

# *Crataegus laevigata*

## Hawthorn



### TYPES OF PLANTING

**Tree types:** standard trees, multi-stemmed trees, solitary shrubs

### USE

**Location:** street, park, central reservation, large garden, small garden, cemetery, countryside, ecological zone | **Pavement:** none | **Planting concepts:** Landscape planting, Prairie planting

### CHARACTERISTICS

**Crown shape:** ovoid | **Crown structure:** semi-open | **Height:** 5 - 8 m | **Width:** 3 - 6 m | **Winter hardiness zone:** 5A - 9B

### ASPECTS

**Wind:** tolerant to wind | **Soil:** loess, sabulous clay, heavy clay, light clay, sand, loamy soil | **Nutrient level:** moderately rich in nutrients, rich in nutrients | **Soil moisture level:** dry, moist, wet | **Light requirements:** sun, partial shade | **pH range:** acidic, neutral, alkaline | **Host plant/forage plant:** bees, butterflies, birds, small mammals, nectar value 1, pollen value 1 | **Extreme environments:** tolerant to dryness

### PLANTKENMERKEN

**Flowers:** panicle, striking | **Flower colour:** white | **Flowering period:** May - May | **Leaf colour:** dark green | **Leaves:** deciduous, obovate, polished, lacinate, lobate | **Autumn colour:** yellow-orange, red-brown | **Fruits:** striking, berry | **Fruit colour:** red | **Bark colour:** brown | **Bark:** peeling, slightly furrowed | **Twig colour:** red-brown | **Twigs:** thorned

