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ROSACEAE
Amelanchier alnifolia Nutt.
Amal

serviceberry, Saskatoon serviceberry

FORM: Shrubs or small trees, 2-7m (6-20ft) tall, spreading to erect.

IDAHO CHAMPION: 1978. 9.6in dbh; 30.2in circum. + 32ft + 5.75ft crown= 68pts; Slate Creek RD, Nezperce NF.

BARK: Glabrous, reddish-brown aging to grey.

BUDS: Alternate, reddish-brown, conical 3-6mm long, scale edges hairy (1).

LEAVES: Alternate, deciduous, thin, oblong to oval, 10-12 individual parallel side veins; generally coarsely toothed above the middle (2), no glands on leaf or petiole.

FLOWERS: White, 5-10mm long; 3-20 in short racemes; April-July.

FRUIT: Dark purple pome (apple), 10-14mm long.

SIMILAR SPECIES: Young or small plant's leaves may be confused with *Spiraea* species, p.75, compare leaf veins; and *Prunus* species, pp.56-57, glands on leaves.

NOTES: Earliest blooming white-flowered shrubs; good jelly made from fruit.

9	Syal	h. t.		Pp
10	Phma	h. t.		po
6	Caru	Caru		Psm
2	Aruv	h. t.		
7	Phma	Phma		
8	Sms	h. t.		
7	Phma	Phma		Abgr
9	Cooc	h. t.		
6	Libo	Libo		
7	Xete	h. t.		
6	Asca	Asca		
4	Tabr		h. t.	
7	Mefe			
4	Setr	h. t.		
9	Phma			
9	Clun	Clun		
4	Tabr		h. t.	
5	Mefe			
7	Xete			
5	Vagl	Xete		
4	Cooc	h. t.		
5	Clun			Thp
4	Tabr	Clun		
3	Mefe		h. t.	
3	Xete			
6	Asca	Asca		
6	Tabr		h. t.	
1	Mefe			
5	Gydr	n. t.		
4	Adpe	h. t.		
4	Adpe	Atfi		
2	Atfi		h. t.	
1	Opho	h. t.		
4	Clun			Tsh
5	Arnu	Clun		
2	Mefe		h. t.	
3	Xete			
5	Asca	Asca		
6	Arnu		h. t.	
	Mefe			
3	Gydr	h. t.		
1	Mefe	Clun		Tsm
2	Xete		h. t.	
	Xete	Mefe		
	Luh	h. t.		
	Mefe	Stam		
	Luh	h. t.		
	Vagl	Xete		
	Luh	h. t.		
7	Clun	Clun		Ab
3	Mefe		h. t.	
4	Xete			
1	Cooc	Mefe		
	Xete		h. t.	
	Vasc			
1	Luh			
1	Mefe	Stam		
1	Lica	h. t.		
3	Caca	Caca		
2	Vaca		h. t.	
	Legl			
1	Cooc			
3	Vagl	Xete		
	Vasc	h. t.		
	Luh			
	Vasc	h. t.		Pico
	Xete	c. t.		
	Vaca	c. t.		