

**Russian Hawthorn**  
***Crataegus ambigua***

Height: 15'-20'  
Width: 12'-15'  
(At Maturity)  
Growth/Yr: 6"-12"  
USDA Zone: 3-9  
Bloom: White  
Time: April/May  
Sun: Full  
Water: Low



**This rugged little ornamental produces an interesting show year round. In spring it produces abundant white flowers, with a leaf that is deeply lobed and medium green in color. In the fall the whole tree is covered in cherry like fruit which are persistent and provide forage for birds through out the winter. Its unique growth habit and colorful bark also provide interest in the winter months.**

**This Hawthorn does have small 3/8" thorns and does best when pruned in late winter. It grows well in a variety of soil types and actually prefers alkaline soils. It is tolerant of Urban pollution and is drought tolerant. Overall this is an excellent tree for the front range.**