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Tree	**Malus ioensis 'Plena'** BETCHEL'S CRAB APPLE TREE
Description	Hardy and highly ornamental, this tree is a beautiful specimen, producing masses of gorgeous, fragrant double pink spring blossoms. Small, rounded purple fruits follow the flowers, accompanied by soft, narrow foliage with serrated margins which form a weeping habit. In autumn, the leaves colour up to a combination of burnt orange and reds before falling.
Foliage	☒ Deciduous
Form	☒ Round
Mature Size	6 x 4m
Uses	Fantastic feature tree. Great for small or medium gardens. Would go well as an avenue tree. Growing to only 6m in ideal conditions, it makes a fabulous small feature tree in landscapes where space is limited.
Position & Soil	Prefers well drained organic rich soils in a part shade position. A slightly acidic soil is preferred as it does not tolerate high pH. Also suitable for colder climate gardens, including frosts and light snow.

Features	☒ Small ☒ Deciduous ☒ Round ☒ Avenue ☒ Feature Flower ☒ Informal Screening ☒ Specimen
Pot sizes in production	• 40cm/27L (1.3-1.6m) • 50cm/52L (1.2-1.5m)
Substitutes	• Acer buergerianum • Lagerstroemia indica x fauriei 'Tuscarora' • Malus floribunda • Malus x atrosanguinea 'Gorgeous'

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