



Cornus kousa var. *chinensis*
Chinese kousa dogwood



SEASONAL COLOURS



TYPES OF PLANTING

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

USE

Location: park, central reservation, large garden, small garden, patio, cemetery | **Pavement:** none

CHARACTERISTICS

Crown shape: wide vase-shaped | **Crown structure:** semi-open | **Height:** 4.5 - 6 m | **Width:** 4.5 - 6 m | **Winter hardiness zone:** 6B - 8B

ASPECTS

Wind: slightly tolerant to wind | **Soil:** loess, sabulous clay, light clay, sand, loamy soil | **Nutrient level:** rich in nutrients | **Soil moisture level:** dry, moist | **Light requirements:** sun, partial shade | **pH range:** acidic, neutral | **Host plant/forage plant:** butterflies, birds

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Flowers: star-shaped, singular, big | **Flower colour:** white | **Flowering period:** May - June | **Leaf colour:** green, underside grey-green | **Leaves:** deciduous, ovate, undulate | **Autumn colour:** scarlet | **Fruits:** striking, edible, raspberry-like | **Fruit colour:** red | **Bark colour:** grey-brown | **Bark:** slightly furrowed | **Twig colour:** grey-brown | **Twigs:** bare, pendulous | **Root system:** shallow, fine roots

