Western Oregon Shrub Quiz

(Answers published separately as EC 554)

Identify the leaves from the shrubs named below and place the correct number in the circle:

1. Mockorange
2. Western Hazel
3. Salal
4. Tall Oregongrape
5. Western or Creek Dogwood
6. Sweetbriar Rose
7. Ninebark
8. Indian-Plum
9. Dwarf Oregongrape
10. Oceanspray
11. Snowberry
12. Blueberry Elder
13. Black Hawthorn
14. Poisonoak
15. Black Twinberry

**Answer Key**

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**Descriptions**

- **Mockorange**: Shiny leaves, reddish in spring & fall, shredded bark.
- **Western Hazel**: Zig-zag twigs, leaves taste like watermelon rind, chambered pith.
- **Salal**: Discarded like a feather duster, white berries hang on zig-zag twigs.
- **Tall Oregongrape**: Leaves cluster, reddish in spring & fall.
- **Western or Creek Dogwood**: Look for these in winter.
- **Sweetbriar Rose**: Discarded like a feather duster.
- **Ninebark**: White berries hang on zig-zag twigs.
- **Indian-Plum**: Look for these in winter.
- **Dwarf Oregongrape**: Discarded like a feather duster.
- **Oceanspray**: State flower, 5-11 leaflets.
- **Snowberry**: Shiny leaves.
- **Blueberry Elder**: Apple cider odor when crushed.
- **Black Hawthorn**: Apple cider odor when crushed.
- **Poisonoak**: Shredded bark.
- **Black Twinberry**: Shredded bark.
Identify the leaves from the shrubs named below and place the correct number in the circle:

16. Evergreen Huckleberry
17. Red Huckleberry
18. Tall Blue Huckleberry
19. Hairy Manzanita
20. Kinnikinnick
21. Redflowering Currant
22. Coast Black Gooseberry
23. Narrowleaf Buckbrush
   (Ceanothus cuneatus)
24. Snowbrush (Ceanothus velutinus)
25. Redstem Ceanothus
   (Ceanothus sanguineus)
26. Blackcap or Western Raspberry
27. Thimbleberry
28. Evergreen Blackberry
29. Himalaya Berry
30. Salmonberry