

# Amelanchier canadensis 'Glennform'

## Glennform Canadian serviceberry



*Amelanchier canadensis* 'Glennform' (Glennform Canadian serviceberry) is a selection from seedlings of the *Amelanchier canadensis* by Losely Nursery in Perry, Ohio. The Glennform seedling stands out with its dense, upright symmetrical crown and more narrow growth than other serviceberry shrubs. The Glennform Canadian serviceberry grows up to 6 metres tall and 3 metres wide with a finely branched, narrow vase-shaped crown. Its slender, upright shape makes this shrub perfect for landscape hedges.

Before the leaves start to sprout, the *Amelanchier canadensis* 'Glennform' blooms bountifully racemes of white flowers that hang over slightly. In the summer, the shrub bears red-violet to blue-black fruits that are edible. The leaves are relatively large and bud in a lovely bronze-red. In the summer, the leaves are green with a grey-green underside. Its autumn colours go from yellow to orange and deep red.

The Glennform Canadian serviceberry has a preference for a sunny environment and moist, humous, slightly acidic soil. It will tolerate a temporarily dry environment, as well as strong wind. That makes the selection perfect for use in containers and roof gardens. The *Amelanchier canadensis* 'Glennform' is not sensitive to rust or mildew.

### SEASONAL COLOURS



### TYPES OF PLANTING

**Tree types:** fruit trees, solitary shrubs

### USE

**Location:** park, central reservation, in containers, roof garden, large garden, small garden, patio, cemetery, countryside, ecological zone | **Pavement:** none, open | **Planting concepts:** Eco planting

### CHARACTERISTICS

**Crown shape:** narrow vase-shaped | **Crown structure:** dense | **Height:** 4.5 - 6 m | **Width:** 2.5 - 3 m | **Winter hardiness zone:** 4A - 7B

### ASPECTS

**Wind:** tolerant to wind | **Soil:** loess, sabulous clay, light clay, sand, loamy soil | **Nutrient level:** moderately rich in nutrients, rich in nutrients | **Soil moisture level:** dry, moist | **Light requirements:** sun | **pH range:** acidic, neutral (5.6 - 7.5) | **Host plant/forage plant:** bees, butterflies, birds, humans

### PLANTKENMERKEN

**Flowers:** raceme, star-shaped, striking, singular, weakly scented | **Flower colour:** white | **Flowering period:** April - May | **Leaf colour:** buds bronze, green, underside grey-green | **Leaves:** deciduous, ovoid, underside hairy, serrate | **Autumn colour:** yellow-orange, orange-red, scarlet | **Fruits:** edible, small, frosty, raceme, berry | **Fruit colour:** blue-violet | **Bark colour:** grey-brown | **Bark:** smooth, later on rough | **Twig colour:** brown | **Twigs:** bare, frosty, vertical branches, finely branched | **Root system:** shallow, extensive, slightly branched