

# Plants of South Eastern New South Wales



Flowering branch. Australian Plant Image Index, photographer Murray Fagg, Australian National Botanic Gardens, Canberra, ACT



Branch with spent flowers. Australian Plant Image Index, photographer Murray Fagg, Australian National Botanic Gardens, Canberra, ACT

## Common name

A grevillea

## Family

Proteaceae

## Where found

Wet **forest** along creek banks. Gosford area.

## Notes

**Shrub** to 5 m high. Leaves **alternating** up the stems, 8–19 cm long, 10–30 mm wide, margins sometimes wavy; surfaces hairless except for **appressed** hairs when young. Flowers with 4 '**petals**' joined together in pairs, '**petals**' green becoming blue-grey then translucent cream, hairless outside, warty inside. **Gynoecium** 27–32 mm long; **style** red-brown to mauve, mostly hairless. Flower clusters 2–9-flowered. Flowers late winter to summer.

In the absence of specific information, seeds of all species of *Grevillea* have been keyed as having one **wing**.

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NSW Threatened Species profile: <http://www.environment.nsw.gov.au/threatenedSpeciesApp/profile.aspx?id=10380> (accessed 9 April 2021)

PlantNET description: <http://plantnet.rbgsyd.nsw.gov.au/cgi-bin/NSWfl.pl?page=nswfl&lvl=sp&name=Grevillea~shiressii> (accessed 9 April 2021)

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