



Picea pungens 'Snowkiss'



Výška	4 - 6 (10) m
Šírka	2-3m
Koruna	broad pyramidal, dark, dense crown
Kôra a vetvy	twigs orange-brown, bark black-grey, scaly
Listy	stiff, prickly needles, intense light blue-grey, 2 - 3 cm, evergreen
Kvety	inconspicuous
Plody	pendent cylindrical cones, 4 - 10 cm long
Tríne	Žiadny
Jedovatosť	Zvyčajne nie je jedovaté pre ľudí a väčšie zvieratá
Typ pôdy	fertile, moist, preferably not too acidic
Pôdna vlhkosť	Vhodné do suchých pôd
Spevnené plochy	Netoleruje spevnené plochy
Zóna odolnosti	4 (-34,4 do -28,9 °C)
Odolnosť voči vetru	moderate
Ostatná odolnosť	Odolné mrazu (WH 1–6)
Stromy pre zvieratá a hmyz	Odolné mrazu (WH 1–6), Plody ako potrava pre vtáctvo
Použitie	stromy do nádob, strešné záhrady, priemyselné oblasti, malé záhrady
Tvar	Vysokokmeň, Vzorový ihličnan
Pôvod	Iseli Nursery, Boring, OR, USA, 1965
Synonymum	Picea pungens 'Snowkist'

A broad pyramidal tree bearing a strong resemblance to 'Hoopsii'. Usually grows to around 6 m tall but in exceptional cases, this tree can reach 10 m. The branching is dense, regular and more or less horizontal. The bark is grey-brown, later turning black-grey and deeply scaly. The young twigs are orange-brown. The stiff and spiky needles are intense light blue-grey and very striking. The long cylindrical cones are green first, turning yellowish brown when ripening. A lovely shape that is suitable for use in modern designs. 'Snowkiss' has few demands as to soil, as long as it is fertile enough and moist, requires a sunny position. It tolerates slightly more drought than other species and can withstand an urban climate and air pollution.