



Species: *Elaeagnus umbellata*

(el-ee-ag'nus um-bel-lay-tah)

Autumn Olive

Cultivar Information

An invasive species with many improved fruiting varieties, no sterile varieties known.

* See specific cultivar notes on next page.

Ornamental Characteristics

Size: Shrub > 8 feet

Height: 12' - 18' (spread 12' 18')

Leaves: Deciduous

Shape: Upright oval

Ornamental Other: tolerant of climate conditions; fixes its own nitrogen

Environmental Characteristics

Light: Full sun, Part shade

Hardy To Zone: 5a

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

Environmental Other: attractive medium green/silver foliage; small fragrant yellow flowers in late spring; silver fruits turn red in fall and attract many birds

Insect Disease

No diseases listed

Bare Root Transplanting

Any

Other

Native to E. Asia. INVASIVE in US

Cultivars for *Elaeagnus umbellata*

Showing **1-3** of **3** items.

Cultivar Name	Notes
Cardinal	'Cardinal' - superior fruiting; thrives in low-fertility, acid, loamy, sandy soils
Titan	'Titan' - upright form
Red Wing	'Red Wing' - superior fruiting

Photos



Undulate margin



Elaeagnus umbellata - Leaves



Eleaagnus umbellata - Fruit



Eleaagnus umbellata - Bark



Elaeagnus umbellata - Fruit



Elaeagnus umbellata - Fruit



Elaeagnus umbellata - Habit



Elaeagnus umbellata - Leaf