Lyonia Lucida
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**Instant ID**
- Evergreen (has green leaves all year) shrub
- Grows up to five feet tall
- Bell-shaped white and pink flowers
- Blooms in late winter and early spring
- Small fruits contain amber-brown seeds

**Native Niches**
- Most common in damp swamps and ponds
- Found throughout Florida
- Grows where flooding is common
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Plant Particulars
- Can cause rashes or allergic reactions
- Other names include fetterbush lyonia, hurrahbush and staggerbush
- May be toxic to wildlife

Population Protection
- Prescribed fire is a safe way to apply a natural process, ensure ecosystem health and reduce wildfire risk
- Provides habitat for native species and supports the biodiversity of Floridian ecosystems