



Species: *Ligustrum obtusifolium*

(li-gus'trum ob-too-si-fo'lee-um)

Border Privet

Cultivar Information

* See specific cultivar notes on next page.

Ornamental Characteristics

Size: Shrub > 8 feet

Height: 10' - 12' (spread 12' - 15')

Leaves: Deciduous

Shape: multi-stem spreading shrub

Ornamental Other: full sun to part shade

Environmental Characteristics

Light: Full sun, Part shade

Hardy To Zone: 3a

Soil Ph: Can tolerate acid to alkaline soil (pH 5.0 to 8.0)

Environmental Other: medium to dark green foliage; purplish fall color; useful as a screen or background hedge; flowers have unpleasant scent; fruit is bluish black drupe

Insect Disease

No diseases listed

Bare Root Transplanting

Any

Other

native to Japan; INVASIVE in US

Cultivars for *Ligustrum obtusifolium*Showing **1-2** of **2** items.

Cultivar Name	Notes
Constitution	'Constitution' - compact form; dense habit; grows to 8' tall and wide; leaves are slightly twisted
var. regelianum	var. regelianum - branches that spread horizontally to a height of 5'; leaves are arranged in one plane for a neatly textured effect

Photos



Ligustrum obtusifolium - Habit



Ligustrum obtusifolium - Leaves



Ligustrum obtusifolium - Leaves, Fruit



Ligustrum obtusifolium - Leaves, Fall Interest



Ligustrum obtusifolium - Habit



Ligustrum obtusifolium - Habit



Ligustrum obtusifolium - Bark



Ligustrum obtusifolium - Fruit



Ligustrum obtusifolium - Habit