

First Editions[®] Shrubs & Trees offers a collection of native selections, which we define as plants derived from North American native species. This includes straight species, cultivated varieties refined from native parentage, and hybrids created solely from two North American native species without the introduction of any non-native genetics. While definitions may differ, our framework reflects a balance between ecological integrity and horticultural performance.

Each selection has undergone years of field testing to ensure reliable performance, seasonal interest, and lasting beauty. By building on the natural resilience of native species, these selections provide consistent results for today's landscapes while supporting healthy ecosystems.

Each variety includes a map showing the native range of the species, as defined by the USDA.



ICEBERG ALLEY[®]
WILLOW

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Height: 15'
Spread: 4'
Exposure: Full sun
Shape: Upright

Zone: 2-8
Foliage: Soft green
Fall Foliage: Red and orange

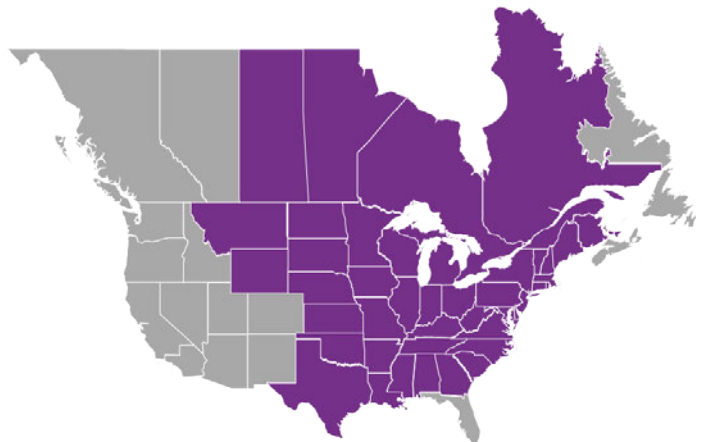
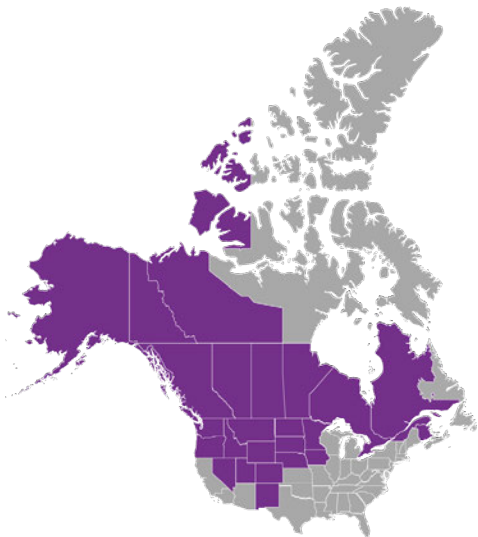
- Loads of white flowers in spring often age to edible berries in June
- Dark green leaves turn shades of red and orange in autumn
- Upright, oval shrub that is great for hedges and privacy plantings



Height: 15-25'
Spread: Varies
Exposure: Full sun
Shape: Twining

Zone: 2-8
Foliage: Glossy green
Fall Foliage: Yellow

- A self fertile bittersweet, requiring only one plant to produce fruit
- Native vine produces bright orange berries in late summer and fall
- Eye-catching berries are useful for arrangements or winter interest



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FIBER OPTICS® BUTTONBUSH

Cephalanthus occidentalis 'Balloptics' PP29,475



Height: 5-6'

Zone: 4-9

Spread: 5-6'

Foliage: Bright green

Exposure: Full sun

Fall Foliage: Bronze and yellow

Shape: Compact, rounded

- Compact shape is excellent for small spaces
- Thrives in low areas with moist soil
- Great source of nectar for pollinators



FIRE DANCE™ DOGWOOD

Cornus sericea 'Bailadeline'



Height: 3-4'

Zone: 2-7

Spread: 4-5'

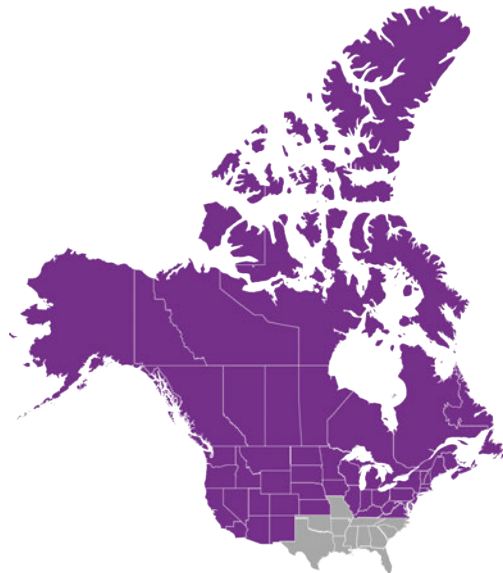
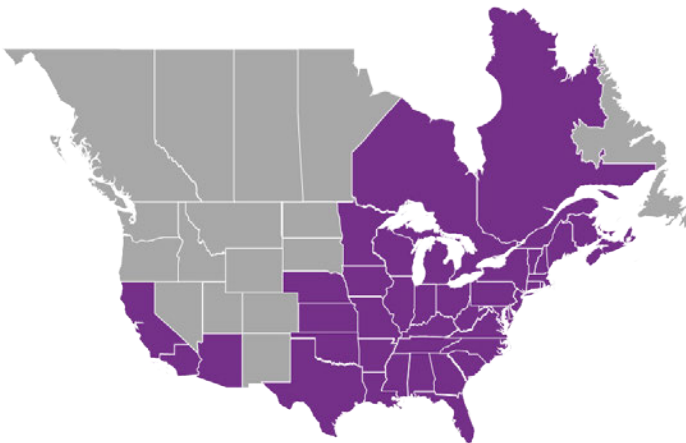
Foliage: Dark green

Exposure: Full sun

Fall Foliage: Red-purple

Shape: Compact, mounded

- Compact, uniform habit is ideal for small areas
- Features red-purple leaves during fall
- Pure white flowers in spring lead to summer fruit



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COOL SPLASH® DIERVILLA

Diervilla sessilifolia 'LPDC Podaras' PP19,391



Height: 2.5-4.5'

Zone: 4-7

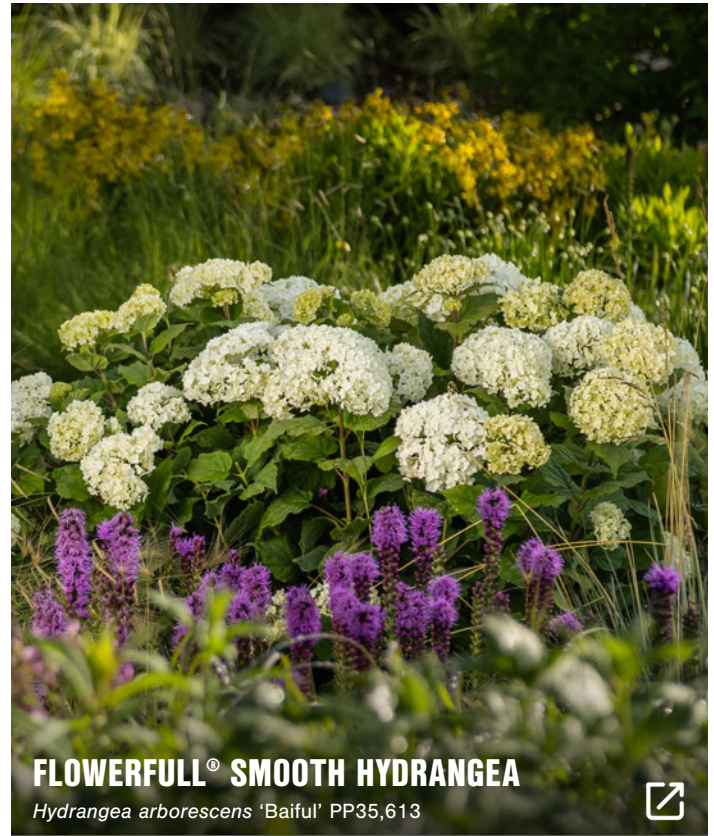
Spread: 2.5-4.5'

Foliage: Variegated, white and green

Exposure: Full sun to part shade

Shape: Compact, mounded

- Vibrant leaf margins provide unique contrast with green foliage
- Loads of yellow blooms in June and July for more color
- Wonderful low maintenance shrub for mass plantings



FLOWERFULL® SMOOTH HYDRANGEA

Hydrangea arborescens 'Baiful' PP35,613



Height: 3-4'

