

Planting Stock Produced in the Namangan Oblast State Forestry Enterprise

The Namangan Oblast State Forestry Enterprise has sent its first lot of planting stock to its clients. The enterprise has more than 4.5 million saplings of decorative trees and shrubs ready for autumn planting. The foresters prepared sea buckthorne and Schrenk's spruce (picea schrenkiana F. et M.) saplings for the first time, in addition to the traditional species. Besides this, workers in the forestry enterprise's nursery have completed bud-grafting half a million hybrid rose shrubs and wild fruit tree saplings.

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Buryat ASSR: Sea Buckthorn Plantations Fight Back the Sands

People living in the Kurumkan state farm in the Buryat ASSR have harvested the sea buckthorn now growing in areas which used to be covered in sand dunes. The miraculous Siberian berry bushes were planted here in order to stop the sands from spreading over the fields and pasture lands. They adapted well to this environment. The bushes easily withstand the severe Baykal area winters and strong winds. Sea buckthorn plantations have also replaced empty deserts in other regions of the Buryat ASSR.

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