

Mountain Mahogany

Cercocarpus betuloides



Watershed Nursery

shrubs for hedges



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traits

- Evergreen shrub
- Generally 8–12 ft tall and wide; can get to 20 ft
- Full sun to part shade
- Water 1 x month once established
- Moderate growth, columnar form
- Charming birch-like leaves on reddish branches
- Tiny cream flowers are mildly scented
- Feathery seeds in fall make plant appear silvery
- Excellent plant for restoration and erosion control
- Ideal as a screening shrub; a great replacement for bamboo
- Can easily be pruned for narrow garden beds
- Deer tend to browse this plant, some protection may be necessary