

# Botanic Gardens Plant Identification Form



We provide an ID service for assisting home gardeners. If there is anything to suggest a plant specimen bought in for ID is a new organism imported without proper legal clearance, or is classified as a drug, it will be rejected and MPI or the Police will be immediately informed.

Your name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of specimens: *(if more than one specimen is submitted, they must be numbered)*

Query type:      Visitor Centre          Postal   

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## Plant Characteristics

Please ensure that you have a sufficient sample for us to work with. Ideally include a few leaves, stems any flowers, fruits, pods etc. The following will help us in the identification, complete where possible.

Height of plant: \_\_\_\_\_

Width of plant: \_\_\_\_\_

Form of plant: *(e.g. tree, shrub, ground cover etc: evergreen or deciduous)*

Plant age if known: \_\_\_\_\_

Flower description: *(colour, time of flowering, if sample not provided)*

Fruit description: *(colour, size etc, if sample not provided)*

Location in Auckland: \_\_\_\_\_

Cultivated or growing naturally: \_\_\_\_\_

Site description: *(e.g. garden, roadside, forest etc)* \_\_\_\_\_

Other comments:

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Office use: Received:

Determined by:

Date:

Plant ID:

Notified:

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