Plants of South Eastern New South Wales



Dried specimen. Smithsonian Institution, Department of Botany, USA. Collected by LAS Johnson & DF Blaxell, Wadbilliga National Park



Trees. Australian Plant Image Index, photographers Brooker & Kleinig, unknown place

Common name

Wadbilliga ash

Family

Myrtaceae

Where found

Dry forest and woodland. Mostly Deua and Wadbilliga National Parks and nearby.

Notes

Tree to 12 m tall. Bark smooth throughout, shedding in ribbons. Sometimes with a short stocking of compacted grey bark on old trees. **Juvenile** stems rounded in cross section, warty. Juvenile leaves opposite each other for 3 to 5 leaf pairs then **alternating** up the stems, 6.5-11 cm long, 15-20 mm wide, glossy, green. **Adult** leaves alternating up the stems, 6.2-13 cm long, 9-20 mm wide, glossy, green. Flowers white, with 0 **petals**. Flower clusters 7-flowered Mature flower buds 4–8 mm long, caps shorter than the base. Flowers Autumn-Winter. Gumnuts 5-7 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~paliformis (accessed 22 January, 2021)

EUCLID description: https://apps.lucidcentral.org/euclid/text/entities/eucalyptus_paliformis.htm (accessed 22 January, 2021)

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