Zone: 3-8

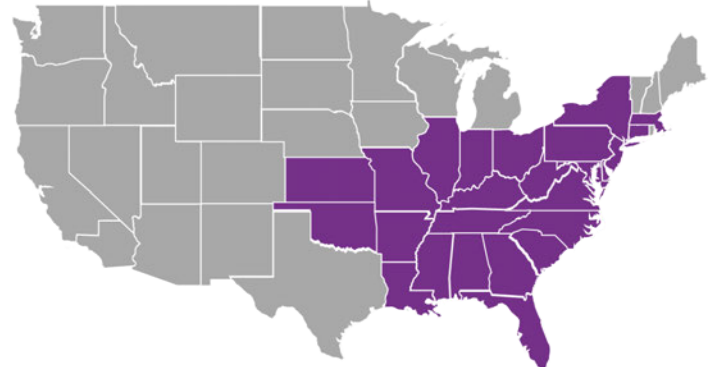
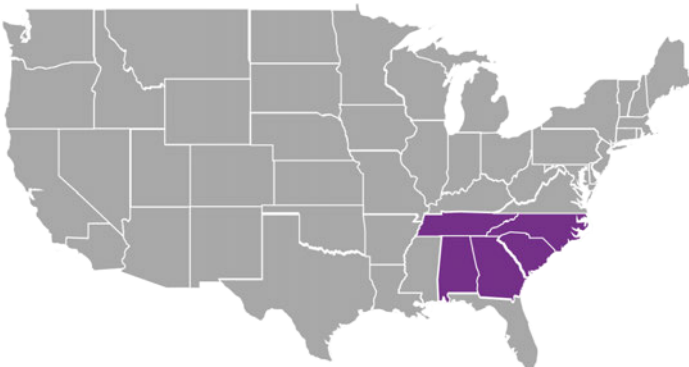
Spread: 4-5'

Foliage: Dark green

Exposure: Full sun to part shade

Shape: Rounded

- Produces two-to-three times more blooms per season than others
- Features strong stems that don't flop in the wind and rain
- Lush green foliage that provides wonderful contrast to the blooms



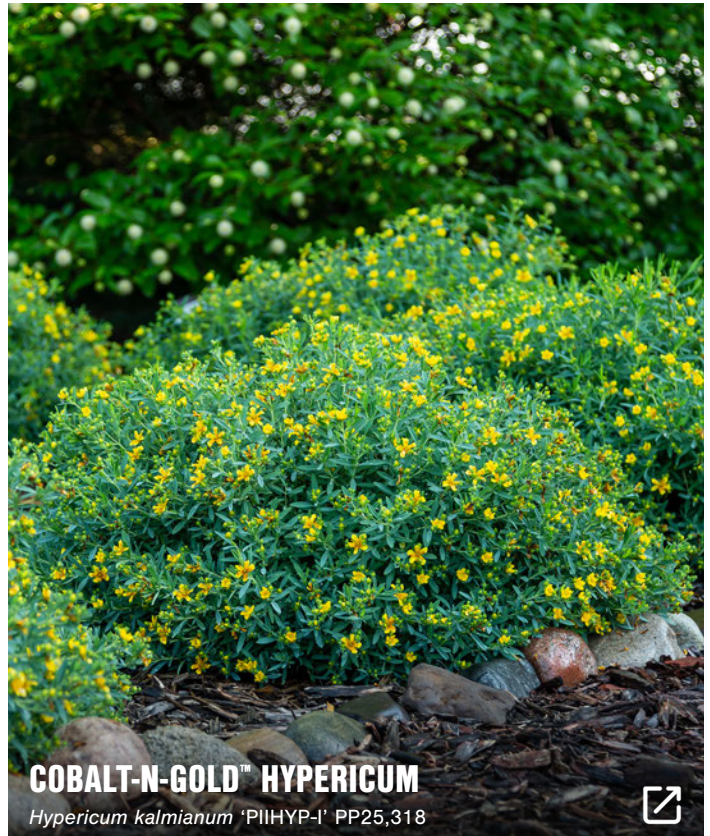
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Height: 5-6'
Spread: 4-5'
Exposure: Full sun to part shade
Shape: Compact, rounded

Zone: 5-8
Foliage: Dark green
Fall Foliage: Orange-red

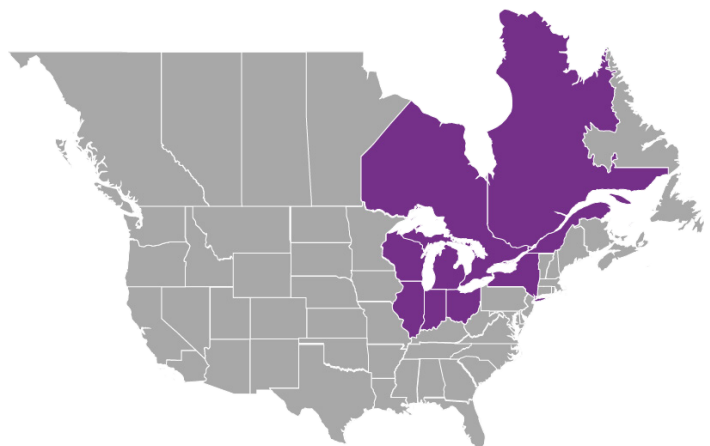
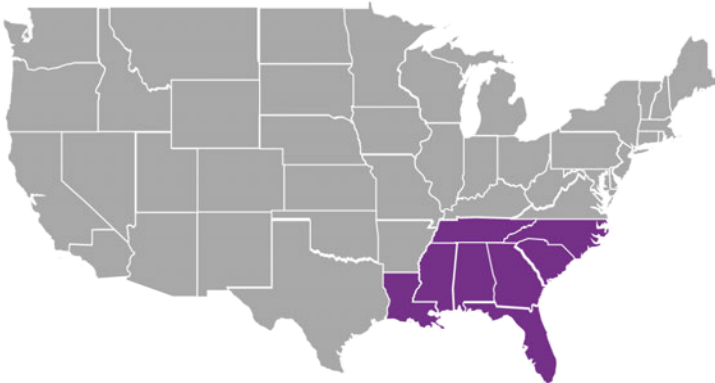
- The unique foliage of this hydrangea resembles oak leaves
- Features red-orange fall color and resists leaf spot
- A wonderful native selection for small gardens and mass plantings



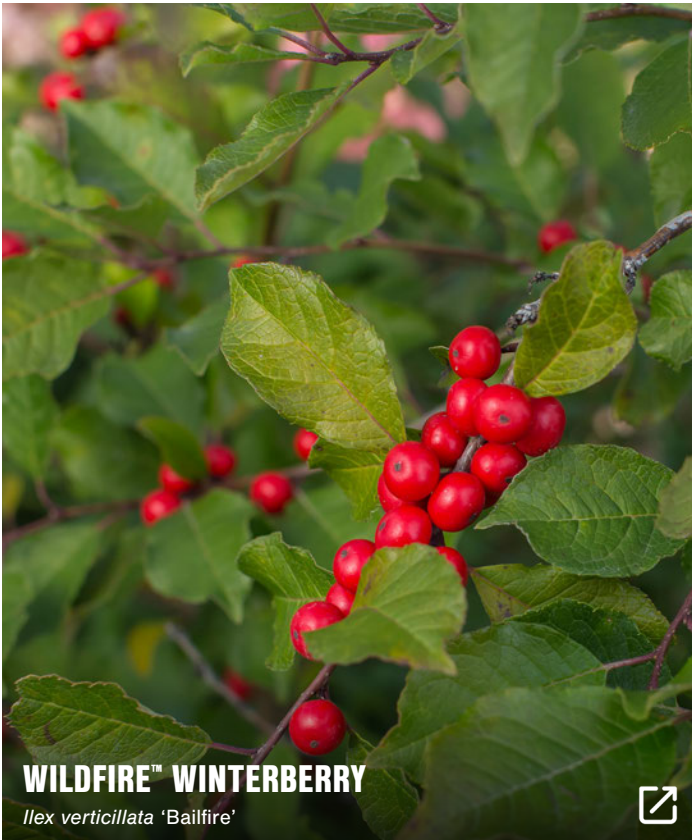
Height: 2-3'
Spread: 4-5'
Exposure: Full sun
Shape: Mounded

Zone: 4-7
Foliage: Silver-green
Fall Foliage: Yellow, orange, red

- Mounded shrub with fine blue-silver foliage and yellow flowers
- Leaves age to yellow, orange, and red in the fall
- Thrives in full sun and well-drained soil, but is adaptable to many areas



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Height: 8-10'
Spread: 8-10'
Exposure: Full sun
Shape: Rounded

Zone: 4-9
Foliage: Dark green
Fall Foliage: Yellow to bronze

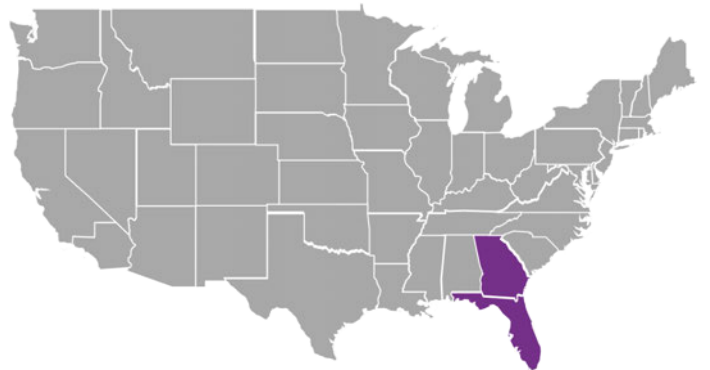
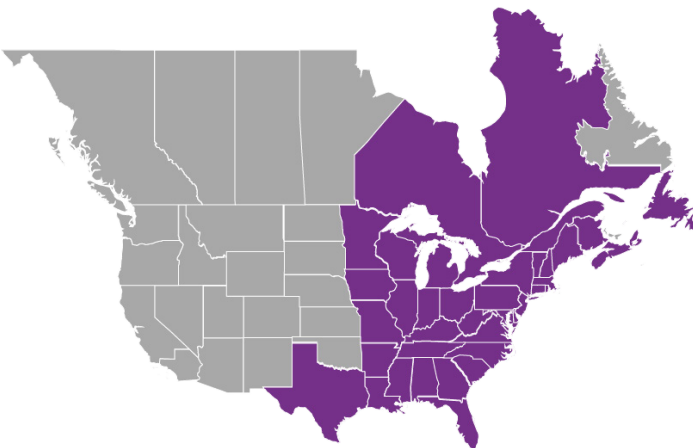
- Bright red fruit shines in the winter landscape
- Round habit with clean foliage is ideal for mass plantings
- Pair with a male plant, like Jim Dandy Winterberry, for fruit production



