



Liquidambar formosana var. monticola



Výška	20 - 25 (40) m
Šírka	10-15m
Koruna	broad fan-shaped, dark, dense crown
Kôra a vetvy	grey smooth trunk (no corky wings)
Listy	palmate lobed, 3-lobed, dark green, 8 - 15 cm long
Jesenné sfarbenie	Červená
Kvety	yellowish-green, unremarkable, end of April
Plody	spiky, brown capsule on a long stalk, Ø 2.5 cm
Třne	Žiadny
Jedovatosť	Zvyčajne nie je jedovaté pre ľudí a väčšie zvieratá
Typ pôdy	nutritious, humid soils
Pôdna vlhkosť	Vhodné do vlhkých pôd
Spevnené plochy	Toleruje spevnenie
Zóna odolnosti	7a (-17,7 do -15,0 °C)
Odolnosť voči vetru	moderate
Tvar	Vysokokmeň
Pôvod	Southwest China (Hupeh, Szechuan)

A natural variety of *L. formosana*. Preferred for planting in our climate rather than the species because it resists frost better. The tree has numerous branches and grows with a vigorous vertical trunk that is grey and smooth. Young twigs change colour from olive-green to brownish-grey. This Liquidambar does not have corky wings. The leaves are 8 - 15 cm long and 10 - 17 cm wide. It is always 3-lobed, in contrast to the species which also has 5-lobed specimens. The hairless leaves are matt-glossy and turn to a particularly beautiful scarlet-red in autumn. Following the unremarkable flowering, large spiky fruit capsules, measuring approximately 2.5 cm, appear on long, thin stalks. They remain hanging on the tree until deep into winter. Prefers a sheltered site.