

Juniperus virginiana



Eastern Redcedar



Coniferous tree

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This native evergreen is an excellent choice for wildlife food and cover. The waxy, blue berries ripen in autumn and are favored by many birds. Individual trees of this species are either male or female so some specimens will not have fruit. Redcedar will grow to heights of 40' to 50' with a spread of 8' to 20'. It tolerates drought and poor soils and prefers full sun. Not generally browsed by deer. Wood is aromatic and used for cedar chests and closets.