

## Eugenia reinwardtiana (Beach Cherry)

A slow growing, tropical shrub which prefers moist, well-mulched positions. The sweet juicy fruit is best eaten raw. This shiny deep green leaved shrub grows up to 2 metres. The leaves are opposite, and, when crushed, exude a smell reminiscent of apples. New growth is pink, maturing through lime green. The 5-petalled flowers are white and delicate, with a small tuft of fine stamens growing from the centre.



**Type:** Large Shrub  
**Aspect:** Full Sun/Part Shade  
**Soil:** Moist/Fertile  
**Habitat:** Coastal

### Special features:

- Attracts –
  - Bees
  - Birds
- Bush Tucker