

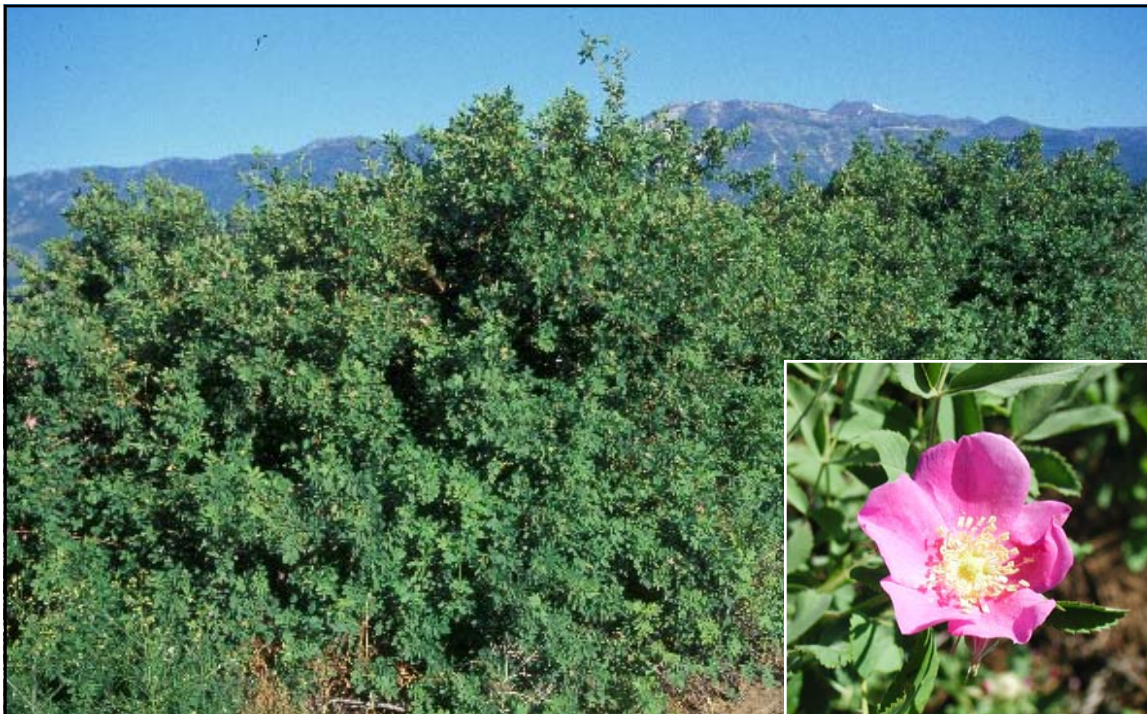


## ROSA WOODSII WOODS ROSE

Woods rose is common along streams of New Mexico, Arizona and north into Canada at elevations ranging from 3500 to 10,000 feet. It suckers freely, forming dense thickets about 3 to 5 feet in height. Because of this aggressive growth habit, placement of Woods rose should be considered carefully. Make sure it has plenty of room to spread freely. Fast-growing and long-lived, this deciduous shrub is especially useful in erosion control. It requires ample moisture to thrive, and performs well in filtered shade. Woods rose has green compound leaves, small spines along the stems, and fragrant pink flowers in the spring. Edible fruit known as rose hips decorate the plant in the bleak winter months. Rose hips are high in vitamins A and C, and were used by the Spaniards to treat sore throats. Of course, birds love the fruit!

### AT A GLANCE SUMMARY

SIZE (H X W)	3-5 feet x 5-7 feet
FLOWER COLOR	Pink
FLOWER SEASON	Spring
EXPOSURE	Full Sun to Part Shade
WATER	Moderate to High
GROWTH RATE	Fast
HARDINESS	-30° F, USDA Zone 7
PRUNING	To Thin



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