

# Blue-Leaf Wattle (Common Name)

**Acacia saligna** (Scientific Name)



## PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS

Canopy potential: 15' – 20' wide

Annual Growth Rate: 36"

Powerline Compatible: 20' – 30' from base

Root Damage Potential: Low

Leaves: Lanceolate, long, blue-green leaves 6 to 12 inches long.

Flowers: Numerous 1/2-inch yellow flowers in racemes.

## ENVIRONMENTAL CHARACTERISTICS

Water Use: Low

Edible Fruit Producing: No

Allergenic: Moderate

BVOC Emissions: Moderate

Sonoran Desert Native: No

Invasive Species: No

Tree Care: Plant in full sun. Tolerant of most soils, preferring well-drained soil. Drought tolerant, but during establishment, regular watering promotes growth. Slow-release fertilizer in spring can also promote growth. Prune to remove dead and diseased branches.