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Malus coronaria

Wild Crab Apple



An excellent flowering tree for the home garden. Fragrant white flowers follow the emergence of leaves in the spring. The bright green foliage drops relatively early in fall, revealing pale green-yellow fruits. Irregular, rounded form.

Suggested Companions: wild strawberry (*Fragaria virginiana*), Virginia creeper (*Parthenocissus quinquefolia*)

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Plant Type: Small Tree

Size: 10-25' H
8-15' W

Water Tolerant: No

Habitat:

Open field/ Prairie
Woodland Margin
Forested Upland

Soil: Average Garden Soil
Rich Moist
Sandy/ Gravelly
Clay

Exposure: sun
filtered

Flower Color:

Pink
White

Plant in:

Groundcover: No

Bloom Time:

May

Other Attributes:

Fragrant
Winter interest
Bird attracting
Wildlife attracting