

Austrian Pine

Pinus nigra



🍃 **Form:** Pyramidal Oval

🍃 **Growth Rate:** Slow

🍃 **Drought Tolerance:** High

🍃 **Size:** 50-60' tall by 20-40' wide

🍃 **Zone:** 4-7

🍃 **Salt Tolerance:** High

Light Requirements: Full sun

Soil Requirements: clay; loam; sand; slightly alkaline; acidic; well-drained.

Bark: Dark furrowed bark is very attractive, particularly on older trees.

Flower: Male flowers are yellowish in color and found in clusters. Female flowers are yellow green in color.

Fruit: Cones are a shiny yellow-brown color, 2-3 in long and approximately 2 in wide, persists for 2 years.

Foliage: Needles in twos, dark army green in color, needles are 4-6 in long and persist 3-4 years, persistent leaf bases visible after needles fall, leaving stems rough, candles (buds) 0.5-1 in long, light brown and resinous.