

# Plants of South Eastern New South Wales



Flowers and leaves. Photographer Don Wood, Scotia Sanctuary, western NSW



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Line drawings. h. buds and leaf; i. seed case; j. seed. GRM Dashorst, State Herbarium of South Australia, © 2021 Royal Botanic Gardens Board, Melbourne

## Common name

Pin Sida

## Family

Malvaceae

## Where found

**Woodland, shrubland**, and floodplains. Western Slopes.

## Notes

**Perennial** herb or **shrub** to 1 m tall, **prostrate** to sprawling. Stems densely **stellate**-hairy (needs a hand lens or a macro app on your phone/tablet to see). Leaves **alternating** along the stems, 0.6-4.5 cm long, 5-30 mm wide, hairy, sometimes becoming hairless, surfaces greyish above, paler and more densely hairy below, bases rounded or almost **cordate**, margins toothed. Flowers yellow, with 5 **petals** each 3-5.5 mm long. Flowers single or in clusters of 3-7. Flowers usually spring or autumn.

Vulnerable Vic.

PlantNET description: <http://plantnet.rbgsyd.nsw.gov.au/cgi-bin/NSWfl.pl?page=nswfl&lv=sp&name=Sida-fibulifera> (accessed 7 February, 2021)

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