

Cornus 'Eddies White Wonder' - Eddies White Wonder Dogwood

Zone: 6-8

Height: 25'

Width: 20'



Exposure: Part Shade to Full sun
Form and Crown: Upright Pyramidal
Growth Rate: Moderate
Preferred Ph: Neutral to Acid
Drought Tolerance: Occasional irrigation through the heat of summer
Drainage: Requires very good drainage
Preferred Soil: Rich Loam
Insect Pest: Few if any
Disease Problems: Few if any

A hybrid of *Cornus nutalli*, the native Pacific Northwest Dogwood, and *Cornus florida*, 'Eddies White Wonder' has the better attributes of both varieties. The flowers are huge, composed of 4"-6" pure white bracts which overlap, and appear in spring. The foliage is dark green and has great contrast with the flowers. Fall color is red. Red fruit is attractive after defoliation.

Eddies White Wonder is resistant to Anthracnose, and there are few if any insect problems. Pruning Eddies is a little tricky. It has a tendency, like *Acer ginnala*, to put all its spring growth into one lateral branch. It is important to trim this branch early and promote growth on the rest of the tree.