



# Trochodendron aralioides



<b>Výška</b>	4-6 m (15) m
<b>Koruna</b>	ovoid / egg-shaped, dark, dense crown
<b>Kôra a vetvy</b>	brown
<b>Listy</b>	evergreen
<b>Kvety</b>	greenyellow, flowers in April
<b>Plody</b>	brown
<b>Trne</b>	Žiadny
<b>Jedovatosť</b>	Zvyčajne nie je jedovaté pre ľudí a väčšie zvieratá
<b>Typ pôdy</b>	loamy soil, sandy soil, peaty soil
<b>Spevnené plochy</b>	Netoleruje spevnené plochy
<b>Zóna odolnosti</b>	7b (-14,9 do -12,3 °C)
<b>Stromy pre zvieratá a hmyz</b>	Cenné pre včely (medonosné)
<b>Použitie</b>	malé záhrady, dvory

Trochodendron aralioides is a medium to large tree that grows 10-15 m tall. In the wild, the tree can grow more than 20 m tall. Due to its low branching, the tree always retains the appearance of a shrub. The evergreen leaves are gracefully narrow ovate-shaped and shiny dark green. They give the tree a healthy appearance. In late spring, flowers appear in substantial terminal panicles. The individual flowers have a typical but unmistakable appearance. They do not possess crown and sepals, but the stamens are arranged in a wreath around the centre with the styles and stigmas. This makes the individual flowers resemble little wheels, to which the English and German names refer. The flowers are greenish-yellow and form a nice unity with the foliage. They can be followed by inconspicuous brown fruits.

Trochodendron is a monotypic genus; so there is only one species, T. aralioides. The tree is unique in appearance. Originating from shaded forests and mountain slopes, T. aralioides grows best on nutritious, moist but well-drained, slightly acidic to acidic soil. The best position is in semi-shade or light shade. In a too sunny location or if soil conditions are not good, the leaves will turn a lighter green and growth will lag behind.