

# *Gleditsia tricanthos* 'Sunburst'

## Golden Honey Locust

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### Description

Fast growing deciduous tree with horizontal branching and fine dissected foliage

### Size

Medium deciduous broad tree

Maximum height: 10 to 12 metres

Maximum spread: 8 to 10 metres

Pruning: may need formative pruning to maintain single trunk and regular pruning to remove crossing branches



### Features

Handsome spreading deciduous tree.

### Uses

- Soil and drought tolerant
- Suitable shade tree but requires room
- Good alternative to Golden Robinia



### Preferred conditions

Full sun to part shady position. Prefers rich organic soils but tolerates poor soils.

### Availability

Most nurseries and specialist nurseries for wider cultivar range

### Other Cultivars

Other cultivars include: 'Shademaster' and 'Limegold' and are probably of better form and branching than the common 'Sunburst'