

Plants of South Eastern New South Wales



Flowering stems. Photographer Richard Hartland, Mallacoota, Vic



Flowering stems. Photographer Jackie Miles



Flowering plants. Photographer Don Wood, Bomaderry Creek Regional Reserve near Nowra

Common name

Varied Mitrewort

Family

Loganiaceae

Where found

Forest and **heath**. Coast and ranges.

Notes

Perennial herb, sometimes flowering in the first year, to 0.3 m high, usually much-branched. Stems coarsely and densely hairy with **spreading** hairs, or rough. Leaves opposite each other, sometimes in a basal **rosette**, 0.2–1.5 cm long, 1–6 mm wide, tips pointed; margins curved down; surfaces sparsely to densely hairy. Flowers white, sometimes yellowish in the throat, 6–8.5 mm long, tubular, with 4 lobes 2.5–4 mm long. Flowers in clusters of 3–6 flowers, appearing single. Flowering: spring–autumn.

Rare Vic.

PlantNET description: <http://plantnet.rbgsyd.nsw.gov.au/cgi-bin/NSWfl.pl?page=nswfl&lvl=sp&name=Mitrasacme~polymorpha> (accessed 24 January, 2021)

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