

# Plants of South Eastern New South Wales



Flowering branches. Australian Plant Image Index, photographer Murray Fagg, Cranbourne Botanic Gardens, Melbourne, Vic



Shrub. Photographer Brian Furchart, south of Sydney

## Common name

A Pseudanthus

## Family

Picrodendraceae

## Where found

Open **forest**, **heath**, and moist gullies. Sydney area and south to Bargo.

## Notes

**Shrub** to 1 m high, hairless. Leaves more or less sharp-tipped, crowded, 0.5–1.5 cm long, 1–2 mm wide, leathery, margins thickened and **entire**. Male and female flowers on the same plant, with 6 '**petals**', in clusters at the ends of the branches. Male flowers conspicuous, with creamy-white '**petals**' 5–12 mm long. Female flowers few and inconspicuous, '**petals**' 2–3 mm long. Flowers clustered at the ends of the branches. Flowering: spring.

Family was Euphorbiaceae.

PlantNET description: <http://plantnet.rbgsyd.nsw.gov.au/cgi-bin/NSWfl.pl?page=nswfl&lvl=sp&name=Pseudanthus~pimeleoides> (accessed 3 February, 2021)

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