

# Red Splendor Crabapple

*Malus (Red Splendor)*



<b>Type</b>	Deciduous Tree
<b>Height</b>	20 - 25 Feet
<b>Spread</b>	20 - 20 Feet
<b>Form</b>	Spreading
<b>Utilities</b>	Compatible
<b>Growth Rate</b>	Fast
<b>Life Expectancy</b>	Medium
<b>USDA Zone</b>	3 - 8
<b>Root Type</b>	Fibrous Shallow



## Plant Community

<b>Sun</b>	Full Sun
<b>Orientation</b>	All Orientations
<b>Soil Texture</b>	Sandy Loam through Clay Loam

<b>Soil Water Holding Capacity</b>	Mesic
<b>Topography</b>	Upland

**Plant Community** Forest Edge

**Origin**

**Succession**

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## Flowers/Foliage/Fruit

**Flower Color** Pink

**Flower Season** Spring

**Fruit** Pome

**Fruit Color** Red

**Fruit Season** Spring, Summer, Autumn or Winter

**Summer Texture** Medium

**Winter Texture** Medium

**Spring Foliage** Purple

**Summer Foliage** Green

**Fall Foliage** Purple

**Winter Foliage** Not Applicable



## Soils

**Salt Spray** Sensitive

**Soil Salt** Sensitive

**Compaction** Moderate

**Water Table** 12 Inches

**Drainage** Moderate

**Flood Tolerance** Intolerant

**Drought Tolerance**

**Moisture Regime** Dry, Moist or Wet

**pH** 5 through 8

## Planting Ease

**Spring Bareroot** Easy

**Fall Bareroot**

**Spring Container** Easy

**Fall Container** Moderate

**Spring Seed**

**Fall Seed**

**Windbreak Group**

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## Maintenance

<b>Formal</b>	Moderate
<b>Informal</b>	Low
<b>2, 4-D Tolerance</b>	Sensitive
<b>DicambaTolerance</b>	Sensitive
<b>PicloramTolerance</b>	Sensitive
<b>Clopyralid Tolerance</b>	
<b>Artificial Light</b>	
<b>Sulfur Dioxide</b>	
<b>Ozone Tolerance</b>	Moderate
<b>Hydrogen Flouride</b>	
<b>Nitrogen Oxide</b>	



## Pests/Problems

<b>Allergens</b>	both sexes 4
<b>Invasivness</b>	
<b>Toxicity</b>	Has toxic fruit
<b>Cold Injury</b>	Infrequent
<b>Storm Damage</b>	Infrequent

## **Biological Control**

## **Mechanical Control**

## **Chemical Control**

## Miscellaneous

<b>Wildlife Rating</b>	High
<b>Insect Concerns</b>	Minor
<b>Disease Concerns</b>	Minor
<b>Wildlife Concerns</b>	Deer, rabbits and mice

## Comments

Developed by Melvin Bergeson, Fertile, MN. Flowers fade in hot weather. Slightly susceptible to scab, moderate to fireblight. Fruit persists all winter. Reddish green glossy foliage. Seeds are poisonous.