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Morus latifolia 'Spirata'



Výška	8 m
Šírka	6-8m
Koruna	broad vase-shaped to round, half-open crown, capricious growing
Kôra a vetvy	twigs yellow-brown, zigzag and strongly curved and curled, bark grey-green to grey-brown, regularly grooved
Listy	broad ovate to heart-shaped, 15 - 22 cm, glossy green
Jesenné sfarbenie	Žltá
Kvety	inconspicuous in pendent catkins, green, exclusivel? female, May/June
Plody	none (never observed), fruitless cultivar
Tŕne	Žiadny
Jedovatosť	Zvyčajne nie je jedovaté pre ľudí a väčšie zvieratá
Typ pôdy	light and well drained, preferably calcareous
Pôdna vlhkosť	Vhodné do suchých pôd
Spevnené plochy	Netoleruje spevnené plochy
Zóna odolnosti	5a (-28,8 do -26,1 °C)
Odolnosť voči vetru	moderate
Ostatná odolnosť	Odolné mrazu (WH 1–6)
Použitie	stromy do nádob
Tvar	Vysokokmeň, Viackmeň
Pôvod	Japan, before 1978
Synonymum	Morus alba 'Spirata', Morus alba 'Tortuosa'

Grows to small or medium-size tree, very large shrub with somewhat irregular crown to approx. 8 m tall and wide. The most eye-catching feature is created by the strongly curved and curled branches on which the leaves are attached in zigzag pattern. The leaves are strikingly large, 15 cm to 22 cm, broad ovate to heart-shaped and glossy green. The margins are not lobed or dissected, have a pointed tip and are hairy on both sides. The leaf turns yellow before falling in autumn. 'Spirata' has exclusively female flowers, but fruits have never been observed. Saplings can be sensitive to frost. Preferably plant in a sunny, warm and sheltered site. Favours calcareous soils and grows in infertile soil.