



# Bunchberries



*Cornus canadensis* and *Cornus suecica*

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- ◆ The Plant
- ◆ The Distribution
- ◆ The Differences
- ◆ The Cross

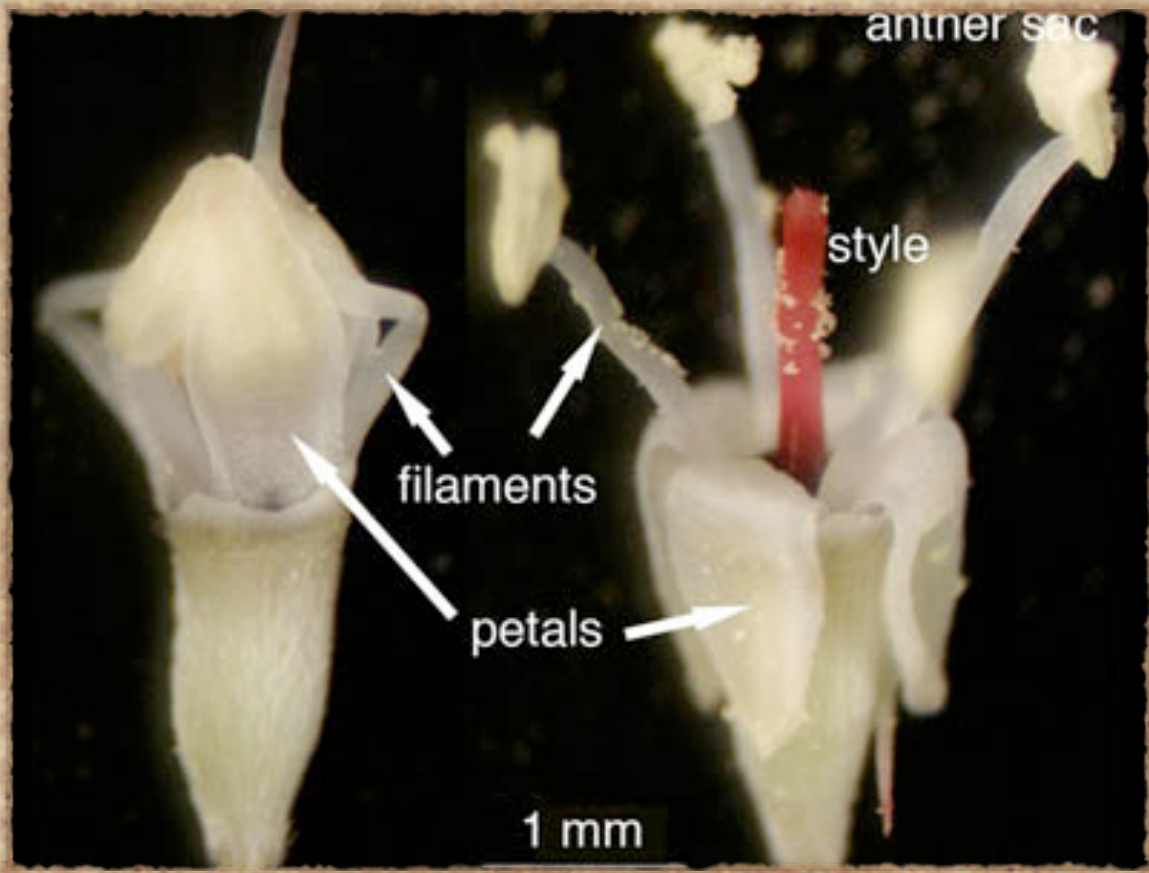


# Overview

- ◆ Common names
- ◆ Showy bracts
- ◆ Edible Berries
- ◆ Exploding Pollen! (fastest plant)

