Ninebark

*Physocarpus capitatus*

**Plant Type:** Shrub

**Flower Color:** White

**Flowering Time:** April to June

**Height:** 10 feet

**Width:** 4-8 feet

**Exposure:** Sun-part shade

**Water Req.:** Occasional - once a month or so, depending on temperatures and wind.

**Habitat Value:** Butterflies, birds

**Comments and Maintenance:** Thicket forming shrub up to 10 feet tall with many branches forming from the base. Round heads of white, apple blossom-type flowers appear in late spring followed by bright red, inflated seed pods.

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