

Alleghany Viburnum



Viburnum × rhytidophylloides 'Alleghany'

- **Uses:** Ideal for large-scale informal screens, privacy hedges, windbreaks, or as a dense, textured specimen shrub. It is a good choice for attracting birds to your yard, but is not particularly attractive to deer who tend to leave it alone in favor of tastier treats. It has no significant negative characteristics.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Prefers full sun to partial shade and moist to dry well-drained soils. It prefers to grow in average to moist conditions, and shouldn't be allowed to dry out. It is not particular as to soil type or pH.
- **Growth:** Multi-stemmed, upright-arching and matures to 8-10' tall and 8-9' wide. Best pruned after flowering to maintain shape without sacrificing next year's blooms.
- **Hardiness:** Zone 3-9; Shrub
- **Foliage:** Semi-evergreen. The deep green, wrinkled leaves are a major landscape asset, often persisting through winter.
- **Flower:** Produces 4-inch wide, flat-topped flower clusters (cymes) in spring, with fruit maturing from late summer through fall. Excellent for attracting birds, which enjoy the berries, while the flowers attract butterflies and pollinators. While it can produce fruit on its own, it will produce a heavier berry crop if cross-pollinated with other Viburnum cultivars like 'Prague' or 'Willowwood'



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