

# Plants of South Eastern New South Wales

## Common name

None

## Family

Myrtaceae

## Where found

**Heath** or **shrubland** associated with pagodas on sandstone, often in damp places. Wollemi National Park east of Kandos. Retricted to a roughly triangular area 5km in diameter.

## Notes

**Spreading shrub** to 2 m high with fibrous-flaky bark. Leaves aromatic when rubbed, opposite each other, 0.4–0.6 cm long, 0.5–1 mm wide, sometimes more or less cylindrical, margins **entire**; tips blunt. Flowers white, 3–5 mm in diameter, with 5 **petals**. **Sepals** reddish, triangular. Flowers solitary. Flowers recorded December and January.

Endangered Australia. Endangered NSW.

Threatened species profile with photos: <https://www.environment.nsw.gov.au/threatenedspeciesapp/profile.aspx?id=10086> (accessed 9 January 2021)

PlantNET description with line drawings and photos: <https://plantnet.rbgsyd.nsw.gov.au/cgi-bin/NSWfl.pl?page=nswfl&lvl=sp&name=Baeckea-kandos> (accessed 9 January 2021)

Description partly based on Bean, A.R. (17 December 1997), A revision of *Baeckea* (Myrtaceae) in eastern Australia, Malesia and south-east Asia. *Telopea* 7(3): 260, fig. 4, g-i.

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