Height: 3-4'
Spread: 3-4'
Exposure: Part sun to full shade
Shape: Upright, round

Zone: 7-9
Foliage: Yellow-green
Fall Foliage: Evergreen

- Anise-scented, luminescent yellow-gold foliage shines in the landscape
- Compact, deer-resistant, disease-resistant, well-behaved anise tree
- Makes the perfect accent plant in shade gardens



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Height: 6-10'
Spread: 6-10'
Exposure: Shade
Shape: Rounded

Zone: 7-9
Foliage: Green with white variegation
Fall Foliage: Pink-rose tint on green

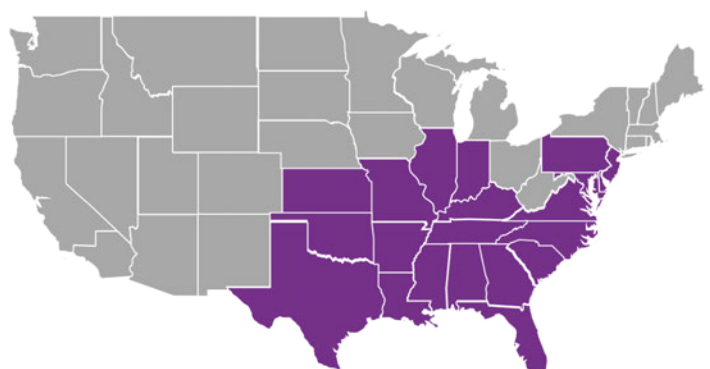
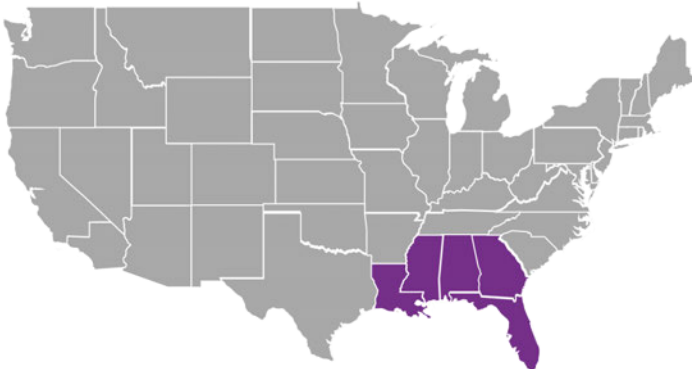
- Red-maroon flowers bloom up to six weeks in spring
- Fragrant foliage has a scent of gin and tonic
- Unique evergreen foliage turns pink during cold weather



Height: 3-4'
Spread: 3-4'
Exposure: Full sun to part shade
Shape: Mounded

Zone: 5-9
Foliage: Green
Fall Foliage: Burgundy

- Lovely flowers bloom in spring against the vibrant green foliage
- An excellent performer in sun, shade, and smaller gardens
- Features a compact habit that is ideal for small gardens and foundations



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Height: 18-22"

Spread: 18-24"

Exposure: Full sun

Shape: Upright

Zone: 3-8

Foliage: Green

- Fragrant bubblegum pink blooms with striking dark pink eyes
- Loaded with flowers that are long lasting throughout the summer
- Excellent mildew resistance and attractive foliage



Height: 18-22"

Spread: 18-24"

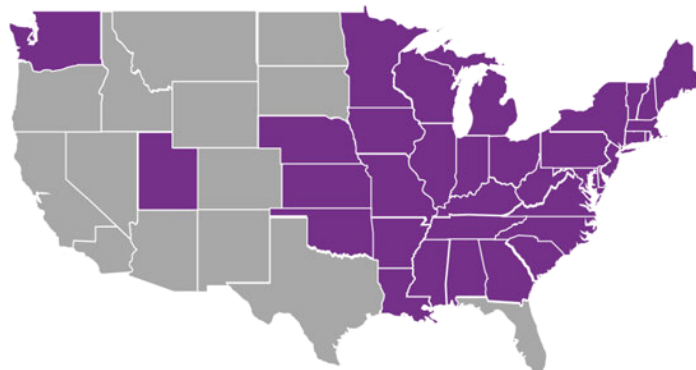
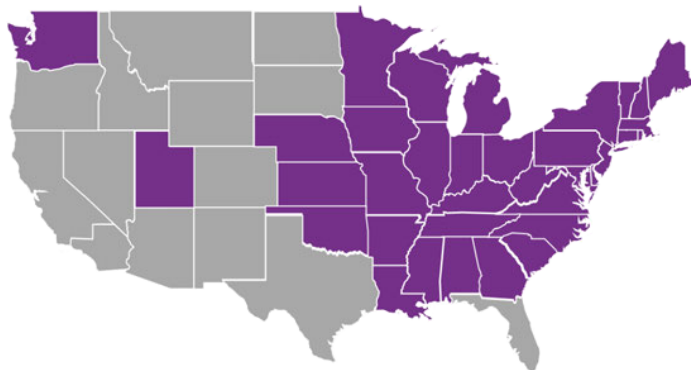
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Shape: Upright

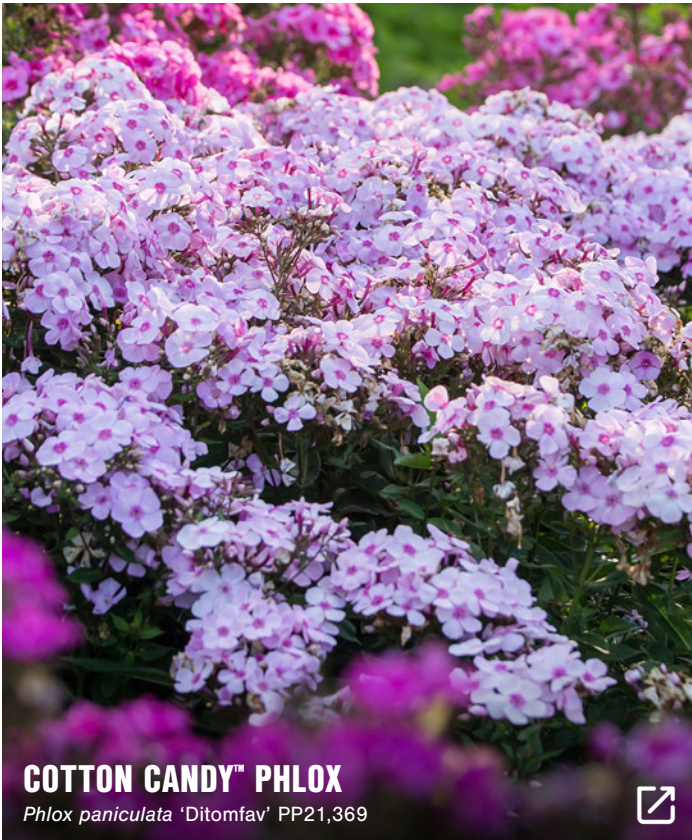
Zone: 3-8

Foliage: Green

- Beautiful coral blooms with a lovely fragrance
- Features mildew resistance, a compact habit and ample flowers
- Attractive foliage remains clean throughout the summer



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Height: 18-22"
Spread: 18-24"
Exposure: Full sun
Shape: Upright

Zone: 3-8
Foliage: Green

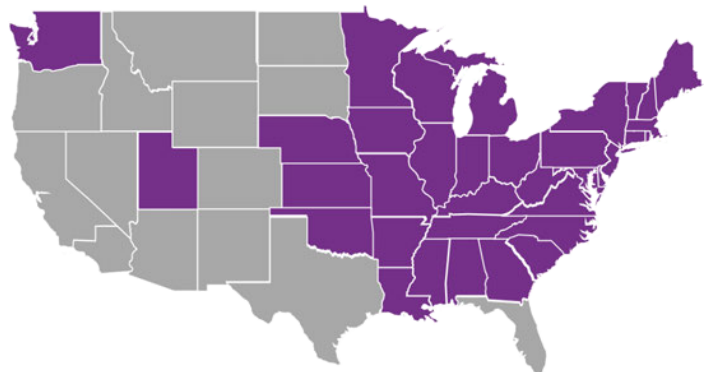
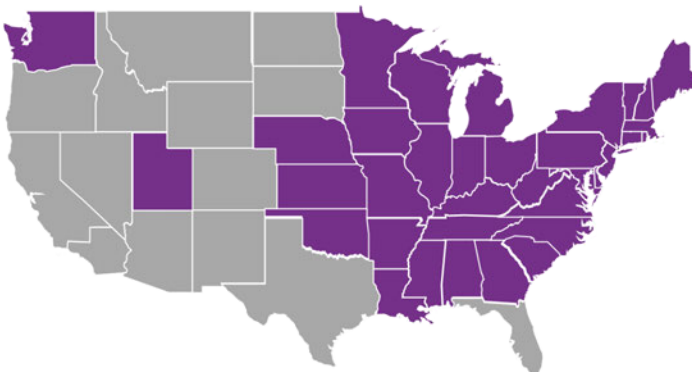
- Long lasting blooms bring ample color and fragrance to the garden
- Charming lavender-pink flowers bloom in summer
- Features a compact habit, mildew resistance and loads of flower



