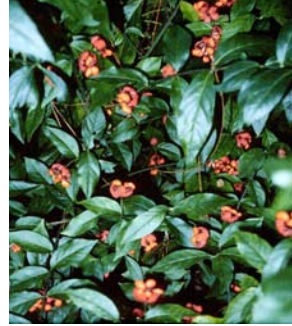


Euonymus americanus

Hearts-a-bursting, Strawberry Bush



E. americanus is a deciduous shrub, native to the Coastal Plain and nearby regions of the United States. Unobtrusive most of the year, it bursts forth with color in fall. The dark red seed capsules split open to disclose the bright red seeds, and stand out against the dark green foliage. Grows in well-drained soil, of differing types, and naturalizes well. Hearts-a-bursting is somewhat drought tolerant, but prefers moist sites. Performs best in partial to full shade.

Height: 6' – 10' Spread: 4' – 8'