

Oakmoss (Evernia prunastri) Grey/green branches - whitish underneath

Branches flat - forks uniformly



(Parmelia sulcata) Bluey grey top, dark underneath. Network of ridges & depressions giving a 'hammered metal' appearance.



Rosette lichen (Physcia) Grey top & underneath, long 'whiskers'

Often has black 'jam tarts' (bottom left of picture)



(Ramalina farinacea) Grey/green branches on top & underneath Branches narrow, 'knobbly' - branches irregularly



(Xanthoria parietina) Yellow or orange, often has 'cups' Very common, also found on rock, pollution resistant



Cup lichen (Cladonia) Golf tee shaped cups, tiny green 'leaves'

On mossy stumps



Grey/green branches irregularly shaped Branches ending in flattened fruits



Pearly lichen (Parmotrema perlatum) Smooth & grey when dry, greener when wet Black underneath, tiny black 'eyelashes' around edges



Dust lichen (Lepraria) Thin, powdery, pale grey or blue-grey

forms crust like covering on trunks.

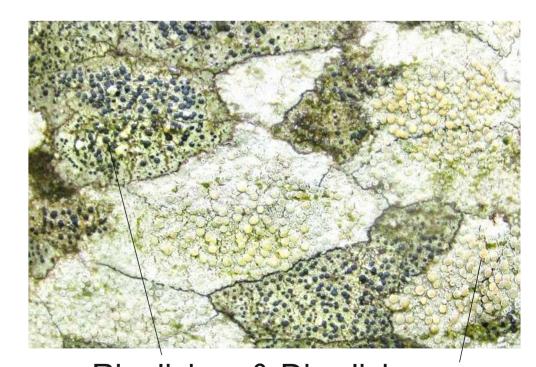


Beard Lichen (Usnea) Grey/green, much branched, fine branches



(Punctelia)

Green when wet, grey when dry, cream or brown underneath Speckled with coarse white dots



Rim lichen & Disc lichen (Lecidella elaeochroma & Lecanora chlarotera) There are many species similar to these, however, when they occur together on young trees they are often this pair

Lichens on trees - common, easily identified species