

# Plants of South Eastern New South Wales



Flowering stem. Photographer Don Wood, Black Mountain, Canberra, ACT



Shrubs. Australian Plant Image Index, photographer Murray Fagg, natural in Australian National Botanic Gardens, Canberra, ACT



Line drawings. f. flower; leaf outline; leaf lower surface detail. A. Barley, National Herbarium of Victoria, © 2021 Royal Botanic Gardens Board

## Common name

Golden pomaderris, Lemon dogwood

## Family

Rhamnaceae

## Where found

**Forest, woodland, heath**, and gullies. Coast and ranges. Tablelands mainly south of the Hume Highway. in the ACT, mainly on Black Mountain.

## Notes

**Shrub** to 3 m tall. Stems with scattered to clustered **simple** hairs over a short dense white to greyish **stellate tomentum**, (needs a hand lens or a macro app on your phone/tablet to see). Leaves **alternating** up the stems, 3-12 cm long, 10-50 mm wide, upper surface hairless and glossy, lower surface dull whitish to greyish stellate hairy with scattered longer, rarely rusty, simple hairs, **lateral veins** looping to the inside and not reaching the leaf margins, tips pointed to blunt, margins flat. Flowers yellow, with 5 **petals**, and 5 **sepals** 2-3 mm long, in large rather loose branched clusters. Flowers Spring-Summer.

May be difficult to distinguish from *Pomaderris andromedifolia* subsp. *andromedifolia* in the ACT, and from *Pomaderris elliptica* var. *elliptica*.

All native plants on unleased land in the ACT are protected.

PlantNET description: <http://plantnet.rbgsyd.nsw.gov.au/cgi-bin/NSWfl.pl?page=nswfl&lvl=sp&name=Pomaderris~intermedia> (accessed 2 February, 2021)

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