

# Amur Corktree

*Phellodendron amurense*



## General Description:

- Tree: 35-50' tall
- Leaves: Compound leaves with 5-13 leaflets (2.5-4.5"); leaves are 10-15' long; yellow in fall, **smell like turpentine when crushed**
- Bark: Ridged, soft, and corky outer bark
- Flowers: Small yellow-green flowers (late May–June) that mature into clustered fruits on female trees only

## Prominent Features:

- Inner bark is **bright yellow**
- Fruit: Mature fruits look like **green-black peas**

## How to Remove:

- Hand-pull small plants
- No manual-only option for large trees

## Look Alike: Native Ash Trees (*Fraxinus spp.*)

- Amur Corktree has significantly more ridged and irregular bark, and fruit is pea-like
- Ash fruit are narrow, winged, samara



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