



## Cornus officinalis



<b>Výška</b>	6 - 8 (10) m
<b>Šírka</b>	6-8m
<b>Koruna</b>	broad ovoid to round, dark, dense crown, capricious growing
<b>Kôra a vetvy</b>	young twigs brown, bark grey-brown and scaling olive green
<b>Listy</b>	ovate to oval, glossy green, 5 - 12 cm long
<b>Jesenné sfarbenie</b>	Červená
<b>Kvety</b>	in small umbels, yellow, February/March
<b>Plody</b>	shiny red berry, edible, edible fruits
<b>Tŕne</b>	Žiadny
<b>Jedovatosť</b>	Zvyčajne nie je jedovaté pre ľudí a väčšie zvieratá
<b>Typ pôdy</b>	fairly dry, limy, light clay or sandy soil
<b>Pôdna vlhkosť</b>	Vhodné do suchých pôd
<b>Spevnené plochy</b>	Netoleruje spevnené plochy
<b>Zóna odolnosti</b>	6b (-20,5 do -17,8 °C)
<b>Odolnosť voči vetru</b>	good
<b>Ostatná odolnosť</b>	Odolné mrazu (WH 1–6), Odolné vetru
<b>Stromy pre zvieratá a hmyz</b>	Odolné mrazu (WH 1–6), Odolné vetru, Plody ako potrava pre vtáctvo
<b>Použitie</b>	stromy do nádob, strešné záhrady, malé záhrady, dvory
<b>Tvar</b>	Vysokokmeň, Vetvený, Viackmeň
<b>Pôvod</b>	Northeast China, Japan and Korea

Medium-size tree up to about 8 m, initially with a pyramidal crown that later becomes a broad ovoid. Due to the rather spreading lateral branches when mature, the crown will eventually become nearly round. The bright green leaves turn bright red in autumn. The yellow flowers are grouped in small umbels and open around mid-February. The tree is best regarded as the Asiatic counterpart of *C. mas*. The main difference is that the leaves of *C. officinalis* have 6 - 7 lateral veins instead of 3 - 5, and the young twigs are brown instead of green. Also, *C. officinalis* blossoms about a week earlier than *C. mas*. The tree demands a fairly dry, preferably warm position in limy, light clay or sandy soil.