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Sarcoxie Euonymus

Euonymus fortunei 'Sarcoxie'



Sarcoxie Euonymus
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Height: 4 feet

Spread: 5 feet

Sunlight: ○ ◐ ●

Hardiness Zone: 5

Other Names: Wintercreeper Euonymus

Description:

A spreading, sprawling broadleaf evergreen vine with dark green leaves; can actually grow to be a large shrub or trained to climb structures; very versatile and adaptable

Ornamental Features

Sarcoxie Euonymus is primarily grown for its highly ornamental fruit. It features abundant showy shell pink capsules from mid to late fall. It has attractive white-variegated dark green foliage. The glossy oval leaves are highly ornamental and remain dark green throughout the winter.

Landscape Attributes

Sarcoxie Euonymus is a multi-stemmed evergreen shrub with a ground-hugging habit of growth. Its relatively fine texture sets it apart from other landscape plants with less refined foliage.

This shrub will require occasional maintenance and upkeep, and can be pruned at anytime. Gardeners should be aware of the following characteristic(s) that may warrant special consideration;

- Insects

Sarcoxie Euonymus is recommended for the following landscape applications;

- Accent
- Mass Planting
- General Garden Use
- Groundcover



Sarcoxie Euonymus foliage
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Planting & Growing

Sarcoxie Euonymus will grow to be about 4 feet tall at maturity, with a spread of 5 feet. It tends to fill out right to the ground and therefore doesn't necessarily require facer plants in front. It grows at a medium rate, and under ideal conditions can be expected to live for approximately 30 years.

This shrub performs well in both full sun and full shade. It is very adaptable to both dry and moist locations, and should do just fine under average home landscape conditions. It is not particular as to soil type or pH. It is highly tolerant of urban pollution and will even thrive in inner city environments. This is a selected variety of a species not originally from North America.



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