

Prunus caroliniana Carolina Cherry Laurel



Category: Large Evergreen shrub

Hardiness: Zone 7 to 10

Foliage: Dark green

Bark: smooth in youth, more irregular with time, dark

gray to almost black

Winter color: green

Shape: pyramidal to oval large shrub small tree

Mature Size: 20-30ft tall by 15-25ft wide

Growth Rate: Slow

Shade: Full Sun to part shade

Adaptability: Adaptable to well drained sandy and

clay soils

Native Habitat: Coastal Plain of the Southeast, Coastal Virginia to Northern Florida, West to

Louisiana

Uses: Prevalent as fencerows and planted with

regularity by birds.



