

Weeping Māpou

Myrsine divaricata



full sun



shade



wet



dry

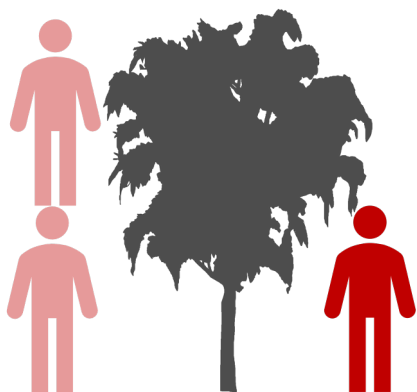


frost



wind

Max height: 4 m

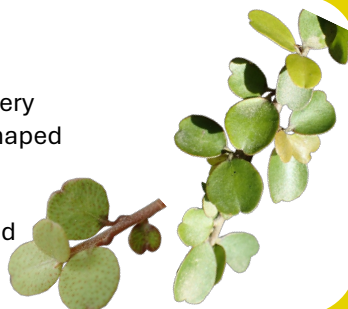


Form

Shrub or small tree with drooping/ weeping branchlets

Leaves

- Small and leathery
- Oval or heart-shaped
- 5-15 mm long
- 5-10 mm wide
- Oil glands dotted along leaf



Flowers

- Very small
- 2-3 mm diameter
- Yellow to reddish
- October to November



Where to plant



forest



shrubland



wetland



riparian

Fruit/seeds

- Round
- Bright purple to black
- 4-5 mm diameter
- Eaten by birds
- February to May



Foundation species – *plant first*

Southland species – *plant local*

