

Plants of South Eastern New South Wales

Common name

A guinea flower

Family

Dilleniaceae

Where found

Dry **forest** and **heath**. Sydney area.

Notes

Shrub to 1 m high. Stems hairless. Leaves **alternating** up the stems, 1–2 cm long, 3–6 mm wide, margins **entire**, flat or slightly curved down, surface hairless, shining, tips pointed to **mucronate**. Flowers with 5 yellow **petals** each 8–10 mm long. **Sepals** hairless. Petals 8–10 mm long. **Stamens** about 11, on one side of the **carpels**. Carpels 2, hairless. Flowers single, stalkless, at the tops of the stems or at the bases of the leaves. Flowering: spring.

PlantNET description: <http://plantnet.rbgsyd.nsw.gov.au/cgi-bin/NSWfl.pl?page=nswfl&lvl=sp&name=Hibbertia~nitida> (accessed 19 January, 2021)

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