

Plants of South Eastern New South Wales



Flowering stems. Photographer Ian McMaster, Pilliga Nature Reserve north of Coonabarabran

Common name

A boronia

Family

Rutaceae

Where found

Woodland. Western Slopes north of Young.

Notes

Shrub to 1.5 m high. Branchlets more or less densely hairy. Leaves aromatic when rubbed, opposite each other, 0.5–3 cm long, 1–6 mm wide, surfaces sparsely **stellate**-hairy (needs a hand lens or a macro app on your phone/tablet to see) to almost hairless, lower surface slightly paler than the upper surface, margins **entire** and curved to rolled down, tips blunt. Flowers usually bright pink, with 4 **petals** each 5–7 mm long, the margins touching each other in bud, petals persistent at the seeding stage. 8 **stamens**. Flowers single. Flowering: July–October.

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PlantNET description: <http://plantnet.rbgsyd.nsw.gov.au/cgi-bin/NSWfl.pl?page=nswfl&lvl=sp&name=Boronia~glabra> (accessed 5 January, 2021)

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