Height: 18-22"
Spread: 18-24"
Exposure: Full sun
Shape: Upright

Zone: 3-8
Foliage: Green

- Charming flowers are grape-colored with stunning red eyes
- Offers fragrant blooms, compact habit and mildew resistance
- Long lasting blooms bring color throughout the summer

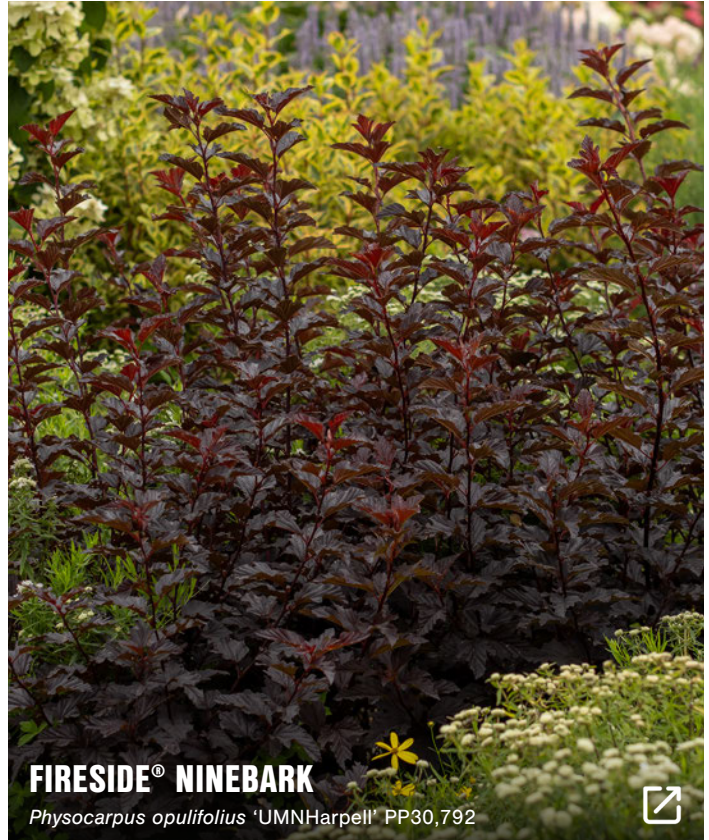
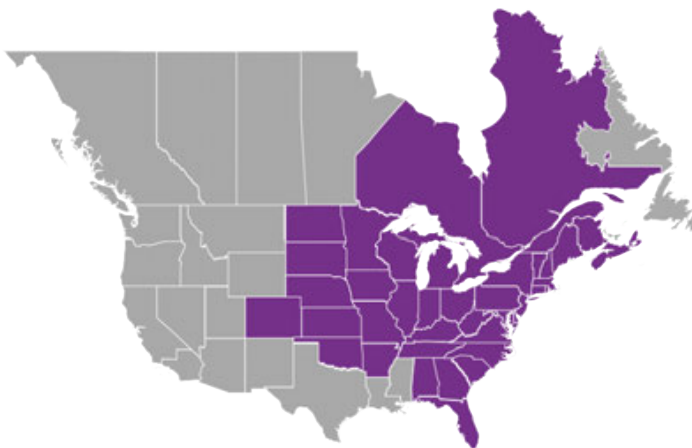


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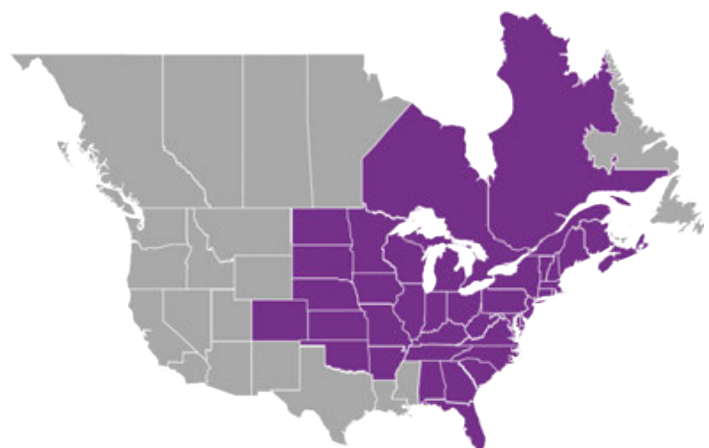
Height: 5-7' **Zone:** 2-7
Spread: 4-6' **Foliage:** Yellow, orange to green and purple
Exposure: Full sun **Fall Foliage:** Red and purple
Shape: Upright, rounded

- Orange, yellow, and gold leaves in the spring turn red-purple in the fall
- Multiseason interest shrub that makes an eye-catching hedge or border
- Mildew-resistant ninebark that thrives when planted in full sun



Height: 5-6' **Zone:** 3-7
Spread: 4-5' **Foliage:** Deep red to purple
Exposure: Full sun **Fall Foliage:** Deep purple
Shape: Upright, rounded

- The eye-catching foliage remains dark all summer, turning purple in fall
- Has resistance to powdery mildew and clean foliage
- Upright, rounded habit is ideal for foundation or mass plantings



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HONEYCOMB® NINEBARK

Physocarpus opulifolius 'ZLENora' PP34,624



Height: 4-6'

Spread: 5-7'

Exposure: Full sun to part shade

Shape: Upright, arching

Zone: 3-7

Foliage: Yellow

Fall Foliage: Yellow

- Large, vibrant, chartreuse leaves hold their color all season long
- White flowers in spring and gold leaves in fall provide interest
- Makes a beautiful hedge or color block along a fence line



LITTLE DEVIL™ NINEBARK

Physocarpus opulifolius 'Donna May' PP22,634



Height: 3-4'

Spread: 3-4'

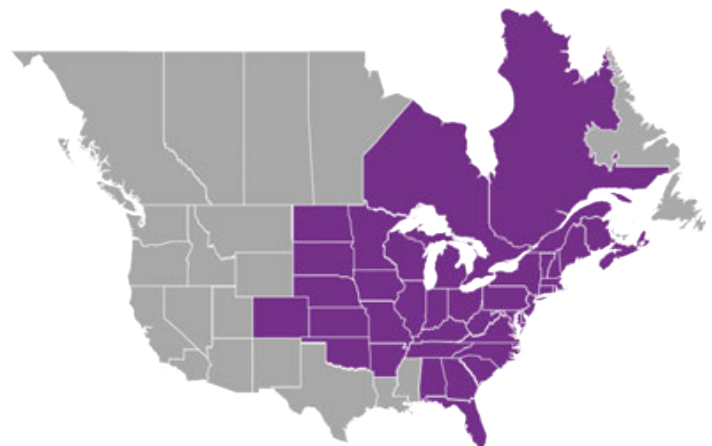
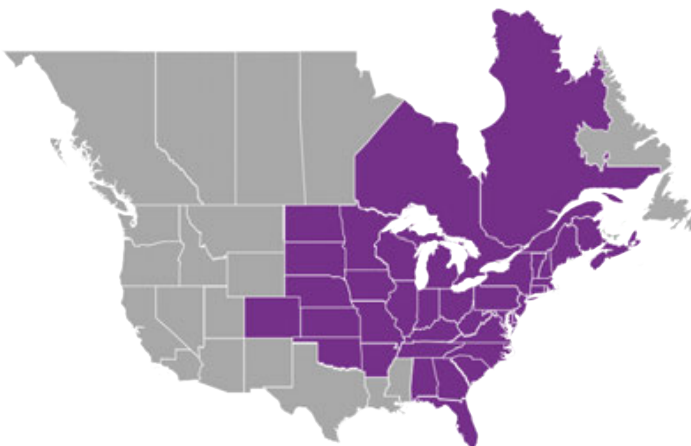
Exposure: Full sun

Shape: Upright rounded

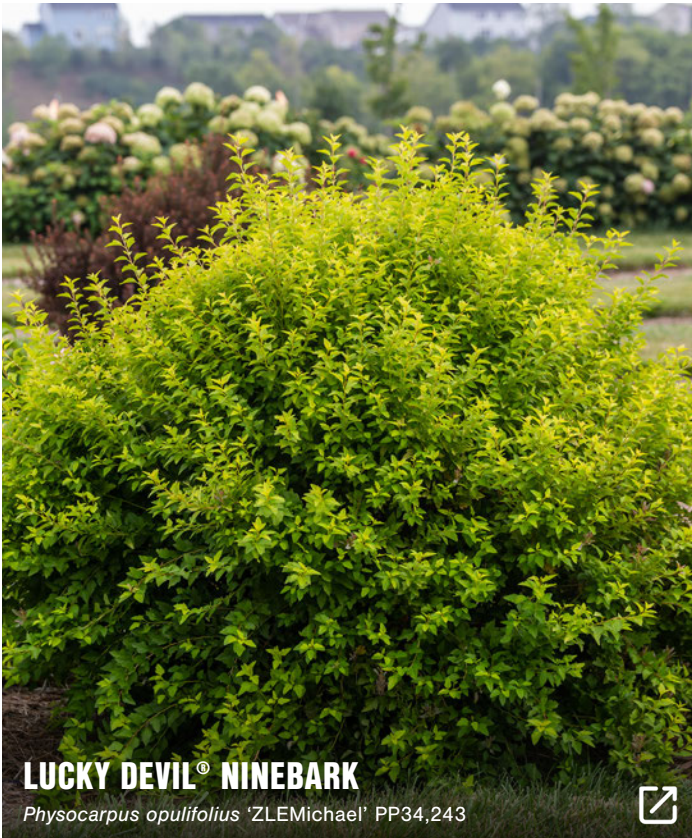
Zone: 3-7

Foliage: Red-purple

- Displays dark, clean foliage throughout the summer
- Adaptable to a wide range of soil types, including wet and dry soil
- Compact habit is great for small landscapes



