

Amur cork tree look alike

Amur cork tree (*Phellodendron amurense*) may get confused with other trees with pinnately compound leaves. It looks most like ashes (*Fraxinus spp.*) which also have opposite branching.

Some characteristics of Amur cork tree NOT found in ash species include:

- Leaves that smell citrusy when crushed
- Corky bark with distinct fluorescent yellow inner bark
- Clusters of dark, fleshy fruits in fall



Amur cork tree leaves and inner bark