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<p><b>Description</b></p>	<p>This is deciduous, early-flowering, large shrub or small tree. Features 5-petaled, showy, slightly fragrant, white flowers in drooping clusters which appear before the leaves emerge in early spring. Leaves are finely-toothed and obovate. Flowers give way to small, round green berries which turn red and finally mature to a dark purplish-black in early summer. These are edible and resemble blueberries in size and color. Bird attracting.</p>
<p><b>Foliage</b></p>	<p> Deciduous</p>
<p><b>Form</b></p>	<p> V-Shaped</p>
<p><b>Mature Size</b></p>	<p>8 x 4m</p>
<p><b>Uses</b></p>	<p>A native to Northern America, this pretty tree of moderate size works well as a feature tree in most gardens, on embankments and around lakes and ponds. It provides year-round interest with autumn colour, early spring flower and summer berries.</p>
<p><b>Position &amp; Soil</b></p>	<p>This tree can tolerate moist to wet soil conditions, in clay, loam and sandy soils. Also suitable for colder climate gardens, should cope with frosts and light snow.</p>
<p><b>Features</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Small</li> <li> Deciduous</li> <li> V-Shaped</li> <li> Bird Attracting</li> <li> Feature Flower</li> <li> Fruiting &amp; Edible</li> <li> Specimen</li> </ul>
<p><b>Pot sizes in production</b></p>	

<b>Substitutes</b>	
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