

# Plants of South Eastern New South Wales



Flowering stem. Photographer Jackie Miles



Flowering branches. Photographer Jackie Miles



Flowering shrub. Photographer Jackie Miles

## Common name

David's westringia

## Family

Lamiaceae

## Where found

Open **forest**, **woodland** and **shrubland**, fringing rocky outcrops. Ranges west of Eden and Pambula.

## Notes

**Shrub** to 2 m high. Stems, leaf stalks, and the lower surface of the leaves hairy with more or less **spreading** tangled hairs. Leaves slightly aromatic when rubbed, in **whorls** of 3, 0.7–2 cm long, 5–8 mm wide, margins **entire** and curved down; lower surface very sparsely hairy, becoming hairless towards the tip, upper surface and stalk moderately to densely hairy with more or less spreading, slightly tangled hairs. Flowers white to mauve with orange dots, 8–12 mm long, tubular, 2-lipped, with 5 lobes. **Calyx** tubular, with 5 lobes. Flowers in up to 12 flowered clusters. Flowering: throughout the year.

Vulnerable Australia. Vulnerable NSW. Provisions of the Biodiversity Conservation Act 2016 No 63 relating to the protection of protected plants generally also apply to plants that are a threatened species.

NSW Threatened Species profile: <http://www.environment.nsw.gov.au/threatenedSpeciesApp/profile.aspx?id=10835> (accessed 8 January 2021)

PlantNET description: <http://plantnet.rbgsyd.nsw.gov.au/cgi-bin/NSWfl.pl?page=nswfl&lvl=sp&name=Westringia-davidii> (accessed 8 January 2021)

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