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Botanical Name:	Prunus virginiana Purple Jewel
Common Names:	Choke Cherry, Bitter Berry,
Native:	No
Foliage Type:	Deciduous
Plant Type:	Trees
Plant Habit:	Shrub Like, Upright, Upright Narrow

Description:

Small, deciduous, upright tree with beautiful red toned leaves with blue undersides and single white flowers in spring. Leaves are larger than the usual cultivar. Fantastic addition to any garden and a popular Australian street tree. Grows approx. 5m tall x 4m wide.

Mature Height:	4-10m	Position:	Full Sun
Mature Width:	4-10m	Soil Type:	Well Drained

Family Name:	Rosaceae
Origin:	North America
Characteristics:	
Foliage Colours:	Green, Purple, Red
Flower Colours:	White
Flower Fragrant:	No
Flowering Season:	Spring
Fruit:	Insignificant
Requirements:	
Growth Rate:	Moderate
Maintenance Level:	Low
Water Usage:	Medium / Moderate
Tolerances:	
Drought:	Medium / Moderate
Frost:	High
Wind:	High

Landscape Use(s): Borders / Shrubbery, Feature, Foliage Feature / Colour, Formal Garden, Mass Planting

Pest & Diseases:

Generally trouble free

Cultural Notes:

Best grown in full sun to achieve the vibrant foliage colour. Tip buds when young to encourage branching.

Plant Care:

Annual slow release fertiliser, Keep moist during dry periods, Mulch well

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