



Acacia baileyana

Common Name(s):

Cootamundra wattle

Current Threat Status (2009):

Exotic

Habitat:

Waste places and scrubland.

Features:

Small to fairly large tree with bipinnate glaucous leaves. The cultivated variety "purpurea" is also widely grown, this has purple-tinged leaves but is not known to be naturalised. Flowers consist of numerous globose mid-yellow heads in racemes exceeding the leaves. The seed pod is more or less straight, up to 100 x 20 mm.

Flowering:

June, July, August.

For more information, visit:

http://nzpcn.org.nz/flora_details.asp?ID=2403



Caption: *Acacia baileyana*

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