

Environmental weed



Honey Locust (*Gleditsia tricanthos*)

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Honey locust was introduced from North America as a fodder and ornamental tree. Very invasive, the trees can form an impenetrable mass. Covered in long, sharp spines, every part of the honey locust tree is a constant hazard to stock and to humans.



Honey locust produces massive numbers of seed pods. The seed is very efficiently spread by stock and floodwaters. The seed pods can float downstream for many kilometres.

Honey locust is a threat to our environment. Don't let it become established on your property!

Photo, left, this area near Ashford NSW shows how thick honey locust can become. Note the 4WD vehicle on the other side of the patch...