

# Plants of South Eastern New South Wales



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



Pods. Australian Plant Image Index, photographer Murray Fagg, Australian National Botanic Gardens, Canberra



Shrub. Australian Plant Image Index, photographer Dave Mallinson, Warrumbungle National Park west of Coonabarabran

## Common name

Fringed wattle, Brisbane golden wattle

## Family

Fabaceae

## Where found

**Rainforest** margins, dry **forest**, and **woodland**, often along rocky streams. Coast, ranges and tablelands north from Tilba and from near Cooma. Doubtfully **naturalised** in the ACT.

## Notes

**Shrub** or tree to 6 m tall. Fleshy seed stalks/**arils**. Branchlets angled or flattened towards the tips, slightly ridged, hairy to hairless. 'Leaves' **alternating** up the stems to almost opposite each other, 2-6 cm long, 1.5-7 mm wide, straight or slightly curved, margins more or less **appressed** hairy (sometimes hairless), **midvein** fine and more or less prominent, tips pointed with a straight **mucro**. 1 more or less prominent **marginal gland** 1-7 mm above the base, sometimes a second gland. Flower **heads** yellow, globular, 8-20 flowered (easiest seen in late buds), 3-5 mm in diameter, in elongated clusters of 8-25 flower heads. Flowers Winter to Spring.

Family was Mimosaceae.

PlantNET description: <http://plantnet.rbgsyd.nsw.gov.au/cgi-bin/NSWfl.pl?page=nswfl&lvl=sp&name=Acacia-fimbriata> (accessed 27 December, 2020)

World Wide Wattle line drawings, photos, and description: <http://www.worldwidewattle.com/imagegallery/image.php?p=0&l=f&id=20572&o=1>

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