










<b>Tree</b>	 <p><b>Acer palmatum 'Bloodgood'</b>        BLOODGOOD JAPANESE MAPLE</p>
<b>Description</b>	<p>Deciduous upright Japanese maple with stunning dark-purplish, almost black-red serrated leaves into late summer, turning bright crimson in autumn. The fruits are paired samaras (wing-shaped) and hang from the tree in clusters. It is a taller specimen than Japanese Maple growing to about 5m tall.</p>
<b>Foliage</b>	<p> Deciduous</p>
<b>Form</b>	<p> V-Shaped</p>
<b>Mature Size</b>	<p>5 x 3m</p>
<b>Uses</b>	<p>This tree makes a beautiful specimen tree in small to large gardens. Can be grown in containers or planted in rows adding great multi-seasonal colour.</p>
<b>Position &amp; Soil</b>	<p>Most Japanese Maples prefer fertile, well-drained soil in a full to filtered sun position, 'Bloodgood' is no exception. Avoid a location that is unprotected from north or west afternoon sun, or hot winds in summer. Use mulch around the base of the tree to retain moisture in the soil.</p>
<b>Features</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Small</li> <li> Deciduous</li> <li> V-Shaped</li> <li> Feature Foliage</li> <li> Purple Foliage</li> <li> Specimen</li> </ul>
<b>Pot sizes in production</b>	

**Substitutes**

- Acer japonicum 'Vitifolium'
- Acer palmatum 'Shindeshojo'
- Acer palmatum atropurpureum
- Acer palmatum dissectum 'Inaba Shidare' (weeping standard)
- Acer palmatum dissectum atropurpureum '(weeping standard)'
- Acer platanoides 'Crimson Sentry'
- Cercis canadensis 'Forest Pansy'

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