A Guide to Japanese Maples at Alpha Nursery

Acer palmatum dissectum/Laceleaf varieties:



A. p. d. 'Crimson Queen'

Deep purple-red colored lace leaf maple. Its attractive cascading habit and color that holds well in heat make this maple a favorite. Fall color is a rich scarlet. Slow growing to 6' H X 8' W. Zone 5.



A. p. d. 'Seiryu'

Our only upright laceleaf, this is a very attractive Japanese maple. Deeply dissected leaves are small and bright green. In fall the leaves create an awesome display of reds and golds. Vigorous grower to 25′ H X 20′ W. Zone 5.





A. p. d. 'Inaba shidare'

Similar purple-red coloration as 'Crimson Queen'. Still has a cascading branching habit but grows a bit more upright. Fall color is a brilliant crimson. Matures around 7' H X 10' W. Zone 5.



A. p. d. 'Tamukeyama'

Another favorite of ours. This faster growing maple has got an appealing, more open branching and slightly upright habit. It holds its rich red-purple color all summer and fades to a brilliant red in the fall. Eventually grows to 13' H X 11' W'. Zone 5.



One of our favorites here at Alpha. Cascading branches vigorously push orangish-red new growth that fades to a deep red. This faster growing laceleaf maple also seems to have a more glossy sheen than other reds do. Great red-orange fall color that lasts and lasts. Forms a mound shaped tree 8' H X 8' W. Zone 5.



A. p. d. 'Viridis'

In a world of red laceleafs, this once more common maple's bright green foliage makes it unique in today's market. It's a vigorous grower with a nice cascading habit. In autumn it turns from green to yellow-gold with traces of orange and red. Matures at 10' H X 10' W. Zone 5.

