

Hosoba Hoshifu Japanese Laurel



**Deer resistance and
shade tolerance!
A great shrub to
brighten dark corners.**

Aucuba japonica 'Hosoba Hoshifu'

- **Use:** This shrub is like adding a masterpiece to your shade garden. Splashes of gold adorn glossy dark green leaves to create the most unusual patterns. We love them near Dwarf Japanese Cedars and gold edge hostas in the landscape for a coordinating palette.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Part sun– shade; moist, well drained soil. Water regularly, when top 3” of soil is dry.
- **Growth:** Grows 4' tall x 4' wide in 5 years on the way to 6' in height, with age.
- **Hardiness:** Zone 7 -9 Shrub
- **Foliage:** Evergreen. Adorned with narrow, 7" long x 1.5" wide, dark green leaves, heavily speckled with yellow dots.
- **Flower:** The plants are In winter, the plants are adorned with large clusters of bright red fruit the size of large peanuts...provided you have a male clone nearby.

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