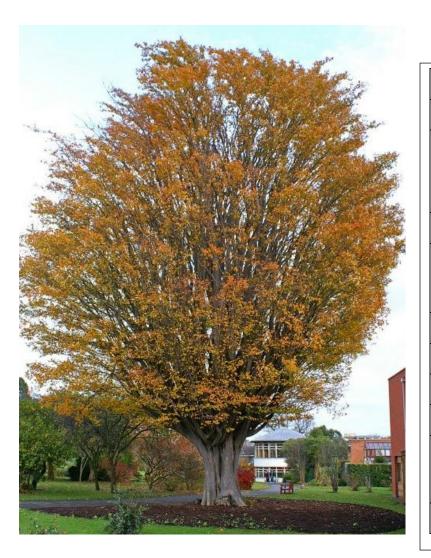


Zelkova carpinifolia Caucasian Zelkova



Category: Large Deciduous Shade Tree

Hardiness: 5-8

Foliage: The <u>leaves</u> are alternate, (1.6-3.9 in) long and $(1-2+\frac{3}{8} \text{ in})$ broad, the margin bluntly serrated with 7–12 teeth on each side.; oval or slightly heart-shaped at the base; dark green.

Bark: grayish- tan exfoliating bark.

Shape: The crown is a highly distinctive vase-shape, with a short broad trunk dividing low down into numerous nearly erect branches.

Mature Size: 65-115ft tall

Growth Rate: Slow

Shade: Full sun

Adaptability: loamy soil well drained

Native Habitat: The Transcaucasian forests of Russia Caucasus, Kaçkar, and Alborz mountains in the extreme southeast of Europe and Southwest Asia

Uses: Commemorative tree, Arbor Day tree



