

# Plants of South Eastern New South Wales

## Common name

None

## Family

Chenopodiaceae

## Where found

Grows on heavy soils. Sydney area. Ranges and tablelands north of the Hume Highway. Western Slopes.

## Notes

**Perennial** or **annual** herb, twining or **prostrate**. Stems angular. Leaves **alternating** up the stems, 1.5-2 cm long, 3-5 mm wide, thin, upper surface becoming hairless, lower surface **mealy** when young, tips pointed. Lower leaves approximately triangular with two backward pointing pointed lobes at the base, or lance **head** shaped; upper leaves lance head shaped. Flowers small, with 5 '**petals**'. Flower clusters **spike**-like or reduced to clusters at the bases of the leaves. Seed cases dry at maturity.

PlantNET description with line drawings and photos: <http://plantnet.rbgsyd.nsw.gov.au/cgi-bin/NSWfl.pl?page=nswfl&lvl=sp&name=Einadia~polygonoides> (accessed 12 January, 2021)

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