

Myrcianthes fragrans



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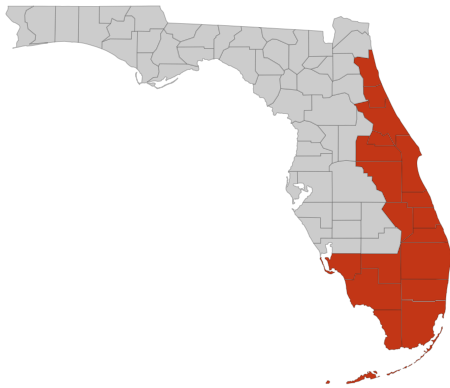
Simpson's Stopper, Twinberry

Myrtaceae

Plant Specifics

- Size:** 5-20 ft tall by 3-15 ft wide with the potential to form small clones.
- Life Span:** Long-lived perennial
- Flower Color:** White
- Fruit Color:** Orange
- Phenology:** Evergreen. Flowers sporadically throughout the year with best bloom in spring and early summer.
- Habitats:** Tropical rockland hammock, coastal hammock.

Natural Range in Florida



USDA Zones

Suitable to grow in:



Landscaping

- Recommended Uses:** Specimen plant. Roadsides, parking lot edge and medians. Smaller forms can make good foundation screens.
- Light:** ☀ Full Sun, ☁ Part Shade
- Moisture Tolerance:** Somewhat moist, no flooding ----- to ----- Very long very dry periods
- Salt Water Flooding Tolerance:** Not salt tolerant of inundation by salty or brackish water.
- Salt Spray Tolerance:** Some tolerance to salty wind but not direct spray.
- Soil/Substrate:** Humus (organic, upland), Lime rock, Sand

Wildlife



Birds eat the fruits.

Attracts bees and butterflies.

