North Dakota Tree Selector

Scientific Name: *Rosa rugosa* 'Hansen' Family: Rosaceae (Rose) Hardiness: Zone 2 Leaves: Deciduous Plant Type: Shrub

## Growth

Rate: Medium Mature Height: 4' - 7' Longevity: Medium Power Line: Yes

## **Ornamental**

Flowers: Pink Fruit: Red pomes called "hips" Fall Color: Purple

# Hansen Hedge Rose

# Description

A medium to tall shrub rose that is adapted to the Northern Plains. The fruit is referred to as a "rose hip" and is a source of Vitamin C. Showy, pink flowers in summer followed by the rose hips.

## Preferences

Light: Full sun to partial shade.

Water: Intermediate drought tolerance.

**Soil:** Adaptable to a wide variety of soils.

# Comments

A small to medium shrub for farmstead windbreaks, riparian plantings and highway beatification. Hansen hedge rose is an excellent food source and provides nesting cover for a variety of wildlife.

Credits: Tree Selector Website, North Dakota Tree Handbook







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