

SEA BERRY

*Hippophae
rhamnoides*



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Well-known in Europe, Sea Berries are highly prized for vitamin rich, orange fruit and graceful ornamental qualities. Fruit is an excellent source of vitamins C, A & E and makes delicious juice. The flavor is described as extra rich orange juice with added pineapple and passionfruit. Plants have either male or female flowers, and female plants will produce fruit only when a male plant is present. Foliage is narrow and frosty blue-green, and branches can be thorny. Sea Berries adapt to various soil conditions and have no pest or disease problems. As highly drought tolerant nitrogen fixers they are excellent subjects for use in permaculture and/or organic farming.

Grows to 8-12’ tall, loves full sun, hardy to -40F.

BOTANICA	More compact, improved cultivar from Russian breeding program. Same high yields in a smaller space. Ripens late July.
GOLDEN SWEET	Medium-size, handsome shrub produces large crops of sweet, golden berries. Very reliable and hardy.
MALE	Pollinator for female sea berries and an attractive ornamental shrub in its own right. One Male can pollinate up to 8 females.
TITAN	Produces heavy crops of bright orange, flavorful berries great for juice, preserves, and general culinary uses. Flavor described as slightly sweeter than other varieties.