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(Shrub)

-  Type: Deciduous Shrub
-  Height: 8 - 12'
-  Spread: 8 - 12'
-  Form: Rounded
-  Growth Rate: Medium - Fast
-  Life Expectancy: Short
-  USDA Zone: 2 - 7, Hardy
-  Sun: Full to Partial, Shade
-  Bloom: White, foliage turns maroon in fall
-  Soil Texture: Sandy Loam to Clay
-  Topography: Upland, Lowland (Flood Prone/Stable Water), Wetland
-  Plant Community: Forest, Bog, Wooded Swamp, Marsh, Old Field, Shaded Cliff
-  Origin: MSA Zone 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, MN, N. America
-  Harvest: Fall
-  Fruit Size: 1/5 to 1/6"
-  Fruit Color: Red
-  Edible: Yes
-  Flavor: Sharply acidic
-  Use: Sauce, juice, jellies, jams & dried
-  Shelf Life: Long
-  Native species widely planted and valued for its flowers, fruit & foliage, planted more for wildlife

