Picea abies

(Norway spruce)

Norway spruce is native from Norway. Evergreen needle leaves, the bark is grayish -orange makes it very decorative for landscape. Adapted well to cold climates and full sun. Used as a windbreak or specimen tree. Nowadays used mainly its varieties such as " Pendula" Little Joe" as they will fit into smaller gardens.



Plant Image

Landscape Information

French Name: Épicéa commun

Arabic Name: تنوب شوحي

Pronounciation: PY-see-uh A-bees

Plant Type: Tree
Origin: Europe

Heat Zones: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 Hardiness Zones: 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 Uses: Screen, Specimen, Windbreak

Size/Shape

Growth Rate: Fast **Tree Shape:** Pyramidal

Canopy Symmetry: Symmetrical

Canopy Density: Dense
Canopy Texture: Medium
Height at Maturity: 15 to 23 m
Spread at Maturity: 8 to 10 meters

Time to Ultimate Height: More than 50 Years

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Flower Image

Botanical Description

Foliage

Leaf Arrangement: Spiral Leaf Venation: Parallel

Leaf Persistance: Evergreen

Leaf Type: Simple

Leaf Blade: Less than 5
Leaf Shape: Needle
Leaf Margins: Entire
Leaf Textures: Coarse
Leaf Scent: Pleasant

Color(growing season): Green Color(changing season): Green

Flower

Flower Showiness: False Flower Size Range: 0 - 1.5

Flower Sexuality: Monoecious (Bisexual)

Flower Color: Pink Seasons: Spring

Trunk

Trunk Susceptibility to Breakage: Generally

resists breakage

Number of Trunks: Single Trunk

Trunk Esthetic Values: Rough Texture

Fruit

Fruit Type: Cones Fruit Showiness: True Fruit Size Range: 7 - 10 Fruit Colors: Brown

Seasons: Spring

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Leaf Image

Horticulture Management

Tolerance

Frost Tolerant: Yes Heat Tolerant: No Drought Tolerant: No Salt Tolerance: Poor

Requirements

Soil Requirements: Loam, Sand **Soil Ph Requirements:** Acidic, Neutral

Water Requirements: Moderate

Light Requirements: Full

Management

Toxity: No

Invasive Potential: No

Susceptibility to Pests and Diseases: Yes **Pruning Requirement:** No pruning at all

Fruit/ Leaves/ Flowers litter: No

Surface Rooting: No Life Span: More than 50

Diseases: Canker **Edible Parts:** None **Pests:** Weevils, Adelgid

Plant Propagations: Seed, Cutting, Grafting

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