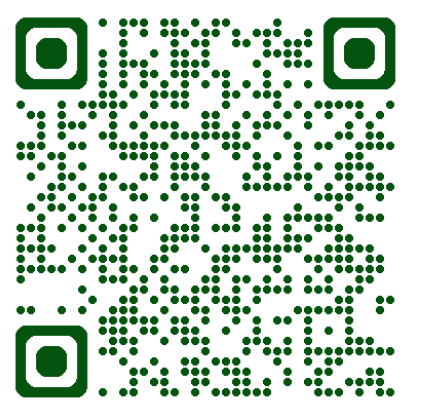


You found a boxelder!

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Scientific name: *Acer negundo*

Sap is high in sugar and can be used to produce "mountain molasses"



3-7 in. leaf that looks very **similar to poison ivy!**



Poison ivy leaf



Fruits are winged **samaras** like other maples

Boxelder bugs feed on fruits, leaves, and sap



Over 20 years, one boxelder* will capture

**of 17" diameter in size, if taken care of*



the **CO₂** of **5,715** car miles,



the weight of **52** smartphones in air pollution,



and **1,340** bathtubs of stormwater!

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