

## Syringa reticulata Ivory Silk®

## Ivory Silk® Tree Lilac

Zone: 3

Height: 25'

Width: 15'

Crown: Upright, vase, oval  
Growth: Medium  
Soil: Clay, loam, sand  
pH: Acid, slightly alkaline  
Drainage: Well drained  
Drought: Moderate tolerance  
Salt: High tolerance  
Light: Full sun



This selection of *Syringa reticulata* is more upright and uniform than the species. Leaves have a warm light reddish tinge, then turn very dark, glossy green. The main claim to fame for this tree is the large clusters of white or creamy white blooms in summer. It puts on a long and dramatic show. 'Ivory Silk'® is a vigorous grower given good soil, sufficient moisture and fertilizer. Without these, it may be very slow to develop. Flowers can be pruned to promote vegetative growth.

There are several blights and leaf spots that effect this tree. Preventative spray may be necessary. Robinson Nursery offers "Ivory Silk"® as bare root whips, branched and multi-stem trees.

