

# Plants of South Eastern New South Wales



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## Common name

White iris

## Family

Iridaceae

## Where found

**Forest** and **heath**. Ranges and tablelands south from Tallaganda National Park. Coastal south of Pambula.

## Notes

Tufted **perennial** herb to 1 m high, **rhizomatous**. Basal leaves 10–70 cm long, 5–10 mm wide, **linear**, sword-shaped, flat, surfaces dark green to slightly **glaucous**, hairless, finely **striate**. Stem leaves **alternating** up the flower stalks, small. Flowers white with 6 '**petals**', the outer '**petals**' white, broad, 25–35 mm long inner '**petals**' usually purple-tinged or finely purple-veined, often at least partly yellow inside, smaller. Flowering: October–January

PlantNET description: <http://plantnet.rbgsyd.nsw.gov.au/cgi-bin/NSWfl.pl?page=nswfl&lvl=sp&name=Diplarrena~moraea> (accessed 12 January, 2021)

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