PLANT FACT SHEET

Elaeagnus x ebbingei Boom.

GENUS *Elaeagnus* **FAMILY** Elaeagnaceae

COMMON NAMES Ebbing's silverberry

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit, Seeds

The fruit are eaten when fully ripe.
The seeds can also be eaten.

DESCRIPTION

A dense evergreen shrub. It grows 3.5 m tall and spreads 3.5 m wide. The leaves are dark green and glossy. They are silvery underneath. They are 10 cm long. The flowers are creamy white with silver scales. They have a scent. The fruit are orange-red. They are 2 cm across.

HABITAT

It suits hardiness zones 6-9.

PRODUCTION

Cultivation

It can be grown from seed.

Harvesting and Seed Production

It is fast growing.

NOTES

There are 45 Elaeagnus species.

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