Arctostaphylos patula (A. patula ssp. platyphylla) Green Leaf Manzanita

SHRUB, evergreen.
To 3–10' high, up to 12' wide.
Leaves almost round, bright green and shiny.
Flowers pink — January to February.
Smooth red stems.

Native habitat: montane chaparral, conifer forest, 2500' to 10000' — High North Coast Ranges, High Cascade Range, High Sierra Nevada, San Gabriel Mountains, San Bernardino Mountains, San Jacinto Mountains; to Washington, Montana, Colorado, New Mexico, Baja California.

Full sun to shade.

Does not tolerate salt in soil or water. Little water needed once established.

Attracts hummingbirds. Berries edible.



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