



HIGHRISE[®] LIVE OAK

Quercus virginiana 'QVTIA' P.P.# 11219

The unyielding concern of architects, arborists, landscape contractors and developers for the live oak has always been, "When will we master the control of its genetic growth characteristics through asexual propagation? What if we could harness (clone) the genes that embody all the noble characteristics of durability and cultural adaptability associated with traditional seedling live oaks and at the same time change the form of the tree to be more suitable for the restricted growing areas of the urban environment?"

Fortunately, the efforts of persistence and hard work have changed our dreams into reality. Highrise, one of the industry's first patented clonal live oaks is now available. The growth habit of Highrise is defined by an upright pyramidal outline and evenly spaced ascending branches. Genetically identical in all characteristics for long-term uniformity and consistency, Highrise is quickly becoming the tree of choice where restricted growing areas are of concern. The new South will be identified by Highrise and other clonal selections of live oaks. Tree plantings along boulevards, parking lots and planters will be forever enhanced.



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Highrise foliage and acorns

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Native Origin: Southeast United States

Development:

Introduced by Tree Introductions, Inc.
Athens, Georgia

Description:

Hardy Range: 7B to 10B

Mature Height: projected to be 40' / 12.2m

Mature Spread: projected to be 25' / 7.6m

Growth Rate: not yet known

Form: Upright, flame shape

Persistence: Semi-evergreen

Ornamental Characteristics:

Brown blooms appear in spring. Foliage is green with no change in the fall season. Fruit (acorns) are longer and more slender than other cultivar oaks. Highrise has upright branching and uniform growth.

Environment:

Soil: Performs best in well-drained soil; once established will grow in hard, dry soils, sand or clay

Salt: Medium

Exposure: Full sun



full sun



medium
salt tolerance



drought
tolerant



urban



canopy



semi-
evergreen

