



Alnus glutinosa



Výška	10 - 20 m , fast growing
Šírka	6-12m
Koruna	conical to oval, half-open crown
Kôra a vetvy	young twigs are purple grey, trunk later grey and fissured
Listy	obovate, shiny dark green, 4 - 10 cm
Kvety	catkins, ? brown yellow, ? oval, March/April
Plody	ovoid strobiles, 1 - 2 cm
Tŕne	žiadny
Jedovatosť	Zvyčajne nie je jedovaté pre ľudí a väčšie zvieratá
Typ pôdy	moist to wet, not too poor
Pôdná vlhkosť	Vhodné do vlhkých pôd, Odolné voči krátkodobému zaplaveniu, Odolné voči dlhodobému zaplaveniu
Spevnené plochy	Netoleruje spevnené plochy
Zóna odolnosti	3 (-40,0 do -24,5 °C)
Odolnosť voči vetru	good
Ostatná odolnosť	Odolné mrazu (WH 1–6), Odolné vetru, Odolné posypovej soli
Použitie	pobrežné zóny, priemyselné oblasti
Tvar	Vysokokmeň, Viackmeň
Pôvod	Europe, North Africa, Caucasus

This alder is native to almost entire Europe and grows mainly in moist areas. Sometimes growing into a multiple-stemmed, big tree. Now and then a mature specimen with a height reaching over 20 m can be found. The alternate leaf becomes 10 cm, is ovate and has a blunt tip. The stalked buds, which are grey violet, and the younger leaves feel sticky (glutinosa = sticky). Female catkins are oval and inconspicuous, ± 0.5 cm long and the male catkins are brown yellow, ± 7 cm long. Strobiles appear from September and persist long. The tree roots strongly and fairly deep. Poor tolerance to hard surfaces. Often used as brushwood in landscapes. Withstands severe pruning. Little susceptible to (sea) wind.