

# *Albizia julibrissin*

Persian silk tree, Mimosa tree, Pink silk tree



## SEASONAL COLOURS



## TYPES OF PLANTING

**Tree types:** standard trees, half-stem trees, multi-stemmed trees, characteristic trees, solitary shrubs | **Topiary on stem:** multi-stem umbrella

## USE

**Location:** park, central reservation, in containers, large garden, cemetery, coastal area | **Pavement:** none | **Planting concepts:** Prairie planting

## CHARACTERISTICS

**Crown shape:** wide vase-shaped | **Crown structure:** semi-open | **Height:** 8 - 15 m | **Width:** 7 - 10 m | **Winter hardiness zone:** 7B - 10B

## ASPECTS

**Wind:** tolerant to wind, slightly tolerant to coastal wind | **Soil:** loess, sabulous clay, light clay, sand, loamy soil | **Nutrient level:** low in nutrients, moderately rich in nutrients | **Soil moisture level:** very dry, dry, moist | **Light requirements:** sun | **pH range:** acidic, neutral, alkaline | **Host plant/forage plant:** bees, butterflies | **Extreme environments:** tolerant to dryness, tolerates heat

## PLANTKENMERKEN

**Flowers:** raceme, heads, striking, scented | **Flower colour:** pale pink | **Flowering period:** July - August | **Leaf colour:** dark green, buds bright green | **Leaves:** deciduous, lanceolate, dissected, lacinate, pinnate, bipinnate, Nitrogen fixing | **Autumn colour:** green | **Fruits:** striking, large, pod | **Fruit colour:** pale brown | **Bark colour:** grey | **Bark:** smooth | **Twig colour:** olive green, pale grey | **Twigs:** with lenticels, horizontal branches, long shoots | **Root system:** shallow, moderately branched, coarse roots, roots push up surface