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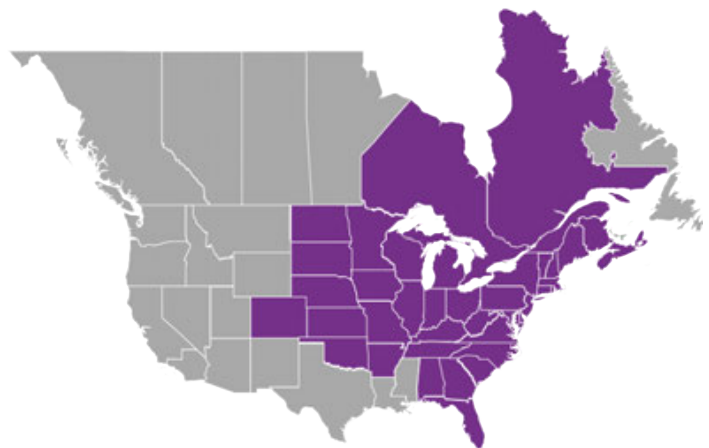
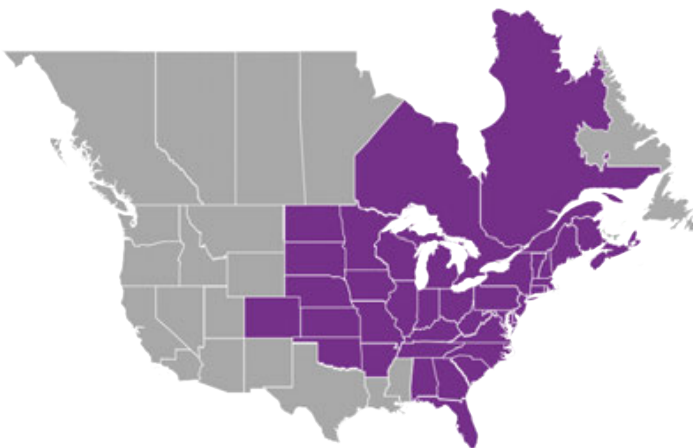
Height: 3-4' **Zone:** 3-7
Spread: 3-4' **Foliage:** Bright yellow
Exposure: Full Sun **Fall Foliage:** Yellow to orange
Shape: Upright rounded

- Covered in bright yellow leaves that retain their color even in full sun
- White flowers bloom in spring, and leaves turn orange in fall
- Spectacular focal point, informal hedge, or foundation planting



Height: 3-4' **Zone:** 3-7
Spread: 3-4' **Foliage:** Orange-red to purple
Exposure: Full sun **Fall Foliage:** Dark purple
Shape: Upright rounded

- Fiery orange and yellow leaves that mature to a vibrant reddish-purple
- White-pink flowers in spring add to the multiseason interest
- Fantastic foundation plant or small hedge in cool and moderate climates



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CREME BRULEE™ POTENTILLA

Potentilla fruticosa 'Bailbrule'



Height: 3-3.5'

Zone: 2-6

Spread: 2-3'

Foliage: Medium green

Exposure: Full sun

Shape: Upright rounded

- A stunning Potentilla with double blooms that last all summer
- The clean foliage contrasts beautifully with the white flowers
- A durable low maintenance shrub for cold climates



LEMON MERINGUE™ POTENTILLA

Potentilla fruticosa 'Bailmeringue'



Height: 2-3'

Zone: 2-6

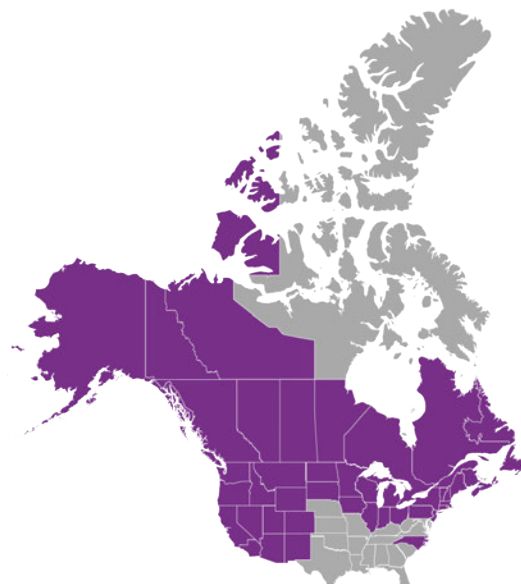
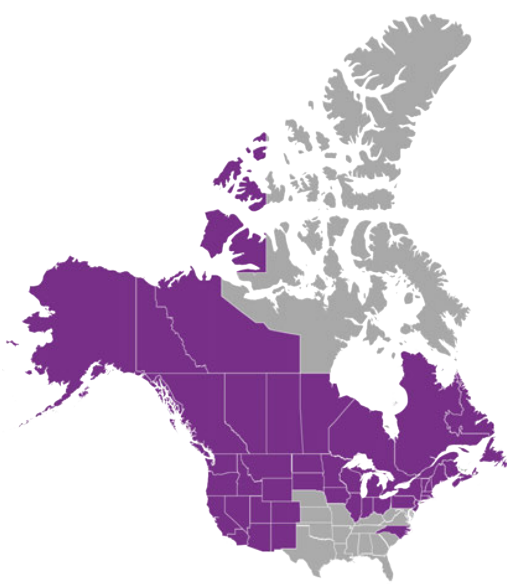
Spread: 2-3'

Foliage: Green

Exposure: Full sun

Shape: Upright mounded

- Loaded with light yellow blooms that resemble roses
- Bloom last all summer and contrast nicely with green foliage
- Round, upright habit that requires little pruning and is deer resistant



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Height: 2-3'

Zone: 2-6

Spread: 2-3'

Foliage: Green

Exposure: Full sun

Shape: Rounded

- Bright orange flowers have a touch of red and bring pop to the landscape
- Durable shrub with a compact habit great for foundation or mass plantings
- Clean foliage stays good looking throughout the summer



Height: 2-3'

Zone: 2-6

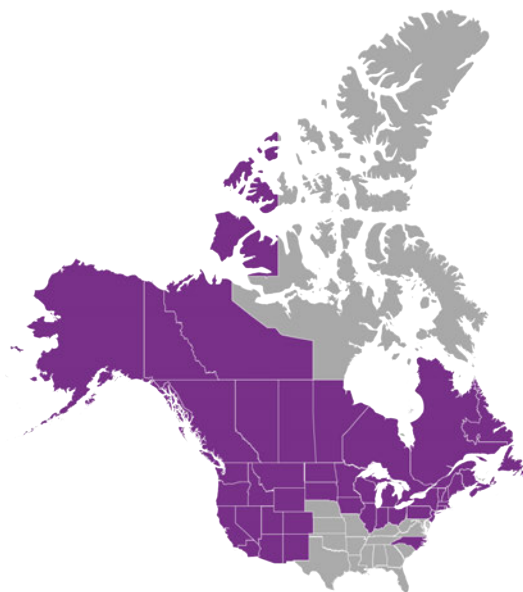
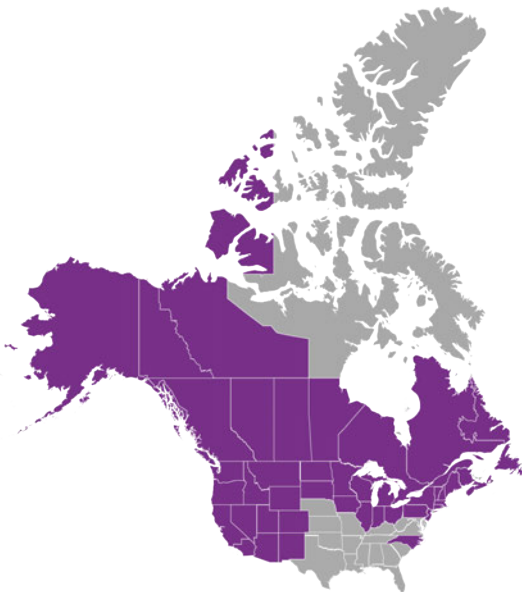
Spread: 2-3'

Foliage: Green

Exposure: Full sun

Shape: Upright, rounded

- A cold hardy shrub with intense orange double blooms
- Continuously blooms from early summer to fall
- Tight habit is perfect for foundation and mass plantings

