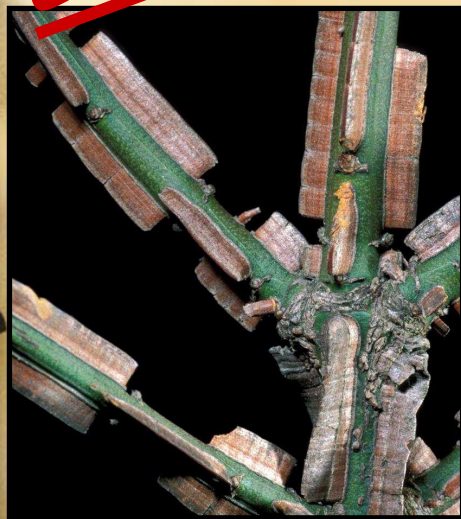


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“Wings” on stems



Autumn foliage

Winged Burning Bush

Euonymus alatus

Unwanted for: Forming dense thickets that displace native plants. Seeds dispersed by birds allow for wide distribution away from original plantings.

Plant Type: A deciduous shrub with dark green leaves that can turn bright red in the fall. Stems notable for the 4 ridges that run along their sides. Prolific seed producer.

What you can do:

- Hand pull seedlings.
- Cut young shrubs, treat stems to prevent future growth.
- Apply herbicide, foliar spray when possible.

Photos courtesy of B. Rice, sarraceenia.com (left), J. Richburg (center) and J. Miller, USDA, Bugwood.org (right).

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Apprehend this plant carefully, it may be mistaken for others!

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