



## Species: *Cornus racemosa*

(kore'nus race-eh-mosa)

### Gray Dogwood

#### Cultivar Information

\* See specific cultivar notes on next page.

#### Ornamental Characteristics

Size: Shrub 4 to 8 feet

Height: 10' - 15' (spread 10' - 15'; easily maintained at 6' - 8')

Leaves: Deciduous

Shape: Multi-stemmed large shrub, rarely single stemmed

Ornamental Other:

#### Environmental Characteristics

Light: Full sun, Part shade

Hardy To Zone: 3b

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

Environmental Other: Wide range of moisture tolerance

#### Insect Disease

No diseases listed

#### Bare Root Transplanting

Easy



## Other

spreads by suckering; good choice for roadside locations; can be pruned to within inches of the ground to increase fullness; has been grown as a small standard tree for use in restricted spaces. Native to Northeast U.S.

Cultivars for *Cornus racemosa*

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Cultivar Name	Notes
Slavinii	'Slavinii' - dwarf form to 2-3' with a 4' spread; dense habit; short internodes; slightly twisted leaves
Emerald	'Emerald' - Glossy green leaves, superior form, pinkish fruits
Cuyahoga	'Cuyahoga' - Pyramidal tree form
Geauga	'Geauga' - A dense multi-stemmed with dark-green foliage and reddish new growth
Huron	'Huron' - rounded, globular form; 4' tall and wide; notable red fall color
Mahoning	'Mahoning' - a stoloniferous spreader to 10' tall; notable grey winter stem color
Muskingum	'Muskingum' - a dwarf form; 2' tall and 4' wide
Ottawa	'Ottawa' - Fastigiate tree form; 12' tall and 6' wide



## Photos



*Cornus racemosa* - Bud



*Cornus racemosa* - Flowers





*Cornus racemosa* - Habit



*Cornus racemosa* - Flowers, Leaves





*Cornus racemosa* - Habit



*Cornus racemosa* - Leaves





*Cornus racemosa* - Flowers



*Cornus foemina*





*Cornus racemosa* - Fruit