Millingtonia hortensis

(Tree Jasmine)

Millingtonia is native from Burma. It is a fine fast growing tree with compound leaves. After the rainy season fragrant waxy white flower appears. The tree flowers at night and sheds flowers early in the morning; fragrant blooms falling and carpeting the ground around. The wood is used as timber and the bark is used as an inferior substitute for cork.



Landscape Information

Pronounciation: mil-ling-TOH-nee-a hor-TEN-sis

Plant Type: Tree Origin: South Asia & South East Asia Heat Zones: 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 Hardiness Zones: 11, 12, 13 Uses: Specimen, Container

Size/Shape

Growth Rate: Fast Tree Shape: Spreading Canopy Symmetry: Irregular Canopy Density: Open Canopy Texture: Fine Height at Maturity: Over 23 Spread at Maturity: 10 to 15 meters Time to Ultimate Height: 5 to 10 Years

Plant Image

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Flower Image

Botanical Description

Foliage

Leaf Arrangement: Opposite Leaf Venation: Pinnate Leaf Persistance: Evergreen Leaf Type: Bipinnately compound Leaf Blade: 5 - 10 cm Leaf Shape: Oval Leaf Margins: Serrate Leaf Textures: Smooth Leaf Scent: No Fragance Color(growing season): Green Color(changing season): Green Flower

Flower Showiness: True Flower Size Range: 1.5 - 3 Flower Type: Cyme Flower Scent: Pleasant Flower Color: Yellow, White Seasons: Fall

Trunk

Trunk Has Crownshaft: False Trunk Susceptibility to Breakage: Suspected to breakage Number of Trunks: Single Trunk Trunk Esthetic Values: Fissured Fruit Fruit Type: Capsule

Fruit Showiness: True Fruit Size Range: 7 - 10 Fruit Colors: Green, Yellow Seasons: Fall

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Leaf Image

Horticulture Management

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

Requirements

Soil Requirements: Loam Soil Ph Requirements: Alkaline Water Requirements: High, Moderate Light Requirements: Full, Part

Management

Toxity: No Invasive Potential: No Susceptibility to Pests and Diseases: Yes Pruning Requirement: Little needed, to develop a strong structure Fruit/ Leaves/ Flowers litter: Yes Surface Rooting: No Life Span: 25-50 years Edible Parts: None Plant Propagations: Cutting, Layering

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