

Acer gran. 'Highland Park'

Bigtooth Maple

Zone: 4

Height: 45'

Width: 25'



Courtesy of Lake County Nursery

Acer grandidentatum is a native of North America with dark, glossy green leaves in summer and brilliant red, orange and yellow leaves in fall. It is adaptable to soil and light situations but does not like salinity. It is moderately drought tolerant. Highland Park® is a selection of *Acer grandidentatum* offered to the trade by the folks at Lake County Nursery. It was chosen for it's: Toughness, Tighter branching and more upright form than the species, Three lobed, dark green and tatter proof foliage, Orange, Red and Yellow fall color. Having a more upright form, Highland Park® should be easier to establish a straight central leader and produce a well formed specimen tree. Highland Park® is a moderately vigorous tree and calipers up quickly. Given it's size, upright form and foliar interest, this plant makes an excellent street tree and will also compliment any landscape. Our Highland Park® are budded on *Acer saccharum*, but we would like to bud them also on an alkaline tolerant rootstock. We would use *Acer grandidentatum* but it transplants very poorly. If you have any suggestions, please contact us.