

## Aronia melanocarpa

## Black Chokeberry

<b>Plant type</b>	Small Shrub
<b>Potential Size</b>	Height 3-6 ft. Spread 3-6 ft.
<b>Rate of Growth</b>	Medium
<b>Wetland Indicator Status</b>	Facultative

### Site Conditions plant prefers or can tolerate.

Soil Moisture	Moist to Average
Soil Drainage	Very poor to excessive
Soil Texture	Coarse to Fine
Light Preference	Full sun to Partial shade

### Tolerance to:

Flood	Very Tolerant
Drought/Heat	Resistant
Soil Compaction	Resistant
Salt	Resistant

### Substitutions using Similar & Associated Species

Plants similar by type, wetland status and light preference for Mid-Atlantic Forest Associations.

**Silky dogwood, *Ilex verticillata***

### Landscape Value

Function	Small/Large Group
Note:	Showy white aromatic flowers Blue/Black berry Bright red fall color

### Wildlife Value Average

As food-source, nesting or cover



Range Map

