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Beverly Flowering Crab\* Malus 'Beverly'

Height: 25 feet Spread: 25 feet Sunlight: O

Hardiness Zone: 4

Other Names: Roseybloom, Crabapple

## **Description:**

A beautiful upright spreading crab with copious fragrant white blooms among the deep green foliage, an abundance of bright red fruit please the eye and add interest throughout the fall; highly scab resistant but is slightly susceptible to fireblight

## **Ornamental Features**

Beverly Flowering Crab is smothered in stunning clusters of fragrant white flowers along the branches in mid spring, which emerge from distinctive red flower buds before the leaves. The fruits are showy red pomes carried in abundance from early to late fall. It has dark green deciduous foliage. The pointy leaves turn yellow in fall.

## Landscape Attributes

Beverly Flowering Crab is a deciduous tree with an upright spreading habit of growth. Its average texture blends into the landscape, but can be balanced by one or two finer or coarser trees or shrubs for an effective composition.

This tree will require occasional maintenance and upkeep, and is best pruned in late winter once the threat of extreme cold has passed. It is a good choice for attracting birds to your yard. It has no significant negative characteristics.

Beverly Flowering Crab is recommended for the following landscape applications;

- Accent

- Shade

## **Planting & Growing**

Beverly Flowering Crab will grow to be about 25 feet tall at maturity, with a spread of 25 feet. It has a low canopy with a typical clearance of 4 feet from the ground, and is suitable for planting under power lines. It grows at a medium rate, and under ideal conditions can be expected to live for 50 years or more.



Beverly Flowering Crab flowers Photo courtesy of NetPS Plant Finder



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This tree should only be grown in full sunlight. It prefers to grow in average to moist conditions, and shouldn't be allowed to dry out. 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 particular variety is an interspecific hybrid.

\* This is a 'special order' plant - contact store for details