

# Eucalyptus tortoise beetle

Insect name: Eucalyptus tortoise beetle

Causal agents: *Trachymela tincticollis*

Trees affected: *Eucalyptus* spp.

Feeding: Defoliator

Symptoms: Stunted growth; feeding on young leaves and shoots; dark brown beetles (6-8 mm); dark brown larvae (10-12 mm) with yellow band on neck