

Plants of South Eastern New South Wales



Flowers. Photographer Richard Hartland, Buxton, Vic?



Leaves. Australian Plant Image Index, photographer R Hill, Langwarrin Woods, Vic



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Common name

None

Family

Apiaceae

Where found

Damp places. Coast, ranges, and tablelands. Mainly in the Sydney region.

Notes

Creeping **perennial** herb, rooting at the **nodes**. Leaves in groups at the nodes, 0.5-5.5 cm long, mostly longer than broad, usually becoming hairless, margins **entire**, wavy, or faintly toothed. Leaf stalks often purplish tinted. Flowers bisexual or the **lateral** ones male, with 5 **petals** about 1.5 mm long, white to pink to crimson or purple. **Sepals** forming a minutely lobed persistent ring. Flowers in clusters of usually 2-3 flowers. Flowers late summer–autumn.

PlantNET description: <http://plantnet.rbgsyd.nsw.gov.au/cgi-bin/NSWfl.pl?page=nswfl&lvl=sp&name=Centella~cordifolia> (accessed 14 January, 2021)

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