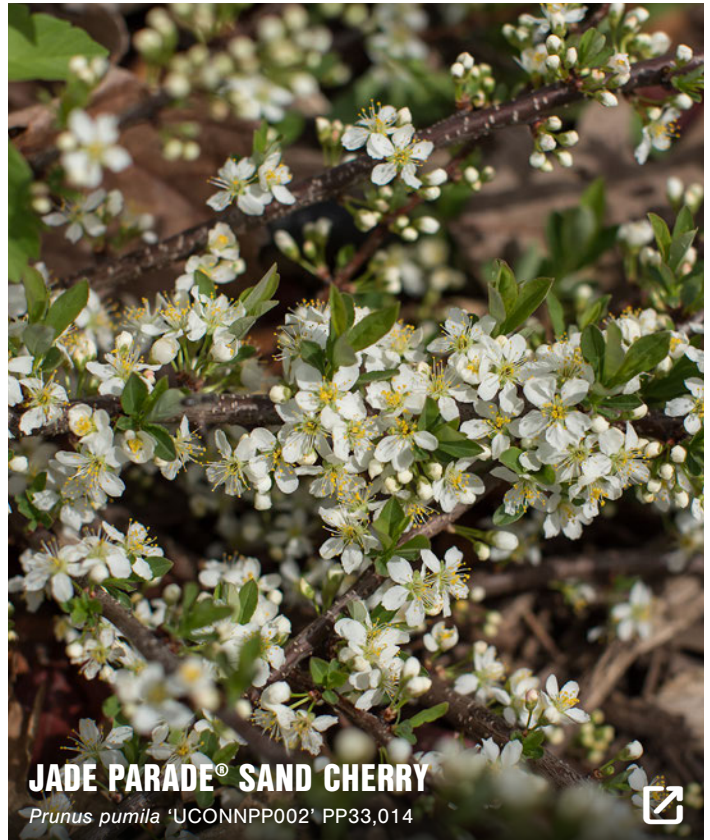


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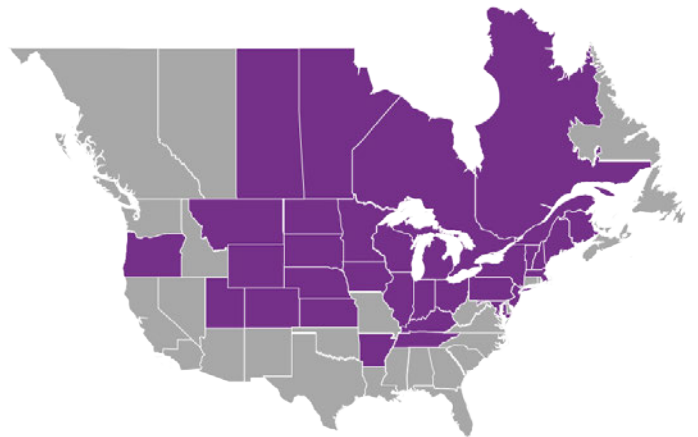
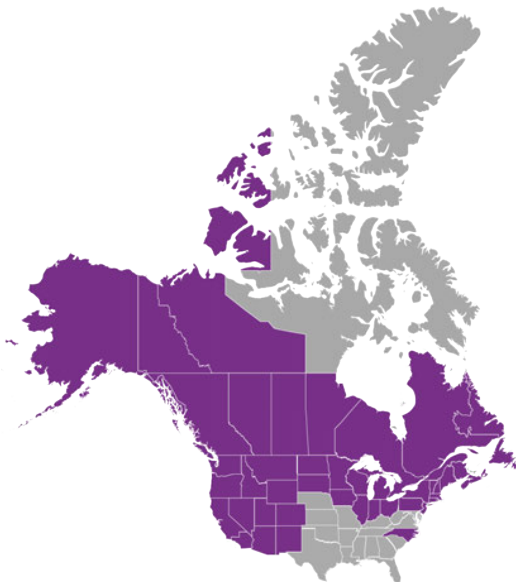
Height: 2-3' **Zone:** 2-6
Spread: 2-3' **Foliage:** Green
Exposure: Full sun
Shape: Upright, rounded

- Golden-yellow double flowers bloom from summer through fall
- Deer resistant, cold hardy, and durable for tough sites
- Ideal size for foundation and mass plantings

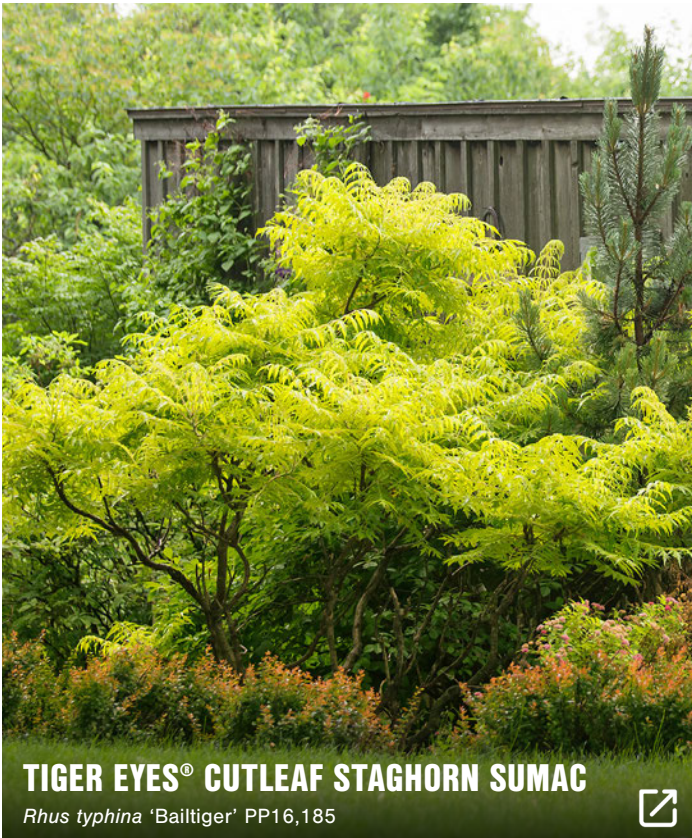


Height: 2-3' **Zone:** 3-7
Spread: 4-6' **Foliage:** Green
Exposure: Full sun **Fall Foliage:** Red
Shape: Spreading

- Glossy blue-green foliage turns vibrant yellow, orange, and red in fall
- Stems are covered in white blooms in spring and cherries in the summer
- Perfect low-maintenance shrub that's ideal for mass planting groundcovers



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Height: 6'
Spread: 6'
Exposure: Full sun
Shape: Upright, rounded

Zone: 4-8
Foliage: Golden
Fall Foliage: Orange, yellow, scarlet

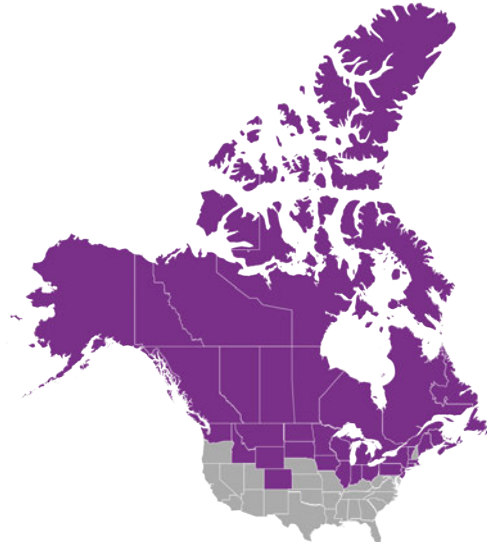
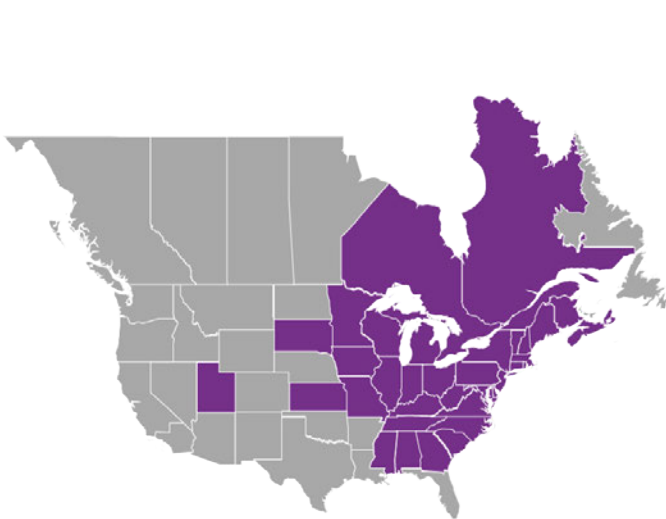
- Chartreuse green leaves turn yellow and contrast with rosy-pink stems
- Yellow, orange, and scarlet foliage provides impressive fall views
- Ideal focal point or mass planting shrub that tolerates most soils



Height: 3-5'
Spread: 4-6'
Exposure: Full sun
Shape: Upright, rounded

Zone: 2-6
Foliage: Silver

- Powdery, silver foliage adds unique texture and contrast to the garden
- Silver catkins bloom in spring, providing nectar for pollinators
- Extremely cold hardy shrub that fits beautifully in the landscape

