

Hedge Cotoneaster
Cotoneaster lucidus

Height: 6'-10'
Width: 5'-8'
(At Maturity)
Growth Rate: Medium
USDA Zone: 3-7
Bloom: Pink
Time: May
Sun: Full/partial
Water: Low



Sometimes called Peking cotoneaster, this is a very tough plant. It will take to being sheared into a hedge but is also beautiful in form when allowed to grow naturally. It has dark green glossy leaves which produce a show of fall colors. It will have small shell pink flowers along the stem in spring which produce a black berry in early fall.

This shrub adapts to both wet and dry conditions, and should do fine in the average home landscape. It is not particular to soil type or pH. It is tolerant of environmental salts and urban pollution. It makes an easy screen.