

## Physocarpus opulifolius 'Center Glow' - Center Glow Ninebark

Zone: 3-7

Height: 6'-8'

Width: 6'-8'

Exposure: Full sun, part shade

Crown: Vase, arching

Growth: Moderate

Soil: Loam

pH: Neutral to acidic

Drainage: Well drained

Drought: Tolerant once established

Breakage: Little

Disease: Some areas fire blight



Foliage is the main feature of this plant. Its parents are Diablo and Dart's Gold. It has features of both. The new growth comes in a cluster which is gold at the center. As the leaves age, they become burgundy. Both colors appear at the same time for quite a show. Flowers are pinkish-white corymbs which nicely go with the foliage. And if that's not enough, Center Glow has exfoliating bark, showing several different colored layers for winter interest.