

Acer saccharum 'Wright Brothers' 'Wright Brothers' Sugar Maple

Zone: 3-6

Height: 50'-70'

Width: 35'

Crown: Upright, Oval
Growth Rate: Fast
Soils: Loam to Sand
pH: Acid to Neutral
Breakage: Resistant
Drought: Tolerant



'Wright Brothers' Maple was developed by the folks at Siebenthaler Nursery in Dayton, Ohio. This is a fast growing Sugar Maple which is resistant to frost cracks and sunscald, and tends to have more of a red fall color than the other Sugars. 'Wright Brothers' is also resistant to leaf scorch and is hardy to -25° F. The growth rate is said to be twice as fast as the species. Fall color is excellent, as are all the Sugar Maple cultivars. It has a tendency to keep a straight single leader and branching is abundant and branching angles are large enough to avoid included bark in crotches.