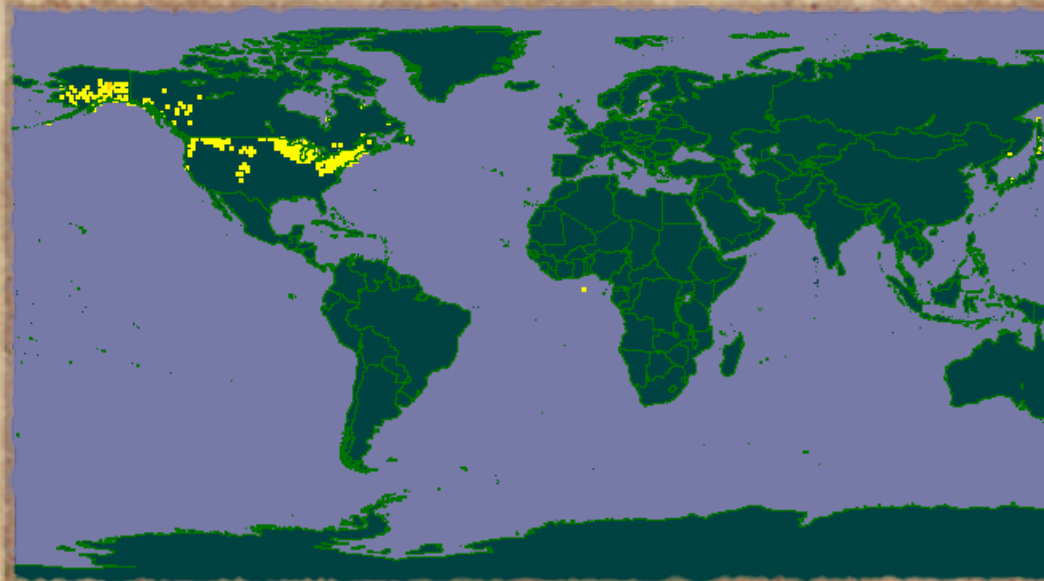
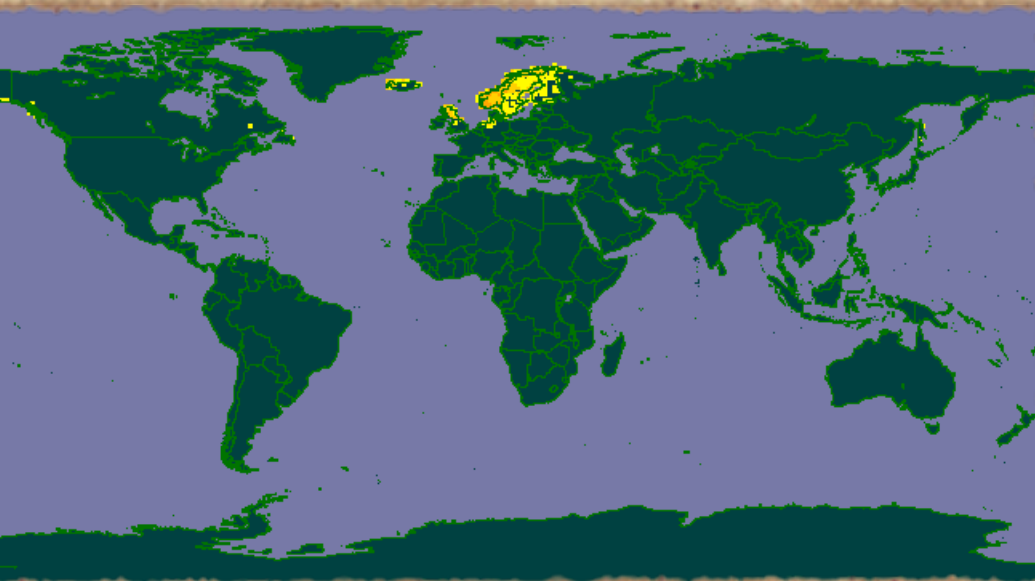






Flower Parts

# Distribution



circumpolar

circumboreal



# Differences

*C. canadensis*



*C. suecica*



- ◆ flower color
- ◆ leaf venation
- ◆ secondary leaves





Habit

# Venation



arcuate



pinnate





Flower Color



# Cross Variations



*xunalashkensis*



# Photo Sources

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