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Amur maple

Acer tataricum subsp .*ginnala* Also known as: **Crimson-leaved maple, Acer ginnala**

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This description is for **Amur maple** (*Acer tataricum* subsp .*ginnala*):

Imagine a giant Chris Evans wig, that's the Acer ginnala you're picturing.

Acer tataricum subsp .*ginnala* is also known as Amur maple or *Acer ginnala*. This acer from Asia is small and spreading. It will only grow to about ten metres in height, usually much smaller. It has a short and slender trunk, with thin bark that's a grey-brown colour. It has glossy leaves that are lobed with irregular toothed edges. They turn from green to orange or red in the autumn. This species has been given the RHS Award of Garden Merit. It's a good plant for bonsai. It has good drought and wind resistance and will grow well in clay soil. The common name Amur maple is derived from the Amur river that flows along the border of China and Russia.



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Plant	Environment	Usage
Known dangers? no	Acidity Acidic Neutral Alkaline	Standard category Trees & shrubs Shrubs
Height [m] 5 - 10	Hardiness zone Z3-7	Grown for Ornamental Foliage

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Spread [m] 8	Heat zone H7-1	Creative category Kid Approved For Beginners Show-offs
Dominant flower colour Green	Winter temperatures [°C] -40 - -12	Garden type Woodland Park City
Flower Fragrance No, neutral please	Heat days 0 - 90	Garden spaces Specimen
Flowering seasons Early spring Mid spring	Moisture well-drained but frequently watered	Gardening expertise beginner
Foliage in summer Green	Soil type sandy Clay chalky loams	Time to reach full size 30 years or longer
Foliage in Autumn Red shades	Sun requirements Full sun Partial shade	
Propagation methods grafting seed budding	Exposure Sheltered	