

Māhoe-wao (Narrow-leaved Māhoe)

Melicytus lanceolatus



full sun



shade



wet



dry

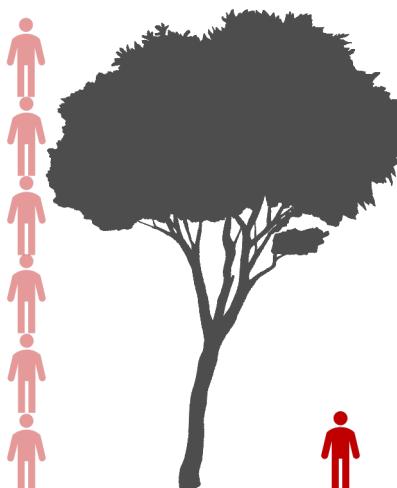


frost



wind

Max height: 12 m



Where to plant



forest



shrubland



wetland



riparian

Leaves



- Down-curving
- Narrow
- Tough
- Finely serrated edges
- 5-16 cm long
- 0.5-2 cm wide

Flowers



- Small
- 5 mm diameter
- Yellow or dark purple
- Fragrant
- Scattered in groups along twigs

Fruit/seeds



- Round
- Dark purple
- 4-6 mm diameter
- Approx. 10 mm long
- February to April
- Eaten by birds



Foundation species – *plant first*

Southland species – *plant local*

