

Acer saccharum



Sugar Maple



Deciduous broadleaf tree

SUGAR MAPLE (*Acer saccharum*)

A moderately growing, long-lived shade tree with 5 shallow lobes developing brilliant reds and yellows in autumn. Attaining heights of 70' to 100' with a trunk 3' to 4' in diameter. Prefers moist, fertile, well-drained clay to loam soils. Very shade tolerant. Most often planted for ornamental, aesthetics and timber production. The wood is generally used for lumber, veneer and cabinets. A great value to maple syrup production.