

# Plants of South Eastern New South Wales



Flowers, buds, and leaves. Australian Plant Image Index, photographer Murray Fagg, Australian National Botanic Gardens, Canberra, ACT



Gumnuts and leaves. Australian Plant Image Index, photographer Michael Crisp, Australian National Botanic Gardens, Canberra, ACT



Mallee. Australian Plant Image Index, photographers Brooker & Kleinig, Bell to Lithgow

## Common name

Wolgan snowgum, Mallee snow gum

## Family

Myrtaceae

## Where found

**Mallee heath** on sandy soils of limited drainage in elevated areas. Ranges and tablelands north from Wadbilliga National Park.

## Notes

Mallee to 5 m tall or sometimes a small tree. Bark smooth throughout, shedding in ribbons. **Juvenile** stems rounded in cross section, warty or smooth. Juvenile leaves opposite each other and almost stalkless for 5 or 6 pairs, then **alternating** up the stems, stalked, 5.5-13 cm long, 10-45 mm wide, dull, grey-green. **Adult** leaves alternating up the stems, 5.5-12 cm long, 8-25 mm wide, glossy, green to grey-green. Flowers white, with 0 **petals**. Flower clusters 7-11 flowered. Mature flower buds 4-9 mm long, caps shorter than the base. Flowers Spring-Summer. Gumnuts 6-9 mm in diameter. Gumnuts that have dropped their seed have **valves** that are not very noticeable.

PlantNET description: <http://plantnet.rbgsyd.nsw.gov.au/cgi-bin/NSWfl.pl?page=nswfl&lvl=sp&name=Eucalyptus-gregsoniana> (accessed 22 January, 2021)

EUCLID description: [https://apps.lucidcentral.org/euclid/text/entities/eucalyptus\\_gregsoniana.htm](https://apps.lucidcentral.org/euclid/text/entities/eucalyptus_gregsoniana.htm) (accessed 22 January, 2021)

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