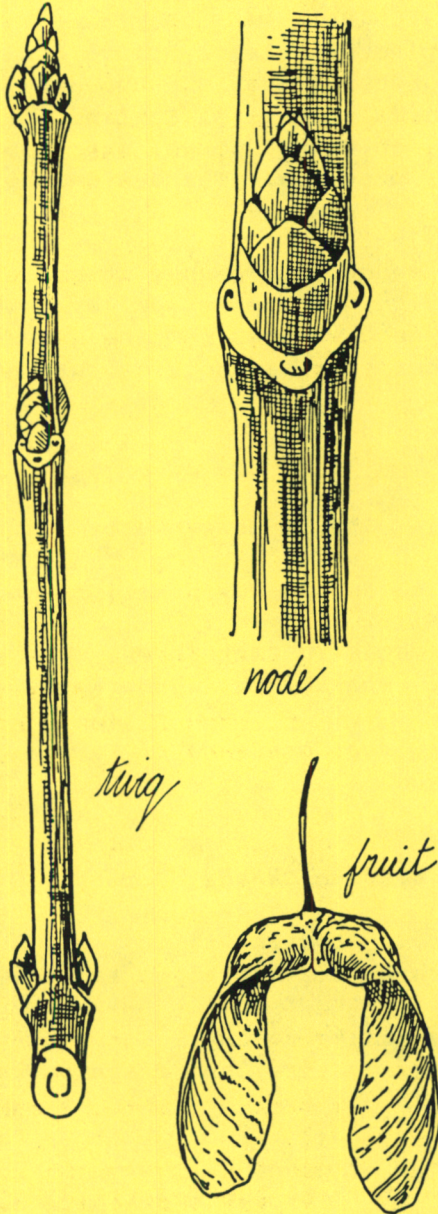


Member. The following excerpt provides an indication of the type of guide Rudy has produced. It was published under the Canada New Brunswick Cooperation Agreement of Forest Development. I recommend it to anyone with an interest in our trees and shrubs. It is available from Maritime Forest Ranger School, RR # 10, Fredericton, N.B. E3B 6H6.

SUGAR MAPLE (*Acer saccharum*)



Buds opposite, 1 cm or less long, pointed, brown, covered with several pairs of scales, faintly hairy.

Twigs smooth, shiny, brown with yellow or white lenticels, hairless.

Fruit about 3 cm long, plump seed, slender stalk usually longer than fruit, seed wings almost parallel.

Young bark grey, smooth, old bark dark grey or grey-brown, with long vertical irregular strips that curl outwards along one side or sometimes with thick scales.