

Scientific Name: *Sorbus intermedia*

Common Name: Swedish Mountainash

Environmental Conditions:

Hardiness Zone: 5b or 6a

Soil Moisture:

VERY WET			VERY DRY								
occasionally saturated or very wet soil			consistently moist, well drained soil			occasional periods of dry soil			prolonged periods of dry soil		
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12

Sun/Shade: full sun

Salt: unknown

pH: ≤ 8.2

Insect/Disease Factors: reportedly less susceptible to pests than European Mountainash (*Sorbus aucuparia*), which has many pest problems

Growth Characteristics:

Height: 25'-35'

Width: 30'

Form/Habit: round

Rate: medium

Ornamental Characteristics:

Flower: showy, white clusters, spring

Fruit: showy, orange-red clusters, berry-like, late summer/early fall

Seasonal Foliage Color: green on upper surface with a gray-white pubescence on undersides in summer, color varies from pale green to golden brown to orange-reddish in fall

Bark: not ornamentally important, gray-brown, often smooth, becoming slightly rough with age

Transplant Issues: easy to transplant B&B or ≤ 2 " caliper bare root

Management Issues: none of significance

Suggested Uses: narrow or wide street tree lawns/pits, parks, suitable for CU-Structural Soil™

Cultivars: none available commercially



S. intermedia with age