

## Betula platyphylla 'Fargo'

## 'Dakota Pinnacle'® Birch PP 10.963

Zone: 3a

Height: 35'-40'

Width: 10'-15'

Crown: Columnar  
Growth Rate: Moderate  
Drought: Tolerant  
Soil: Tolerant, no compaction  
Pests: Borer resistant



'Dakota Pinnacle'® was developed by North Dakota State University and it has a lot going for it. First, it is very hardy, Zone 3a. That's was in Saskatchewan At near 40° F below. Next, it is Birch Borer resistant; always a good thing. It's habit is very, very columnar As you can see. Dark green foliage turns bright yellow in fall. The bark Starts out as gray/white, progresses to gray/orange on older wood and matures as orange/white on older wood. The bark only slightly exfoliates when mature. It is tolerant and even thrives in urban conditions, except that it does not like compacted soil. Robinson Nursery offers Dakota Pinnacle® in tree form