## Muntries (kunzea pomifera)

Also known as: emu apples, muntaberry

Height: 0.1 - 0.3m

Spread: 2-5m

Position: Full sun or

part shade



Muntries are a low growing, spreading plant suited to garden beds, pots and containers. It is a low maintenance plant but requires moist soil while flowering and fruiting.

The plant produces small white flowers in spring and summer. Muntries also bear small green berries (about 1cm diameter) which are edible and turn purplish-red as they ripen. The berries can be eaten raw, added to salads or cooked in jams. They can also be used in pies and muffins.

Found on Yorke Peninsula, Mount Lofty Ranges, Kangaroo island and the South-east in South Australia, growing on sandy soil often with limestone. Also found in Victoria.

