



Sycoparrotia semidecidua 'Prins Claus'



Magasság	3-5 m
Szélesség	3-5m
Korona	ovoid / egg-shaped, dark, dense crown, capricious growing
Kéreg és ágak	brown, grey
Leaf	green, semi-evergreen
Őszi színek	sárga
Virágok	red, flowers in March-April
Gyümölcsök	brown
Tüskés/tövises	egyik sem
Mérgező tulajdonság	rendszerint nem mérgező emberek, (nagytestű) háziállatok és haszonállatok számára
Talajtípus	loamy soil, sandy soil, peaty soil, acid soil
Ültetési hely követelményei	Nem viseli el az útburkolatokat
télállóság	7 (-17,7 és -12,3 °C)
Szélellenállóság	fairly to good
Fauna fák	madártápláló fa
Alkalmazások	faültető edények, tetőkertek
Forma	magas törzsű fa

'Prince Claus' grows slower, but remains narrower than *xSycoparrotia semidecidua*. The tree forms a dense, ovoid crown. The dark grey branches bear glossy dark green leaves that are somewhat leathery to the touch. 'Prince Claus' retains more leaves in winter than *xSycoparrotia semidecidua*. The leaves that do fall off turn greenish yellow to deep yellow in autumn. Flowers open very early in spring. The bundles of red stamens are enclosed by brown petals. When the stamens ripen, the pale yellow pollen becomes visible.

Besides the general ornamental value of *xSycoparrotia semidecidua*, 'Prince Claus' is well suited as a street tree due to its slender growth. The tree does not grow fast, but on the other hand, 'Prince Claus' is disease-free, can be used in paving and tolerates air pollution. Any sufficiently moist but well-drained neutral to acidic soil will do.

'Prince Claus' is an originally American selection, brought to the Netherlands as an unnamed plant by Alphons van der Bom and subsequently named with royal permission. Hardiness zone 7.