

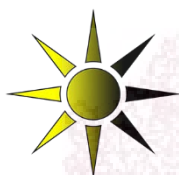
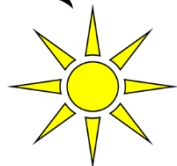
Tricolor European Beech



Often labeled as *Fagus sylvatica* 'Roseomarginata' this is the same cultivar as *F. sylvatica* 'Purpurea Tricolor'. By whichever name the foliage of this beech has exceptionally unique variegation. When the leaves emerge in springtime the dark purple leaves are edged in pink or rose. The purple centers turn more bronze green with pale pink or white edges as summer progresses, ultimately turning bronze gold in autumn.



Slowly reaches 25-35 feet tall; 18-25 feet wide.



Full Sun to Partial Shade



A newly planted beech tree needs regular watering during its first year or two. Once established, it can tolerate dry spells but should be given extra water during drought.



- Do provide adequate drainage and avoid “clay bowls” that are notorious for holding water and predisposing plants to the compost heap.
- Do apply mulch to a depth of 3-4”, your mulch ring should be the same diameter as the canopy above. Avoid piling the mulch around the trunk and creating the unfortunate “mulch volcano”.



- Don't plant too deep; pay attention to the root flare in relation to the surrounding grade. A tree too high or deep will result in a tree under stress.
- Don't forget to do an annual inspection looking for any deadwood or damage seasonally.

