



Plant Information

Common Name: Prairie Fire Crabapple
Scientific Name: Malus 'Prairie Fire'
Plant Type: Tree

Physical Characteristics

Height/Spread: 2.5-3 meters in height, 2-2.5 meters in spread
Growth Rate: Moderate
Flower Color(s): Pink
Foliage Color(s): Purple-red
Bloom Time: Spring

Plant Description

Malus 'Prairie Fire', commonly known as Prairie Fire Crabapple, is a stunning ornamental tree with purple-red foliage and bright pink flowers in the spring. This moderate-growing tree thrives in full sun and moderate watering conditions, making it an excellent choice for gardens in zones 4-7. While it requires low maintenance, it is susceptible to apple scab and cedar-apple rust. With its unique appearance and beautiful blooms, Prairie Fire Crabapple is a standout choice as a focal point in your garden landscape, complemented by companion plants like Lilac, Forsythia, and Spirea.

Optimal Growing Requirements



Sun: Full Sun



Soil: Well-drained, fertile soil



Water: Moderate Watering



Hardiness Zone(s): Zone 4-7

Maintenance & Care

Maintenance Level: Low
Potential Pests & Diseases: Susceptible to apple scab and cedar-apple rust

Additional Information

Special Features: Stunning purple-red foliage and bright pink flowers
Common Uses: Ornamental tree, focal point in garden

Notes

