

Fraxinus excelsior 'Altena'
Altena common ash, Altena European ash



TYPES OF PLANTING
Tree types: standard trees, feathered trees

USE
Location: street, park, large garden, traffic areas, industrial zones, countryside, windbreak, coastal area | **Pavement**: none

CHARACTERISTICS
Crown shape: pyramidal | **Crown structure**: dense | **Height**: 20 - 25 m | **Width**: 10 - 15 m | **Winter hardiness zone**: 4A - 9B

ASPECTS
Wind: tolerant to wind, tolerant to coastal wind | **Soil**: peaty, light clay, sand, loamy soil | **Nutrient level**: rich in nutrients | **Soil moisture level**: moist, wet | **Light requirements**: sun, partial shade | **pH range**: acidic, neutral, alkaline | **Host plant/forage plant**: bees, nectar value 0, pollen value 1 | **Extreme environments**: tolerant to salt spray, tolerates air pollution

PLANTKENMERKEN
Flowers: discrete | **Flower colour**: brown, violet | **Flowering period**: April - April | **Leaf colour**: green | **Leaves**: deciduous, lanceolate, serrate, pinnate, composite | **Autumn colour**: yellow | **Fruits**: no fruit | **Bark colour**: yellow, grey | **Bark**: smooth, later on rough | **Twig colour**: yellow, brown, grey | **Twigs**: bare

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