



Species: *Gymnocladus dioicus*

(jim-nok'la-dus dye-oh-ih'kus)

Kentucky Coffeetree

Cultivar Information

Cultivars of this species are almost exclusively fruitless males.

* See specific cultivar notes on next page.

Ornamental Characteristics

Size: Tree > 30 feet

Height: 70' - 80'

Leaves: Deciduous

Shape: oval, spreading

Ornamental Other: Use of male tree (cultivar 'Espresso') eliminates fruit litter; sparse branching when young; large blue-green, doubly compound leaves.

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

CU Structural Soil™: Yes

Insect Disease

pest free

Bare Root Transplanting

Easy

Other

easy to transplant in spring or fall, native to Eastern and Midwestern US.

Cultivars for *Gymnocladus dioicus*

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Cultivar Name	Notes
Espresso	'Espresso', 'Prairie Titan' (a.k.a. 'J.C. McDaniel'), 'Stately Manor' - male fruitless forms; otherwise not noticeably different from species

Photos



NYS Champion *Gymnocladus* in Auburn, NY



Gymnocladus dioicus - Branch



Gymnocladus dioicus - Habit



Gymnocladus dioicus - Bark



Gymnocladus dioicus - Leaves



Gymnocladus dioicus - Habit



Gymnocladus dioicus - Fruit



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