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Common Ninebark

Physocarpus opuliflorus

Light: Full sun, partial sun

Soil: Clay, loam, sand

Moisture: Medium wet, medium, medium dry

Benefits: Pollinators, Birds, Deer Resistant, Host

Height: 8'

Blooms: July

Zones: 3-8

Color: White

Spacing: 4-6'

Root: Fibrous

A true superplant. Ninebark is adaptable, gorgeous, and a boon to wildlife. Clusters of tiny white-to-pink flowers cover it in spring and are frequented by pollinators, including mining bees, and its a host plant for many moths. The reddish brown bark peels to show several layers, thus its name. Plus it's easy to grow. Perfect for adding that all-important shrub layer to your garden.