

Species: Ulmus pumila

(ul'mus pue'mi-lah)

Dwarf Asiatic Elm: Siberian Elm

Cultivar Information

* See specific cultivar notes on next page.

Crnamental Characteristics

Size: Tree > 30 feet Height: 50' - 70' (spread 40' - 50') Leaves: Deciduous Shape: open Ornamental Other:

Environmental Characteristics

Light: Full sun Hardy To Zone: 4a Soil Ph: Can tolerate acid to alkaline soil (pH 5.0 to 8.0) Salt Tolerance: Tolerates salty soil Environmental Other: fast growth, poor form; susceptible to wood breakage; a poor choice except for difficult sites

Insect Disease

very susceptible to elm leaf beetle; wood is brittle and breaks easily

Bare Root Transplanting

Any

Other

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Native to Siberia, China, Korea

Cultivars for Ulmus pumila

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Cultivar Name	Notes
Coolshade	'Coolshade' - resistant to breakage
Dropmore	'Dropmore' - fast-growing; small foliage
Hamburg Hybrid	'Hamburg Hybrid' - stronger wooded
Improved Cascade	'Improved Cascade' - hardy; resistant to breakage
Lincoln	'Lincoln' - dark green leaves; resistant to dutch elm disease
Mr. Buzz	'Mr. Buzz' - dense growth; vigorous
Pendula	'Pendula' - pendulous branches

Photos



Ulmus pumila - Leaves



Ulmus pumila - Habit



Ulmus pumila - Leaves