

'Colson Select' Blue Spruce

(Picea pungens glauca
'Colson')

Mature Height: 20'-40'

Mature Spread: 15'-20'

Growth Rate: Moderate

'Colson Select' blue spruce is a grafted variety that has the excellent, silver-blue color of the Hoopsii, but with an improved shape. They require minimal pruning to maintain this shape. It is an average sized tree, slightly smaller than the species, but not a dwarf variety. It is an excellent specimen tree and is also a beautiful screening variety. It transplants easily and



tolerates a wider variety of soils than seed-grown Colorado Spruce. It will tolerate both wet and dry conditions for periods of time. Its dense, spreading branches provide excellent nest-building sites for a variety of birds. The unique color makes it a great contrast to darker evergreen species.

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