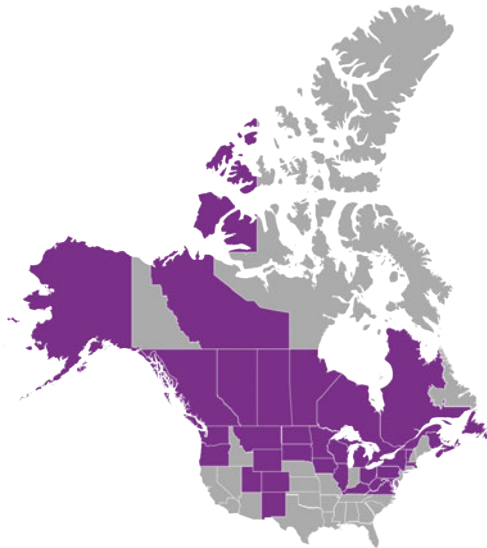


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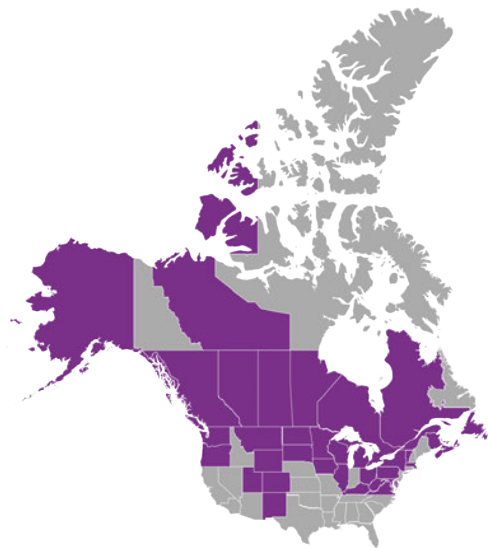
Height: 2-2.5' **Zone:** 4-9
Spread: 2.5-3' **Foliage:** Dark green
Exposure: Full sun
Shape: Compact arching

- Displays candy-pink berries in fall after the pink summer blooms
- Arching stems support berries throughout the winter
- Compact shape is useful for foundation and mass plantings



Height: 2.5-3' **Zone:** 4-9
Spread: 2.5-3' **Foliage:** Dark green
Exposure: Full sun
Shape: Upright rounded

- Stems are covered in pure white berries during fall and winter
- A compact shrub for small gardens and mass plantings
- Arching branches are beautiful in floral arrangements



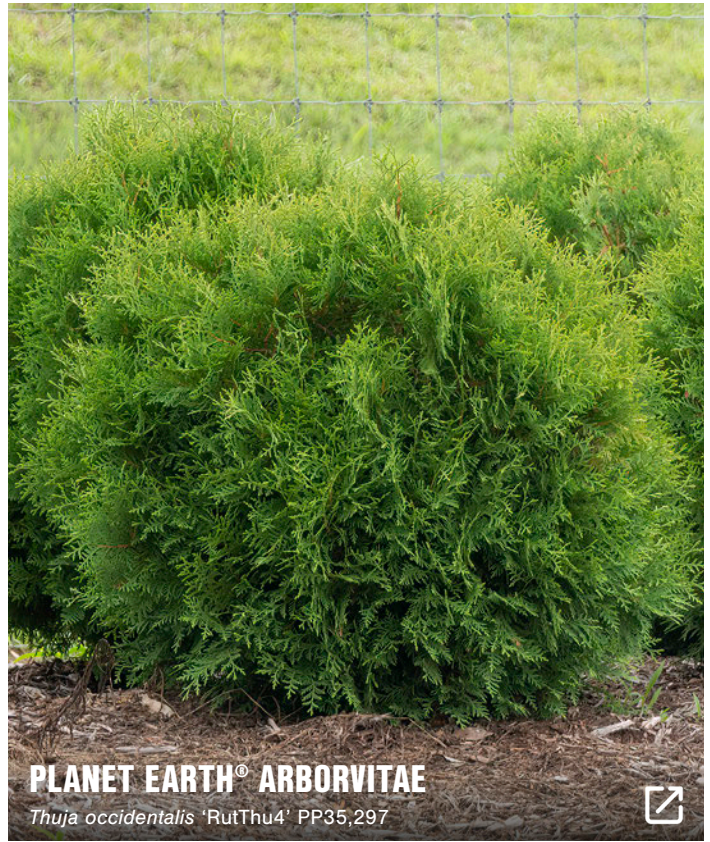
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Height: 6-8'
Spread: 4-5'
Exposure: Full sun
Shape: Broadly pyramidal

Zone: 4-8
Foliage: Yellow
Fall Foliage: Evergreen

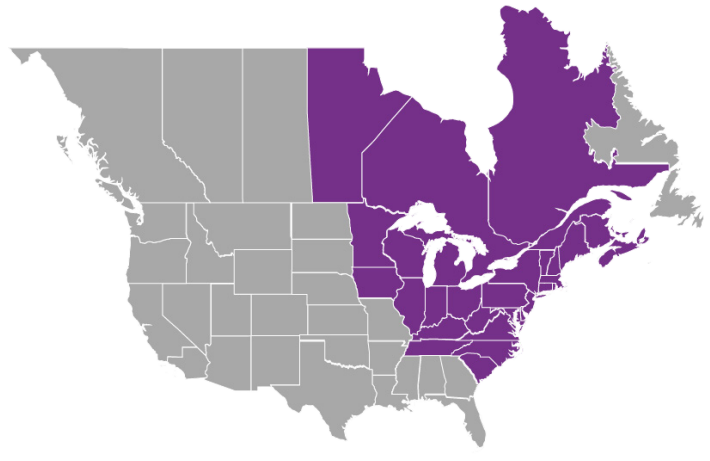
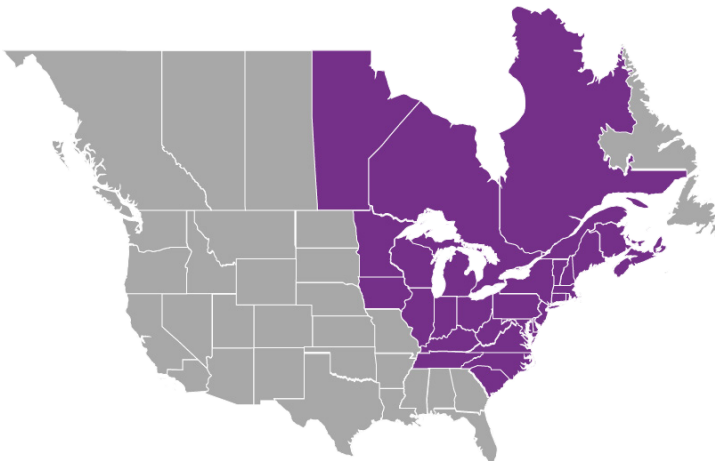
- Eye-catching yellow new growth is produced in full sun
- Clean foliage is resistant to Passalora/Cercospora needle blight
- Foliage produces orange tones in cool climates during winter



Height: 3-5'
Spread: 3-5'
Exposure: Full sun
Shape: Round

Zone: 4-8
Foliage: Green
Fall Foliage: Evergreen

- A tidy, round habit that is perfect for small gardens
- Resistant to Passalora/Cerospora needle blight
- Foliage produces bronze tones in colder climates



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Height: 8-12'
Spread: 2-3'
Exposure: Full sun
Shape: Columnar

Zone: 4-8
Foliage: Green
Fall Foliage: Evergreen

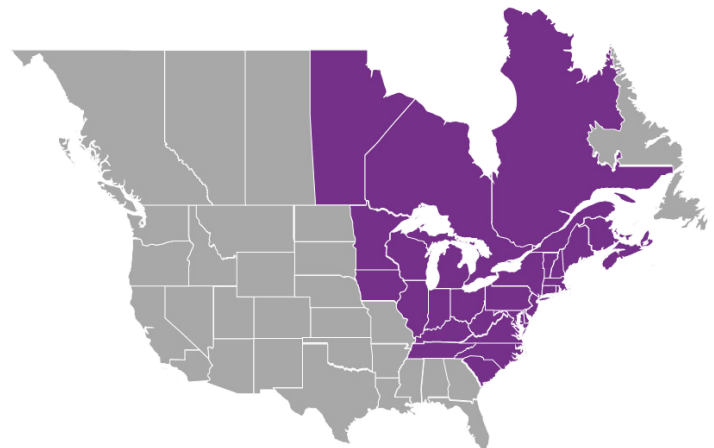
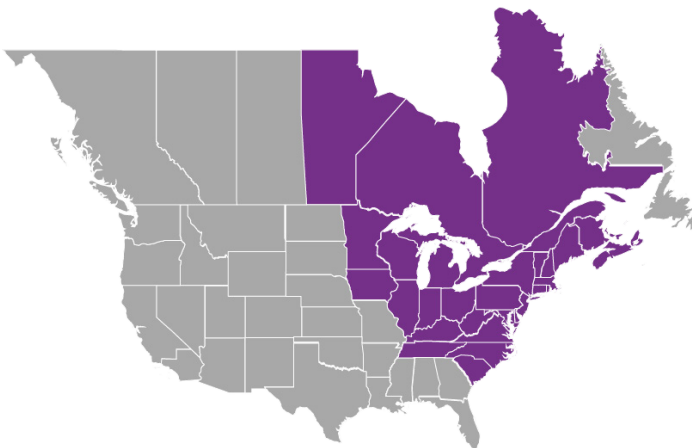
- Vigorous, upright grower with a dense canopy, perfect for hedges
- Excellent arborvitae for warm and cold climates
- Handsome foliage is resistant to needle blight



Height: 8-10'
Spread: 4-5'
Exposure: Full sun
Shape: Compact pyramidal

Zone: 3-7
Foliage: Dark green
Fall Foliage: Evergreen

- A compact habit that is ideal for privacy screens and small gardens
- Dark green foliage maintains color throughout the year
- A low maintenance shrub with little pruning required



