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Tree



Quercus rubra (syn. borealis)

NORTHERN RED OAK TREE

Description

The red oak is a fast-growing, long-lived deciduous tree. Well structured, this tree grows straight and tall, developing a solid trunk and rounded top with age. Bark is grey-brown in colour and foliage is broad and glossy. In its native area, where winter temperatures are quite low, the dark green foliage turns a vibrant red colour. In Australia, leaves will be more likely to turn a maroon-red colour before falling.

Foliage

☒ Deciduous

Form

☒ Round

Mature Size

20 x 9m

Uses

Due to its broad-crown, this tree makes an excellent street or park tree, where there is adequate space for it to show-off all its autumn charm.

Position & Soil

It grows well in most soils. With a little regular irrigation, it will grow relatively quickly.

Features	☒ Large ☒ Deciduous ☒ Round ☒ Avenue ☒ Feature Foliage ☒ Shade Tree ☒ Specimen
Pot sizes in production	• 40cm/27L (1.6-1.8m)
Substitutes	

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