

# Plants of South Eastern New South Wales



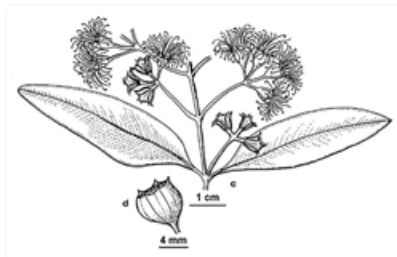
Flowers and leaves. Photographer Don Wood, north of Bermagui



Gumnuts and leaves. Photographer Don Wood, Carnarvon Station Bush Heritage Reserve via Augathella, Qld



Trunk and juvenile foliage. Photographer Jackie Miles



Line drawings. c. flowering branch; d. gumnut. SM Clarke, National Herbarium of Victoria, © 2021 Royal Botanic Gardens Board

## Common name

Apple, Rough-barked apple

## Family

Myrtaceae

## Where found

**Forest.** Coast, ranges, and the eastern edge of the tablelands.

## Notes

Tree to 30 m tall. Bark rough on all but the smallest branches, fibrous, usually furrowed. **Juvenile** stems cylindrical, hairy to hairless. Leaves aromatic when rubbed, opposite each other. Juvenile leaves 4.5-12 cm long, 20-50 mm wide, green, hairless or hairy, bases stem-clasping to rounded, margins **entire** or rarely finely toothed, tips pointed. **Adult** leaves 4.5-15 cm long, 10-50 mm wide, glossy green to dull grey-green, margins entire, tips pointed. Flower clusters 3-7-flowered. Flowers with 4-5 **petals**, creamy white to white, with a green stripe down the back, each 2-4 mm long. **Stamens** white, **filaments** 5-7 mm long. Buds and gumnuts longitudinally ribbed. Mature buds 3-7 mm in diameter. Gumnuts 7-11 mm in diameter. Gumnuts that have dropped their seed have **valves** that are not very noticeable. Flowers Summer.

Intergrades with *Angophora subvelutina* are known.

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PlantNET description: <http://plantnet.rbg Syd.nsw.gov.au/cgi-bin/NSWfl.pl?page=nswfl&lvl=sp&name=Angophora-floribunda> (accessed 3 January, 2021)

EUCLID description: [https://apps.lucidcentral.org/euclid/text/entities/angophora\\_floribunda.htm](https://apps.lucidcentral.org/euclid/text/entities/angophora_floribunda.htm) (accessed 17 April 2021)

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