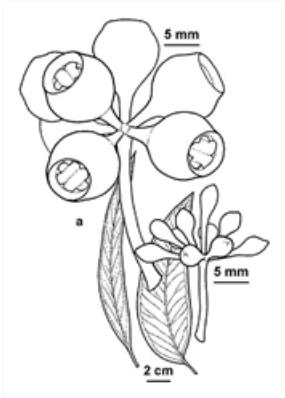


Plants of South Eastern New South Wales



Line drawings. a. juvenile (right) and adult (left) leaves; buds and gumnuts. KR Thiele, Australian National Herbarium © 2021 Royal Botanic Gardens Board, Melbourne, Vic



Bark and leaves. Photographer Jackie Miles



Bark. Photographer Jackie Miles



Trees. Australian Plant Image Index, photographers Brooker & Kleinig, Brown Mountain west of Bega

Common name

White ash, White mountain ash

Family

Myrtaceae

Where found

Forest. Coastal south of Eden. Ranges and the higher parts of the tablelands south of the Hume Highway. Mt Dromedary. One record from the ACT.

Notes

Tree to 40 m tall. Bark on the basal 4–5 m of trunk rough, shortly fibrous, compacted, grey, grey-brown, or black. Smooth bark above, with scribbles, shedding in long ribbons, occasionally with black horizontal scars. Branchlets sometimes **glaucous**. **Juvenile** stems rounded or square in cross section, occasionally glaucous. Juvenile leaves opposite each other and stem-clasping for 5 or 6 pairs, then **alternating** up the stems, 6–15 cm long, 15–45 mm wide, dull, green, grey-green, or blue-green. **Adult** leaves alternating up the stems, 8–18 cm long, 10–35 mm wide, glossy, green. Flowers white, with 0 **petals**. Flower clusters 7–11-flowered. Mature flower buds 4–7 mm long, caps shorter than or as long as the base. Flowers Summer. Gumnuts 6–11 mm in diameter. Gumnuts that have dropped their seed have **valves** that are not very noticeable.

Vulnerable Vic.

PlantNET description: <http://plantnet.rbgsyd.nsw.gov.au/cgi-bin/NSWfl.pl?page=nswfl&lvi=sp&name=Eucalyptus-fraxinoides> (accessed 22 January, 2021)

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