

Plants of South Eastern New South Wales



Flowering stems. Photographer Don Wood, Wadbilliga National Park



Flowering stems. Australian Plant Image Index, photographer Murray Fagg, Carnarvon National Park south of Emerald, Qld

Common name

None

Family

Lamiaceae

Where found

Forest and **heath**. Mainly coast and ranges from Jervis Bay to Wadbilliga National Park. Occasionally elsewhere.

Notes

Shrub to 0.9 m high, hairy. Leaves opposite each other or in **whorls** of 3, 1–4 cm long, 2–5 mm wide, pale green, upper surface wrinkled, lower surface white **woolly** and often concealed by the rolled down margins, bases continuing down the stems. Flowers mauve, often with purple spots, 15–30 mm long, tubular, 2-lipped, 5-lobed, the lower lobe of the lower lip hairless inside. **Stamens** and **style** projecting beyond the flower tube. Flowers single at the bases of the leaves. Flowers chiefly spring.

Family was Chloanthaceae.

PlantNET description: <http://plantnet.rbgsyd.nsw.gov.au/cgi-bin/NSWfl.pl?page=nswfl&lvl=sp&name=Chloanthes~parviflora> (accessed 7 January, 2021)

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