

Plants of South Eastern New South Wales



Flower buds. Australian Plant Image Index, photographers Brooker & Kleinig



Flowers and leaves. Australian Plant Image Index, photographer Murray Fagg, Australian National Botanic Gardens, Canberra, ACT



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



Trunk. Australian Plant Image Index, photographers Brooker & Kleinig, west of Bodalla



Tree. Photographer Jackie Miles

Common name

Jillaga ash

Family

Myrtaceae

Where found

Woodland on steep slopes and rocky hill tops. Deua and Wadbilliga National Parks and nearby.

Notes

Tree to 25 m tall. Bark rough on the lower trunk, shortly fibrous, compacted, with shallow fissures, grey or grey-black. Smooth bark shedding in ribbons, usually with scribbles. Branchlets **glaucous**. **Juvenile** stems cylindrical, glaucous. Juvenile leaves opposite each other for about 3 pairs, then **alternating** up the stems, to 18 cm long, 60 mm wide, dull, green to grey-green or glaucous. **Adult** leaves alternating up the stems, 9-19.5 cm long, 10-30 mm wide, glossy, green. Flowers white, with 0 **petals**. Flower clusters 11-20+ flowered. Mature flower buds 4-6 mm long, caps shorter than the base. The outer ring of **stamens** does not produce pollen. Flowers Spring-Summer. Gumnuts 6-12 mm in diameter. Gumnuts that have dropped their seed have **valves** that are not very noticeable.

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

EUCLID description: https://apps.lucidcentral.org/euclid/text/entities/eucalyptus_stenostoma.htm (accessed 22 January, 2021)

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