

First Editions® Wildfire™ Winterberry
Ilex verticillata ‘Bailfire’

Deciduous/Evergreen: Deciduous

Northern/Midwest Region Container Production

pH: 7 **EC:** 1-2 in MN and 2-2.7 in IL

Hardiness: Zone 4-9

Fertilization Requirements	Incorp at planting (17-3-10) at 10 lbs per yard. Top dress in second season with (22-3-8) at 15 grams per container unit (1 unit = 1 gallon) at MN location.
Overwintering Practices and Temperatures	In MN, plants are consolidated, tipped, and covered with poly and sudan. Temperatures remain at 18-20°F.
Light Levels	Full Sun
Water Requirements	Low to medium water requirements.
Planting Season	Bareroot planting occurs in the spring.
Propagation Method and Notes	
Pest/Disease Management	No pests have been observed.
PGR Application	No experience with PGRs.
Flowers on new or old wood	Flowers on old wood.
Special Notes	

Estimated Finishing Times

Liner Size	#2 container
Bareroot	Finish in 10-12 weeks using 3 year 12" liner.

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Note: The information presented should be considered as a starting point for best practices. Production times and product applications will vary depending on the growing region and conditions. It is the responsibility of the applicator to follow all current manufacturer label directions in a responsible manner.