

## *Corymbia citriodora* — Lemon-scented Gum

**Scientific Name:**

*Corymbia citriodora*

**Common Name:**

Lemon-scented Gum

**Register Number:**

12

**Location of Tree:**

Alice Springs Police Station,  
Bath Street, Alice Springs NT

**GPS:**

-23.69809, 133.880055

**Categories of Significance:**

Aesthetic

**Date Planted:**

1977

**Year Listed:**

1987



As the name suggests, this Gum emits a wonderful lemon scent from the foliage most of the year round. The species comes from temperate and tropical eastern Australia, but has proven to be quite at home in the dry central Australian climate, with this specimen growing to the largest of its species in Alice Springs CBD.

The presence of this tree is an expression of comparatively recent use of Australian native trees for landscaping. Unfortunately, the use of this species in Perth's Kings Park has resulted in weed-like colonisation.



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