New Hosts Added

USDA APHIS has issued a Federal Domestic Quarantine Order identifying 13 new plants that have been added to the APHIS list of *P. ramorum* hosts and associated hosts. One of the plants, found in an infested area of California and identified by Washington State, was *Abies magnifica*. The other 12 new species were reported from Canada, and include: *Acer davidii, Ardisia japonica, Euonymus kiautschovicus, Gaultheria shallon, Hamamelis X intermedia (H. mollis & H. japonica), Leucothoe axillaris, Magnolia grandiflora, Michelia maudiae, Michelia wilsonii, Osmanthus decorus (=Phillyrea decora; =P. vilmoriniana), Prunus lusitanica, and Rosa rugosa*. Since Koch’s postulates have not yet been completed for these plants, they will be added to the associated host list.

Koch’s postulates have been completed for *Frangula purshiana* (formerly listed as *Rhamnus purshiana*), *Adiantum aleuticum*, and *Adiantum jordanii*. Consequently, APHIS has moved these three species from the associated host list to the host list.