

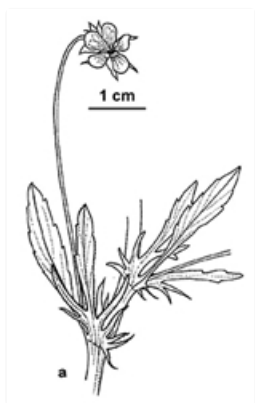
Plants of South Eastern New South Wales



Flowering stems. Australian Plant Image Index, photographer Murray Fagg, Kosciuszko National Park



Flowering plant. Photographer Don Wood, Mt Franklin Road, Namadgi National Park, ACT



Line drawing. a. flowering branchlet. MMbir, National Herbarium of Victoria, © 2021 Royal Botanic Gardens Board

Common name

Field Pansy

Family

Violaceae

Where found

Dry **forest**, **woodland**, grassy areas, roadsides, and disturbed moist sites. Mainly Kosciuszko National Park and the mountains to the north. Occasionally elsewhere.

Notes

Introduced annual or **biennial** herb to 0.08 m high, often sprawling. Stems angular, hairless to hairy. Leaves **alternating** along the stems, 1–3.5 cm long, 5–15 mm wide, margins bluntly toothed to scalloped, tips blunt. **Stipules** mostly 20–40 mm long, divided into lobes, the mid-lobe leaflike, the other lobes narrow. Flowers with 5 **petals**, white to creamy-white with yellow-orange bases, sometimes partly violet or tinged with violet, each 5–10 mm long, the lower petal shortly spurred. Flowers single. Flowering: spring-autumn.

PlantNET description: <http://plantnet.rbgsyd.nsw.gov.au/cgi-bin/NSWfl.pl?page=nswfl&lvl=sp&name=Viola-arvensis> (accessed 11 February, 2021)

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