

# Morus nigra



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<b>Botanical Name:</b>	Morus nigra
<b>Common Names:</b>	Black Mulberry,
<b>Native:</b>	No
<b>Foliage Type:</b>	Deciduous
<b>Plant Type:</b>	Citrus & Fruit, Trees
<b>Plant Habit:</b>	Dense, Horizontal Branching

### Description:

Large fast-growing deciduous tree with big, thick green leaves and small red fruits that ripen to tasty purple fruits, known as black mulberries. Great shade tree in Summer for larger gardens. Mulberries can be used to make jam or simply eat on their own. Grows approx. 8-12m tall x 20m wide. Morus Dwarf Black is also available.

<b>Mature Height:</b>	10-25m	<b>Position:</b>	Full Sun
<b>Mature Width:</b>	>10m	<b>Soil Type:</b>	Loam, Well Drained
<b>Landscape Use(s):</b>	Bird Attracting, Edible Garden		

### Pest & Diseases:

Mealy Bugs, Mites, White Fly

### Plant Care:

TBA

<b>Family Name:</b>	Moraceae
<b>Origin:</b>	Asia
<b>Characteristics:</b>	
<b>Foliage Colours:</b>	Green, Yellow
<b>Flower Colours:</b>	Insignificant, White
<b>Flower Fragrant:</b>	No
<b>Flowering Season:</b>	Spring
<b>Fruit:</b>	Yes
<b>Requirements:</b>	
<b>Growth Rate:</b>	Fast
<b>Maintenance Level:</b>	Low
<b>Water Usage:</b>	Medium / Moderate
<b>Tolerances:</b>	
<b>Drought:</b>	Medium / Moderate
<b>Frost:</b>	High
<b>Wind:</b>	High

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