



Katsura Tree
Cercidiphyllum japonicum
 Cercidiphyllaceae

Description

Native to China and Japan. It's nicknamed the Caramel Tree because it smells like caramel or cotton candy in the fall. It makes for a great street tree due to its salt tolerance.

General Information

Zone: 4-8	Soil Texture: Clay, Loam, Sand	Fall Color: Yellow, Purple
Height: 40-60'	Soil pH: Acid-Neutral	Bloom Color: Green, Red
Width: 25-60'	Exposure: Full Sun, Part Sun	Bloom Time: Spring
Habit: Rounded, Pyramidal	Water Needs: Average	Fragrance: Yes
Growth Rate: >24" per year	Soil Drainage: Well-Drained	Fruit Color: Brown
	Other Attributes: Salt Tolerant	Fruiting Time: Fall
		Fruit Flavor: Inedible
		Attracts:

Resources:

[Plants A to Z: Find Plant Names by Letter \(thespruce.com\)](https://thespruce.com/plants-a-to-z-find-plant-names-by-letter)
[Find a Plant | NC Extension Gardener Plant Toolbox \(ncsu.edu\)](https://ncsu.edu/extension/gardener-plant-toolbox/)
[Trees and Plants | The Morton Arboretum](https://mortonarboretum.org/trees-and-plants/)
[WSU PNW Plants](https://pnw.wsu.edu/plants/)

[The Tree Guide at arborday.org](https://arborday.org/tree-guide/)
[Woody Plants Catalog | The UFOR Nursery & Lab \(umn.edu\)](https://umnnursery.com/woody-plants-catalog/)
[Plant Finder \(missouribotanicalgarden.org\)](https://missouribotanicalgarden.org/plant-finder/)
[N.D. Tree Handbook \(ndsu.edu\)](https://ndsuhandbook.com/)