

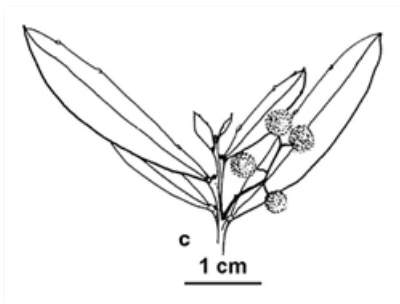
Plants of South Eastern New South Wales



Flowering stems. Australian Plant Image Index, photographer Murray Fagg, Mt Annan Botanic Gardens near Campbelltown, NSW



Flowering stems. Photographer Don Wood, Bungonia Gorge



Line drawing. c. flowering branch. MMBir, National Herbarium of Victoria, ©2021 Royal Botanic Gardens Board

Common name

Boomerang wattle

Family

Fabaceae

Where found

Dry **forest** and **woodland**, on rocky slopes and along streams. Coast, ranges and tablelands north from Nowra and Bungonia Gorge. Tablelands north west of Bombala. Kosciuszko National Park.

Notes

Shrub to 4 m tall. Branchlets angled at the tips, soon cylindrical and ridged, hairless. Fleshy seed stalks/**arils**. 'Leaves' **alternating** up the stems, 2-8.5 cm long, 5-17 mm wide, straight or sometimes slightly curved, leathery, surfaces hairless, 2-4 prominent **glands** on the margin, tips pointed or somewhat blunt with a **mucro**. Flower **heads** globular, golden yellow to almost white, 3-5 mm in diameter. 6-12 individual flowers per **head**, most easily seen in the buds, in elongated clusters of 5-21 flower heads. Flowers Winter to Summer.

Family was Mimosaceae.

Rare Victoria.

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

World Wide Wattle line drawings, photos, and description: <http://www.worldwidewattle.com/imagegallery/image.php?p=0&l=a&id=23549&o=1>

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