

PRUNUS cerasifera 'ATROPURPUREA'

cherry plum 'Atropurpurea'



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'Purple leaved plum'. Deciduous small tree with purple leaves, a profusion of pale pink flowers in early spring.



Maintenance advice: At the end of winter, remove dead wood. After the flowering shorten a few branches if you wish to reduce its size. Water regularly and abundantly for the first two years.



Botanical/Horticultural origin: Horticultural origin; selected around 1880 by Pissard, the Shah of Iran's chief gardener.



Use group: Trees



Height at 10 years: 8 m



Width at 10 years: 4 m



Growth: Fast



Fragrance: No



Exposure: Full sun



Evergreen/Deciduous: Deciduous



Shape: rigid, upright



Colour of leaves: Purple



Colour of flowers: Pink



Soil type: Indifferent



Uses: Free standing specimen, Border, Country hedge

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