

# *Cercis siliquastrum* 'Alba'

## White-flowered Judas Tree, White Judas tree



### TYPES OF PLANTING

**Tree types:** standard trees, half-stem trees, multi-stemmed trees, solitary shrubs | **Topiary on stem:** multi-stem umbrella

### USE

**Location:** street, square, car park / parking lot, park, central reservation, large garden, small garden, cemetery | **Pavement:** none, open, sealed | **Planting concepts:** food forest, urban planting

### CHARACTERISTICS

**Crown shape:** flattened spherical | **Crown structure:** semi-open | **Height:** 6 - 7 m | **Width:** 6 - 7 m | **Winter hardiness zone:** 6B - 9B

### ASPECTS

**Wind:** slightly tolerant to wind | **Soil:** loess, sabulous clay, light clay, sand, loamy soil | **Nutrient level:** moderately rich in nutrients, rich in nutrients | **Soil moisture level:** very dry, dry, moist | **Light requirements:** sun, partial shade | **pH range:** neutral, alkaline | **Host plant/forage plant:** bees, butterflies, nectar value 3, pollen value 0 | **Extreme environments:** tolerant to dryness, tolerates heat

### PLANTKENMERKEN

**Flowers:** raceme, papilionaceous, striking, singular, small, scented | **Flower colour:** cream-white, cream-white | **Flowering period:** April - May | **Leaf colour:** bright green | **Leaves:** deciduous, ovate, ovoid, Nitrogen fixing | **Autumn colour:** yellow | **Fruits:** striking, small, pod | **Fruit colour:** red-brown | **Bark colour:** grey | **Bark:** furrowed, smooth | **Twig colour:** red-brown | **Twigs:** bare, zigzagging | **Root system:** deep, extensive

