

**HACKBERRY NIPPLE GALL**  
*Pachypsylla celtidismamma*

- Natural range -** North America, wherever hackberry occurs naturally or has been planted.
- Species affected -** Hackberry, *Celtis occidentalis*
- Type of damage -** Produces unsightly galls on hackberry leaves
- Symptoms -** Presence of nipple like galls on undersides of leaves.
- Importance -** This insect does little or no permanent damage to trees but the gall covered leaves are unsightly
- Remarks -** This insect is a common pest of ornamental hackberry in Colorado and other western states.



Galls caused by hackberry nipple gall on underside of hackberry leaf.