**Ligustrum sinense**

**Common name:**
Small-leaf privet, Chinese privet,

**Palatability to Livestock:**
High at all stages.

**Toxicity to Goats:**
Low risk.

**Toxicity to Other Species:**
horses.

**Poisonous Principle:**
Unknown, ligustrin and other gut irritants in leaves and fruits.

**Effects:**
*Signs and symptoms;*
. Gastro-enteritis, and purging.
. In humans, drowsiness, high temperature, dilated pupils and convulsions.

*Health and Production Problems;*
. Death within hours or days is possible.

**Treatment;**
See Vet or Doctor.

**Integrated Control Strategy:**
. Goats will eradicate this spp, if other fodder is also available
. Declared “Noxious” in ACT, NSW, and Qld,
. Ringbarking and burning are ineffective,
. Plants will regenerate by suckering or sprouting,
. No herbicides are registered as yet.

**Comments:**
. Garden plant and escapee.
. An evergreen shrub or tree, growing up to three metres high.
. Thin, mid green leaves, on a short stalk.

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