

# Needlepoint Holly



Loved for its ability to be trained as a small tree, hedge, or pyramidal shaped accent shrub.

## *Ilex cornuta* 'Delcambre' (Needlepoint)

- **Use:** Performs well as a lush screen, border, accent or foundation plant. Provides year-round interest in the landscape. It is adaptable to many soils and is heat and drought tolerant.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Full sun-part shade. Well-drained soil, not soggy. Water the 1st two years for best growth. If it doesn't rain for 7-10 days, then water. For fastest growth use slow release fertilizer two times a year!
- **Growth:** Moderate growth to 10 feet tall and 12 feet wide.
- **Hardiness:** 5-9; shrub
- **Foliage:** Evergreen. Dense, rounded, evergreen shrub or small tree valued for its delicate, narrow, twisted leaves-
- **Flower:** Not known for flowers. Heavy bearer of bright red fruit that last through the winter. Self fruitful, but heavier set with other nearby hollies.