

Plants of South Eastern New South Wales



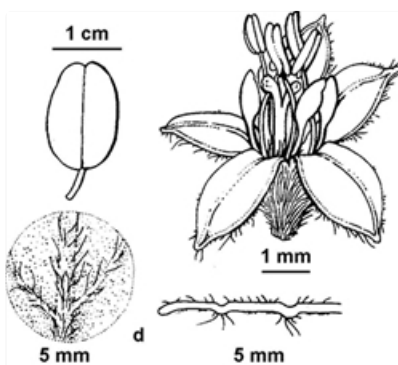
Flowering stem. Photographer Don Wood, Paddys River Road, ACT



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Flowering shrub. Photographer Don Wood, Paddys River Road, ACT



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Common name

Convex pomaderris

Family

Rhamnaceae

Where found

Dry **forest**, **woodland**, **heath**, remnant vegetation on roadsides, rocky sites, and along streams. ACT, the mountains to the west, and Kosciuszko National Park and north to near Tumut. Tablelands and the western edge of the ranges.

Notes

Shrub to 4 m tall. Stems covered with whitish **stellate** hairs (needs a hand lens or a macro app on your phone/tablet to see) and longer **spreading** rusty **simple** hairs. Leaves **alternating** up the stems, 0.7–4.5 cm long, 5–25 mm wide, velvety with simple hairs, upper surface with **veins** deeply **impressed**, lower surface densely hairy with whitish to greyish stellate hairs, and long simple rusty hairs along the **lateral** veins and margins, lateral veins looping to the inside and not reaching the margins, tips blunt or notched. Flowers cream to yellow, with 5 **petals** each 1.5–2.5 mm long, (sometimes 0) and 5 **sepals** each 2–2.5 mm long, falling early. Flowers in dense to loose almost round clusters about 20–50 mm in diameter.

All native plants on unleased land in the ACT are protected.

Rare Vic.

PlantNET description: <http://plantnet.rbgsyd.nsw.gov.au/cgi-bin/NSWfl.pl?page=nswfl&lvi=sp&name=Pomaderris~subcapitata> (accessed 2 February, 2021)

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