



## *Elaeagnus angustifolia*

### Russian olive, Oleaster



#### SEASONAL COLOURS



#### TYPES OF PLANTING

**Tree types:** standard trees, multi-stemmed trees, characteristic trees, woodland planting stock, solitary shrubs | **Other types of planting:** undergrowth

#### USE

**Location:** street, square, car park / parking lot, park, central reservation, roof garden, large garden, cemetery, traffic areas, industrial zones, coastal area | **Pavement:** none, open, sealed | **Planting concepts:** food forest, Prairie planting

#### CHARACTERISTICS

**Crown shape:** flattened spherical | **Crown structure:** semi-open | **Height:** 5 - 7 m | **Width:** 5 - 7 m | **Winter hardiness zone:** 3A - 10A

#### ASPECTS

**Wind:** tolerant to wind, tolerant to coastal wind | **Soil:** loess, sand, loamy soil | **Nutrient level:** rich in nutrients | **Soil moisture level:** dry | **Light requirements:** sun | **pH range:** acidic, neutral | **Host plant/forage plant:** bees, nectar value 5, pollen value 5 | **Extreme environments:** tolerant to salt spray, tolerant to dryness, tolerates air pollution, tolerates heat

#### PLANTKENMERKEN

**Flowers:** bell-shaped, discrete, singular, small, strongly scented | **Flower colour:** yellow, silver | **Flowering period:** May - June | **Leaf colour:** grey-green, underside grey | **Leaves:** deciduous, lanceolate, leathery, slightly hairy, Nitrogen fixing | **Fruits:** small, drupe | **Fruit colour:** orange-red | **Bark colour:** green, grey | **Bark:** slightly furrowed | **Twig colour:** green, grey | **Twigs:** thorned