

Plants of South Eastern New South Wales



Flowering branch. Australian Plant Image Index, photographer Murray Fagg, Australian National Botanic Gardens, Canberra, ACT



Fruiting branch. Australian Plant Image Index, photographer Murray Fagg, Australian National Botanic Gardens, Canberra, ACT

Common name

None

Family

Pittosporaceae

Where found

Dry **forest**, **woodland**, disturbed sites, and rocky areas. Ranges. Eastern parts of the tablelands, north of the Hume Highway.

Notes

Shrub, often sprawling and less than 1 m high. Branches with numerous spines. Young branchlets moderately hairy with **spreading** hairs. Leaves hairless, clustered around spiny short shoots. **Adult** leaves 0.6–0.9 cm long, 1–3 mm wide; margins **entire**. Seedling leaves 0.8–1.2 mm long, 1–1.5 mm wide, hairless, margins toothed. Flowers white with 5 **petals** each 6–8 mm long. 5 cream **sepals** 3.5–4 mm long. Flowers single or in few-flowered clusters. Flowers mainly summer.

PlantNET description: <http://plantnet.rbgsyd.nsw.gov.au/cgi-bin/NSWfl.pl?page=nswfl&lvl=sp&name=Bursaria-longispala> (accessed 6 January, 2021)

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