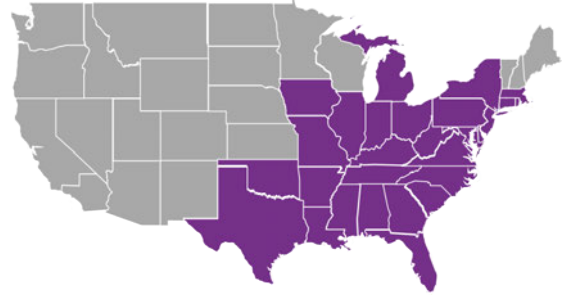
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Height: 15-20'
Spread: Varies
Exposure: Full sun
Shape: Twining

Zone: 4-8
Foliage: Green

- A gorgeous flowering vine for pergolas and other garden structures
- Clusters of purple-dark lavender flowers bloom in June
- Unique seeds pods are produced in late summer



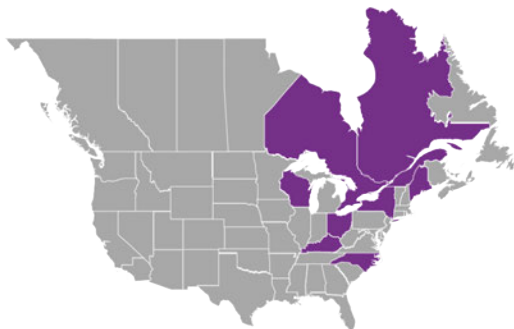
NATIVE SELECTIONS - TREES



Height: 40-45'
Spread: 20-40'
Exposure: Full sun
Shape: Upright oval

Zone: 4-7
Foliage: Green
Fall Foliage: Deep red to orange red

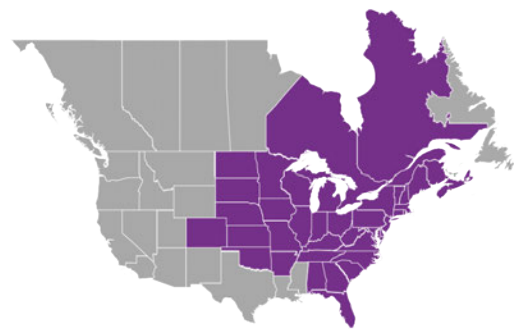
- Produces stunning deep red leaves in the fall
- Foliage turns color later, remaining on the tree longer than other maples
- Adaptable shade tree with an upright form and desirable habit



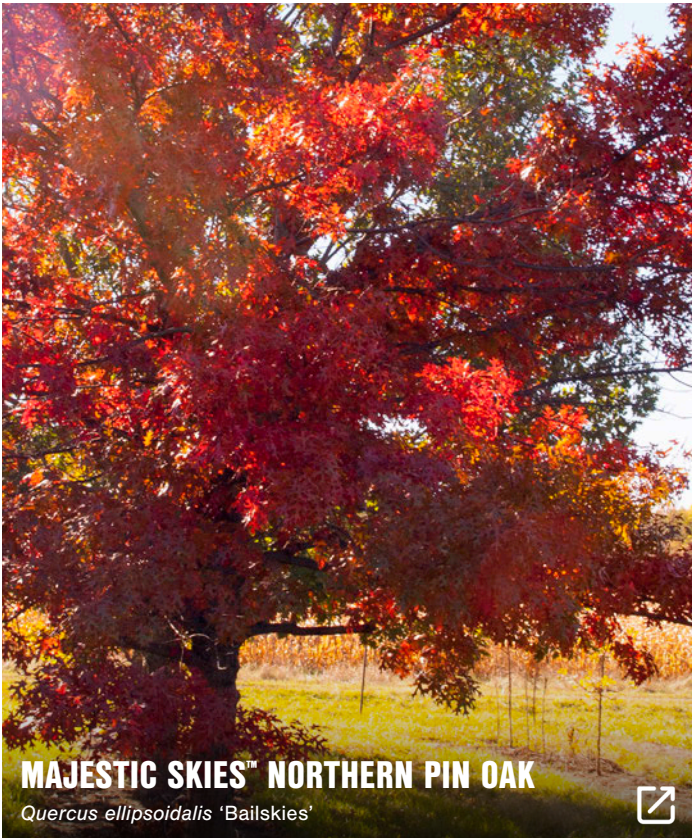
Height: 5-7'
Spread: 3-4'
Exposure: Full sun
Shape: Upright rounded

Zone: 2-7
Foliage: Yellow, orange to green and purple
Fall Foliage: Red and purple

- Features upright, mounded habit with stunning leaves
- Charming white blooms are produced in spring
- Excellent focal point for small garden or container



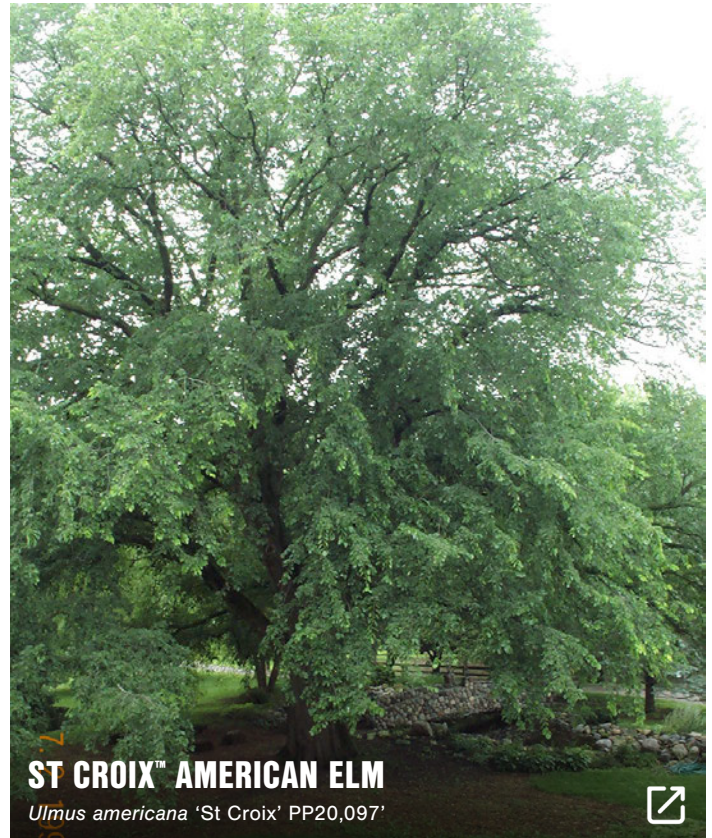
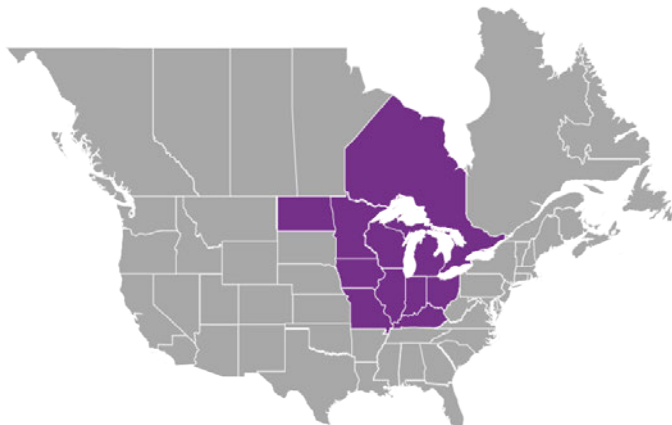
NATIVE SELECTIONS - TREES



Height: 60'
Spread: 45'
Exposure: Full sun
Shape: Conical maturing to broad oval

Zone: 3-6
Foliage: Thick glossy green
Fall Foliage: Red

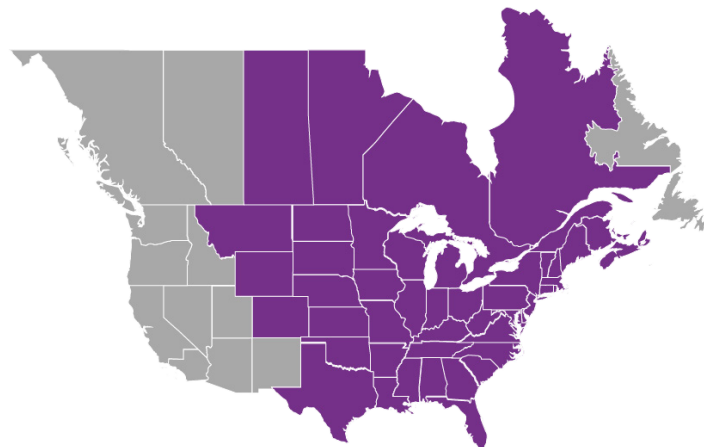
- A large shade tree with with a striking shape and branching habit
- Foliage emerges red in spring and matures to green in summer
- Produces a stunning wave of red foliage in fall



Height: 60-75'
Spread: 70-90'
Exposure: Full sun
Shape: Broadly vase-shaped

Zone: 3-6
Foliage: Dark green
Fall Foliage: Yellow

- A grand shade tree with resistance to Dutch elm disease
- Has a vigorous growth habit and attractive vase shape
- Features beautiful yellow color in the fall



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