

Cornus kousa 'China Girl'

'China Girl' Chinese Dogwood



TYPES OF PLANTING

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

USE

Location: park, in containers, roof garden, large garden, small garden, patio, cemetery | **Pavement:** none | **Planting concepts:** food forest

CHARACTERISTICS

Crown shape: vase-shaped, wide vase-shaped | **Crown structure:** semi-open | **Height:** 4 - 5 m | **Width:** 2.5 - 3.5 m | **Winter hardiness zone:** 5A - 8B

ASPECTS

Wind: slightly tolerant to wind | **Soil:** loess, sabulous clay, light clay, sand, loamy soil | **Nutrient level:** rich in nutrients | **Soil moisture level:** moist | **Light requirements:** sun, partial shade | **pH range:** acidic, neutral | **Host plant/forage plant:** bees, birds, small mammals, humans

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Flowers: heads, star-shaped, striking, big | **Flower colour:** white, white-green, pink | **Flowering period:** June - July | **Leaf colour:** bright green, underside grey-green | **Leaves:** deciduous, ovate, ovoid, undulate | **Autumn colour:** red | **Fruits:** edible, large, raspberry-like | **Fruit colour:** pink | **Bark colour:** grey-brown | **Bark:** smooth | **Twig colour:** orange-red | **Twigs:** bare | **Root system:** shallow, highly branched, fine roots

